

SPIRITUAL LIFE MINUTES ST. JOHN PAUL 4/22/19

Members present: Karen Ketcham, Mary Ann Wojtaszek, Pat Clairmont, Barb Armata, Deacon Greg, and Robin Loughman.

Opening prayer was given by Deacon Greg.

The previous meeting's minutes were already accepted via email and posted on the parish website.

Easter review: Everything went well. It was nice to have the full page in the bulletin listing all the Holy Week events.

Many thanks to Father Cyr for doing a Tenebrae Service for our parish. It was a nice addition to Holy Week. Tim will have more time to prepare music for next year and hopes to make it even better.

Upcoming events:

Sunday, April 28, Divine Mercy Chaplet, 3 pm at St. Stan's.

May 5th, First Holy Communion at Notre Dame at noon. It was mentioned that in the future this may be incorporated into a regular Sunday Mass due to the smaller number of students making First Communion.

Tuesday May 7th, Confirmation at Notre Dame, 7 pm. Bishop Rozanski is scheduled to be there.

Memorial Day, May 27th, 9 am Mass at the St. Stan's Cemetery. In the case of inclement weather, Mass will take place in St. Stan's Church.

Thursday May 30th is Ascension. Vigil Mass will be on Wednesday May 29th at 7 pm at Notre Dame. Mass during the day will be Thursday at 10 am at St. Stan's. The Crowning of Mary will take place with the St. Stan's students.

There will NOT be a Polka Mass this summer at the parish picnic.

September Mission: We do not know Father's plans for this one way or the other. ADDENDUM: This topic was brought up at the Parish Council meeting. Father Steve said he would like to do something for a September Mission, but since it is rather late to book a professional speaker, he is currently thinking about our options. He may be able to pull something together at the last minute with a local speaker.

Monday September 9th, 6 pm in Kolbe Hall, we will have another Volunteer Fair.

May devotions: Due to dwindling attendance the past few years, it was decided that we would take a break from this for this year. We may revisit the idea next year if there is more interest.

Next meeting will be Monday June 24 at 6 pm in Kolbe Hall.

Closing prayer was given by Deacon Greg. Meeting adjourned at 6:30.

Respectfully submitted, Robin Loughman