

ST VERONICA
Stewardship Commission

MINUTES
August 2, 2018

Present: Chair Lynn Stuart, Marge Bengel, Father David Doseck, Sarah Lanham, Kathy Pharo

Absent: Dave Foltz, Ree Foltz, Sue Normand

Meeting was called to order at 6:15 P.M.

Gospel Reading: Lynn, discussion followed.

Minutes

Review of June Meeting Minutes. Motion (Sarah) Second (Lynn) to approve minutes of June 7, 2018.

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Ministry Reports

Holy Name (Lynn)

1. Golf Outing at Stillmeadow Country is scheduled for Sunday 8/5/18.
2. A possible membership drive to be held at Mt Carmel Brewery in October.

Hospitality (Sarah)

Nothing new to report.

Seniors (Marge)

1. Balance of the treasury is approximately \$10,000 after payment of the LaComedia Trip expense.
2. The Casino trips on the last Thursday of the month continue to do well. There were 160 paid attendees for the July trip.
3. La Comedia dinner theater, *Clue the Musical* will be September 28.
4. A slate of nominees for the President, Treasurer and Secretary will be presented at the August meeting.
5. Several suggestions on the use of funds were received and reports will be given at the August meeting.
 - a. St Veronica needs
 - b. Coupons for turkeys or hams in the Thanksgiving and/or Christmas baskets for the St Vincent DePaul Pantry
 - c. Gifts for priests of the Parish
 - d. Needs of Veterans homes.
 - e. Possible adoption of families in the parish.
 - f. Information on Senior Centers and their needs.

Old Business

1. **Homebound Ministry** Chairperson, Carol Durham will attend our September meeting to explain their ministry to see if/how we can coordinate with them to move forward with St Veronica Helping Hands.
2. **Kiosk**: The Commission's power point presentation was sent to Father Del. Lynn will follow up with Father and go over the logistics, staffing, materials for kiosk and will make this an action item for September. Still pending:
 - a. Purchase of Kiosk
 - b. Purchase Welcome Sign
 - c. Name tags or Badges for staffing volunteers
 - d. Booklet on "How to Man" Kiosk for use in seeking volunteers
 - e. List of Materials for Kiosk. This can be a part of the "How To" book.
 - f. Items for display
 - g. Signage with St Veronica name.
 - h. Job Description
 - i. Opening Date TBD
3. Steve Frigon's suggestion of Annual Fundraising –commission deferred this to Finance Commission – Lynn will advise Steve
4. **Stewardship Commission Minute** for Aug – 11/12- Parish Picnic; 18/19 – Back to School
5. **Mobile Food Pantry on July 6, 2018** was successful. Money from 2018 Chili Cook-Off was donated to Outreach Commission to stock Mobile Food Pantry Lynn reported that many volunteers signed up and many of the volunteers brought their children to be a part of this endeavor. 40 Families were served.

New Business

1. **Chili-Cook-Off** - Stewardship Commission will hold on Saturday January 19, 2019. Father David will be the MC and the Trivia Game will be repeated. Proceeds go to fund the Outreach Commission July Food Pantry summer, 2019.
2. **Taize Prayer, Soup Supper and Easter Bag Project** will be held on Wednesday, April 10, 2019.
3. **The Donut Social** will begin in September -held on first Sunday of each month. Stewardship Commission will be responsible for helping Sunday, October, so please mark your calendars.
4. Steve Frigon's suggestion for a 5K fundraiser will be referred to Parish Council, Jon Dannemiller – Lynn will advise Steve.
5. Would a Landscape Committee for parish be a good fit for Helping Hands Ministry? Lynn to talk to Dottie Buerger, who could take it to Parish Council if needed
6. Back packs will be available this weekend, August 4-5, 2018 with a list of school supplies needed for the packs to be returned the following weekend. This is a project of Outreach Commission.

7. Father David would like for the Stewardship Commission to take some time at each meeting to:
 - a. Identify our mission
 - b. People who connect people with other people.
 - c. How do we want to move forward? – Fr. David relayed that Fr. Del’s vision of the Kiosk is to connect parishioners and/or visitors with the right ministry to enable them to identify their ability to Pray, Serve and Share with each other – Lengthy discussion will be held in September to determine how this can be implemented This will be our main goal for 2018/19.

Next Meeting

Thursday, September 6, 2018, 6:15P.M.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 P.M.