

# Is God calling you to be a part of a leadership team at St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish?

The Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) is currently searching for candidates for this ministry, which serves in an **advisory** role to our pastor. As you privately discern the question above, please consider the following:

## Mission Statement of the PPC

We are the body within St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish that prayerfully discerns where Jesus is calling our parish and how, with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we are to serve and respond to God's call.

## Personal Qualifications

- The recognition that the PPC is an **advisory** ministry which requires certain gifts, including the ability to thoroughly study pastoral matters; the ability to reflect and deeply ponder issues before the council; and the ability to listen to all opinions, integrate differing points of view, and engage with others to discern what is best for the parish
- A registered parishioner, at least 15 years of age, who attends Mass regularly, contributes financially, and has been active in at least one parish ministry for a period of at least one year
- Availability to attend monthly meetings from August through June
- Teens serve year to year

## Tasks and Responsibilities

- Preparation for, attendance at, and participation in monthly PPC meetings and periodic workshops
- A willingness to follow through with commitments made to the council

## Time and Term Commitments

- Regularly scheduled meetings are two hours in length and members should plan on spending a minimum of four hours per month in preparation which includes reading, reviewing the agenda, and any additional tasks necessary to prepare for the meeting
- Members are expected to make a commitment to serve one two-year term. Members may serve two consecutive terms (a total of 4 years)

## **Here's how to apply:**

You can nominate yourself or a fellow parishioner.  
Complete the form below and return it to the Parish Office or email your nomination to [lisa.nars@comcast.net](mailto:lisa.nars@comcast.net) on or **before Friday, May 30**.  
Questions? Email or call Lisa Nars at [lisa.nars@comcast.net](mailto:lisa.nars@comcast.net) or 630-913-8201.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominated by: (if applicable)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Discernment will be June 5.**  
**Letters of acceptance will be mailed subsequent to the discernment process**  
**First meeting for new members on Tuesday, June 13, 2017**