

FW: Parish Council Meeting Minutes

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PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

JANUARY 5, 2015

Present: Father Anthony and all members

Group discussion was held regarding Advent, Thanksgiving, Christmas and Epiphany. All agreed the church looks beautiful. We had a few problems with toy and food distribution this year. The toys and food are donated by parishioners for the needy. More flexibility, understanding and compassion are needed for this ministry.

There are problems with the liturgies which involve all the ministries – lectors, ushers, servers, Eucharistic Ministers, etc. Father Anthony and Father Scott will start training after every Mass with the involved ministers. Training will be twice a month in order to reach all ministers. Hopefully, this will help all of us.

Sharon Stelbasky is now in charge of the ushers with Jane Fafard and Estella DiLuzio taking

over the Eucharistic Ministers. Father is still looking for someone to work with the altar servers.

Jan stated missals are disappearing from the church at an alarming rate.

CRHP – Jan and Mitzi asked that the existing CRHP list be updated with the last two or three teams added. There were issues with members without e mails not being called for the festival Coke booths. This resulted in some booths not being sufficiently staffed at busy times. Leona offered to discuss this with the Continuation committee.

LENT PREPARATIONS

Council asked for a more detailed flyer for ALL the Lenten devotions and activities. Similar to the two sided, tri-fold from a couple of years ago — everything going on in the church was on it!

Stations of the Cross will start at 7pm and will be lead by the different ministries each week. Kim will send out an e mail requesting for volunteers. Some individual families inquired about leading last year. The office will handle these requests on an individual basis if they come in.

Fish Fry – due to the 6 PM Mass addition last year the fish fry will be from 5:30 to 7:30. Stations at 7 PM. Mass will remain at 6PM allowing folks to eat in between or before Mass.

Lenten Mission - will be announced later.

Dates to remember:

February 18th Ash Wednesday

March 29th Palm Sunday

April 2nd Holy Thursday

April 3rd Good Friday

April 5th Easter Sunday

2015 GOALS

Father would like to start planning another directory. It is generally felt more people will participate since we did the last one four years ago. He is talking with companies now and looking for an organized administrator. Any ideas let Father know.

All members feel we should continue with monthly meetings from September through May. Father asked for a further commitment to the council members to make an effort to attend the meetings.

We will be planning a picnic this fall and it will take the effort of ALL of us.

Next meeting is Monday, February 2nd in the Retreat House.