

**ISt Veronica Stewardship Commission Meeting Minutes
February 1, 2018 St. Catherine Room – PMC**

Present: (7): Fr. David Doseck, Steve Frigon, Sarah Lanham, Sue Normand, Kathy Pharo, Lynn Stuart, and Peggy White

Gospel Reading and Discussion: Kathy read the Gospel and discussion followed

Minutes from January: Reviewed – Steve motioned to approve and Sarah seconded

Ministry Reports:

Holy Name: Steve

Nick Glace is new President

Will need to get copies of their minutes

Friday Fish Fry's through Lent will begin February 16 – March 23

Hospitality: Sarah

Letter to New Parishioners updated

Dawn Duffy checked with Mindy Dannemiller in Parish Office regarding number of parishioners needing rides to church - this project will need to be word of mouth through parishioners

Due to liability reasons, this information cannot flow through the parish staff or office

When Welcome Kiosk gets up and running, SC needs to coordinate info through greeters/ Ushers, etc.

Seniors: Peggy

Had a speaker regarding free tax help at a recent meeting

Casino trips are ongoing – last Thursday of each month – attendees need not be either Seniors or St V parishioners – sign up is needed 8 days before

Commission Leaders Meeting – January 29, 2018 – Lynn

Lynn passed out minutes from meeting to SC members – reviewed and discussed

Due to length, Leadership minutes will not be copied and pasted into SC minutes –

Will send copy to SC members who weren't able to attend January meeting

Old Business:

Stewardship Minute: started in bulletin Jan 20, school newsletter Jan 25 and REP newsletter Jan 26

Each week's minute is uploaded to SC webpage

SC minutes for weeks after Chili Cook-off are as follows: 2/24/25 -Holy Name to highlight fish fry's;

3/3-4 -Thank you for Chili Cook-Off; 3/10-11, Fine Arts Boosters from School to highlight play; 3/17-18

Taize Prayer, Soup Supper and Hope Emergency Easter Bag project; 3/24/25 – Faith Formation

Tabled the magnet idea for school and church – (logos that Ree had designed) as Father Del had mentioned a new logo is being designed for the parish

Chili Cook-Off – Saturday, February 24, 2018

Articles in Bulletin in timely manner – Save the Date, Cook-off Details and Registration – on website
Sent info to Norma Frede at STJF for their bulletin

Steve will ask Penelope to design sign up genius for help with set up, clean up, bringing condiments, gift cards for raffles etc. – put on website and send through constant contact to all parishioners

Set up – 2:15 in cafeteria – anyone who can please help

Chili entries to be brought to cafeteria – between 3:30pm and 3:50pm – Judging will be done during 4:00 mass

Judges: need 5 plus 2 alternates – Sarah Lanham – Bill Frantz is thinking about it, will contact Ms Bresler, principal of school (she judged last year)

Split the Pot and gift card raffles – Jeff and Sue Normand will handle - \$1.00 each – 6 for \$5.00

Kathy will be cashier at the door – each chili entrant will be given a ticket at drop off – that will be their admission – rest of family would need to pay - \$1.00 adult; \$5.00 children (5-14) with family max of \$25.00

Lynn will check on tickets

Band? Steve will contact band from last year

Lynn will check with Nick Glace of Holy Name to see what if anything we have access to from the Holy Name closet, besides the coffee pots

Lynn will check with Carol Glaser regarding any spoons left over from a couple of years ago

Sarah will order 75 mugs

Lynn will email Commission Leaders asking if they would be willing to donate gift cards for raffle

Outreach Commission will receive proceeds after expenses to stock the Mobile Food Pantry in conjunction with Inter Parish Ministry in Newtown – hope to have Pantry on site at St Veronica this summer

Will serve, water, coffee and have soda for purchase – decided against selling beer as this is a family event – attendees may bring their own adult beverages

Emcee – Sarah checked with the Moran's and they are not able to attend – Fr. David asked what all was involved and he volunteered

Aprons for winning categories – Dorothy Scull is making them

Gold Spoon award for People's Choice – Tom Baker has finished

Criteria for judges was discussed and decided would only judge on aroma, consistency, taste – Sarah will revise judge's score sheet

Lynn will go to GFS and get roll of plastic tablecloths, cups, etc. (whatever we need after she talks to Nick Glace)

New Business:

Taize Prayer, Soup Supper and Hope Emergency Easter bag project – Wednesday March 21, 2018

Kathy, Linda Brown and Lynn will meet with manager of Hobby Lobby to check their inventory of Easter crafts, crayons, etc. for treat bags

Bill Frantz said he would take care of inviting the members of the Lutheran Church in Mt. Carmel to attend

Two Sundays to pass out "paper eggs", some for bags of candy, some for \$5.00 monetary donations
March 3 and 4 and March 10 and 11

Volunteers to pass out after each mass:

March 3 and 4

4:00pm Sue Normand
8:00am Peggy Hager and possibly Ree and Dave Foltz if they are available
9:30 am Sarah and possibly Melanie if available
11:30 Steve

March 10 and 11

4:00 pm Peggy W – possibly Sue
8:00 am Lynn and Peggy Hager
9:30 am Sarah and Melanie?
11:30 am Lynn and Linda Brown

Return of donations the weekends of March 10/11 and 17/18 – there will be bins in the Narthex for candy donations – monetary donations should go in the collection basket – if you are handed 5.00 put in envelope with egg and give to ushers so they can put in the safe

Lynn will contact Mary Beth Dawson, Business Manager, so office is aware of donations coming through office

Invitations to St John Fisher:

Fr. David gave us a great distinction of when to invite/publicize St V activities in STJF bulletin
Social activities – notices can be put in their bulletin – i.e. Chili Cook-Off, festival, etc.
Almsgiving, FF and Worship Activities – don't send invites to them as they are involved in their own efforts – a good rule of thumb for us to use

Closing Prayer:

Stewardship Prayer for February was read by all

Meeting adjourned: 8:10pm

Next Meeting: Thursday, March 1, 2018 – 6:15 pm – St Catherine Room – PMC

Lynn will be at the beach so Steve will run the meeting

Lynn will type up agenda and send to everyone