

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL MINUTES

All Ministry Meeting

January 20, 2020

Present: Stewardship Council Members: Murray, Thomas, Walsh, Gale, Deacon Guy

Ministry Reps: Louise Kennedy, Family Promise; Mary Beth Griswold, Hospitality; Dan Conrad, KofC; Marilyn Wirick, Knitters; Barbara Venditti, Senior Living Advisor; Cecy Doherty and Diane Zalewski, Bereavement; Aaron Harley, Youth Ministry

Dean Guy opened meeting with a prayer.

Special Presenter: Jeanne Ryan, Sacred Heart Secretary

Bulletin: Jeanne Ryan gave an overview on submitting articles for the bulletin:

- Timeline – submit 12 days in advance of happening
- Suggested length – concise – use website for more information
- Get meetings onto the weekly /monthly calendar and arrang for space
- Non-PC users can send information to Jeanne, Suzanne Wolonick or Carolyn Gale for typing or find someone within the ministry who can type the article.
- Clip art is acceptable for inclusion

E-Blasts: Are now going to all parishioners regardless of interest. A new system, REALM, is being implemented that will simplify information getting to the appropriate group[s] only.

Kitchen: Carolyn Gale lamented that, once again, the kitchen is being left in poor condition

- Rinsing plates is not washing plates
- Linens and dishtowels are left unwashed
- Plates are left for someone else to put away
- Edith Kaylor should be made aware of need for replacement supplies

AV: Deacon Guy gave a demo of using the equipment in Founders Hall. It will take several more attempts for us to become proficient.

Youth Ministry : Aaron Harley, Principal of Fr. Cappodanno High School, reported that the youth ministry, once in flux, is now on track thanks to Deacon Guy.

- Aaron hopes to establish EDGE program which focuses on middle school students. Existing youth program focuses on high schoolers from both Sacred Heart and St. Anthony. It includes about 15 kids and is run by volunteers.
- Program is promoted on Facebook and Aaron is working on a webpage

Knitters: Three people share responsibilities: Marilyn Wirick, Paula McEachen, supplies; Sue Lambert, petty cash, labels, the prayer

Knights of Columbus: Carolyn introduced Dan Conrad

Seniors: Cecy Doherty and Diane Zawelski, both of the Bereavement ministry, presented a case for a seniors-only get together free luncheon, hosted 3 times a year to be held in Founders Hall after the 10:45 mass. Stewardship group agreed to provide funding. Cecy will submit a budget and look into the possibility of obtaining future funding, possibly from Women of Sacred Heart.

Barbara Venditti: Senior Living Advisor spoke about the Health Seminar. The last phase: "Should I Stay or Should I Go", i.e. stay at home or go to a senior residence, happens on January 24.

Louise Kennedy questioned what happens to funds left in a ministry budget at the end of the year. Carolyn directed that she speak with Ed Biebich or Edith Kaylor.

Next Meeting: March 16 at 4 P.M.

Respectively submitted, Helen Walsh January 20, 2020