

Prayer & Worship Committee Minutes  
March 12, 2018

Present: Debbie Hendrick, Cheryl Snyder, Mark Mrozek, Sue Siepmann, Anna Marie Filipiak, Kathy Galando, Kathy Plaisance, Fr. Dan Volkert

**Opening Prayer**

**Buildings & Grounds Report (email from Mary)**

- Pat Seegers is working on the railing and **hopes** to have it installed for Easter
- Lights will be changed prior to Easter, need to get a lift to do that.
- The Baptismal Pool will be prepared with railing and water, after the Good Friday service. There will be no immersion Baptisms, so we will not be heating the water. The font will be shut off to clean it first, so the Baptismal Font will be dry for Holy Week

**Art & Environment (email from Mary)**

- Easter Flowers (lilies & azaleas) ordered. They will be delivered to Avant Garden, sometime the week of March 26th. Mary will keep them properly watered and ready for placement the morning of Saturday, March 31
- Question about if all of the money we receive for flowers is actually spent on flowers. Since the order needs to be placed before the money is received, we spend the amount budgeted.

**Adoration on Holy Thursday**

- There was a request by parishioner to hold Adoration at St. Bruno's after 7pm Mass at St. Paul
- Not feasible this year as the ciborium & all of the hosts will be in repose after the Wednesday school Mass in preparation for Good Friday already.

**Holy Week Planning**

- Coordinators:
  - Palm Sunday (Saturday 4pm) – Debbie
  - Palm Sunday (10:30am) – Cheryl
  - Good Friday (3pm) – no coordinator needed
  - Easter Vigil (7:30pm) – Debbie & Sue
  - Easter Sunday (8, 9:30am) – no coordinators needed
- Art & Environment plans and setup times have been arranged by Anna Marie
- Music planned & prepared by Mark

**Palm Sunday Masses (Sat. 4pm, Sun. 10:30am)**

- Will proceed the same as they did last year

**Good Friday Service (3pm)**

- Fr. Dick will preside, no deacon
- No coordinator or sacristan needed

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- Bill Snyder will emcee
- Need to have plenty of hosts consecrated at the School Mass on Wednesday, March 28.
- Will need three extraordinary ministers; no cup will be distributed
- Mark will talk to the ushers before service

**Easter Vigil (begins at 7:30pm)**

- Fr. Dan, Deacon Joe
- Debbie & Sue will coordinate
- Bill will emcee again
- Dave Arnott will do the bonfire
- Cheryl will ask Elizabeth Senglaub about doing lights
- Deacon Joe is going to hold the candle outside & procession will move indoors
- There will be four readings. Mark will talk to Jan about scheduling more readers.
- Lights come on for Gloria
- Baptism comes after homily (no immersions); Confirmations after baptisms
- Communion: Fr. Dan & Deacon Joe will give communion to the candidates while the other Extraordinary Ministers wait at the altar; when finished the other ministers come down and proceed as usual

**Easter Sunday (8, 9:30am)**

- Fr. Dan for both Masses, Deacon Joe at 8am
- Will incense around the altar & ambo
- Will have cantors as choir will be singing for the Vigil

**Outdoor Mass date** – scheduled for June 24, 2018

**Parish Council, Kathy**

- The following suggestions were made regarding **altar servers**: Their posture could display more reverence, they could wear cassocks & surplices and black shoes, and they could hold the candles next to the ambo when the gospel is read. Discussion took place and the committee will ask Joe to review proper posture and dress with the servers, however, we do not feel other changes are feasible at this time.
- The P&W committee has been asked to make a **donation to the Auction**. Sue will collect \$10 from each member and select something

**Fr. Dan, Pastor**

- Would like to see Womb to Tomb Faith Formation including:
  - Having Children's Liturgy of the Word additional Sundays
  - Hosting a speaker on a family-based topic every fall. Rich Curran of Appleton is scheduled for this fall (Nov. 7) - Great speaker.
  - Having a Mission every spring.

**Closing Prayer**

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**Next Meeting:** April 23 @ St. Paul

- No meetings May-July
- Additional meeting dates: August 27 @ St. Paul, September 24 @ St. Bruno, October 22 @ St. Paul, November 26 @ St. Bruno, No meeting in December

Submitted by Sue Siepmann, Secretary