



PARISH MINISTRY PETALS MEETING AUGUST 2, 2018



Donna Ferrer called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Donna reminded everyone to sign in and take a name tag.

Fr. Brandon welcomed everyone explained about the Flower. Fr. Brandon opened with prayer, and then we all prayed the St. Anne's Parish Ministry Petals prayer together.

We watched a teaching video from Fr. Mike Schmitz titled "Consistency will make you Holy".

Donna reflected on the video and introduced the new Petal members: Lisa Fugazi from Italian Catholic Federation and Dan Munoz from CYO.

Affirmations:

- Affirmation to Gloria Velasco and Reyna Nava for continuing Bible Study classes after Fr. Alvaro left.
- Affirmation to Elisa Moberly for joining the Welcoming Committee.
- Affirmation for the St. Anne's Fest. It was a wonderful time together; Manuel and Karen Valencia did a wonderful job putting it together.
- Affirmation to Liz and Rose; the school has a lot of new employees and they have been amazing handling the new staff.
- Affirmation to the Sister's for having a wonderful Vacation Bible School this year.
- A BIG shout out to all who keep the Plaza looking nice and clean; it always looks gorgeous!

Pastor's Report: Fr. Brandon

Fr. Brandon explained about the flower and thanked all the Representatives for taking on the role of spreading information to each ministry.

Personnel Updates:

Teresa Locke is the Chief Financial Officer for St. Anne's (CFO). Father said he is very grateful for Teresa.

Donna Ferrer graduated with her Masters in administration over the summer. She is the new Parish Administrator for St. Anne's.

Korina Butler was the Petal Assistant last year, but this year, she is the Petal Director. Donna will still be the facilitator at the meetings but Korina is the person to go to with any Petal issues or questions.

Fr. Brandon explained that with the change of a new Bishop in the Diocese. Bishop Cotta believes vocations should come from within our Diocese and most likely, we will not get help from priests that are outside our diocese. Bishop Cotta believes that, with the size of this parish, we should have 2 priests. As you know, Fr. Alvaro is no longer at St. Anne's. Tony Moreno is the New Pastoral Associate. With being down one priest, Tony will be an important part to our community and liturgy and someone who is present speaking with the Spanish men and women in our community. Just because Tony is moving into this position we doesn't mean want Youth Ministry to be forgotten.

School Play Yard:

The school play yard is almost complete! Black top will be done within the next few weeks. There will be a mass for the Blessing of the new play yard more information to follow. We are very grateful for Lisa Dobbins and all her hard work.

Hospitality- Alma Farinelli

Alma is asking if any ministry would like to help out with serving coffee, punch and doughnuts for either the 8:30 or 10:30 masses. They are in dire need of help. Please contact her if your ministry would like to help.

Fr. Brandon explained the process of a "New" Ministry and how valuable it is. Sometimes it can be frustrating, but we as a flower can discern.

Possible New Ministry- Claudia Velez

Claudia explained she already hands out rosaries at flea markets and other public places. What she would like to do is have a banner or poster or shirts with the St. Anne's Parish logo and name.

Miscellaneous: None

Petal Business: Donna Ferrer

Donna said that there is a list of Petal Representatives and Alternates. She asked that if there are corrections that need to be made, to please be sure and let Korina Butler know.

Donna went over the schedule for the Petal Meetings of the 2018-2019 year.

General Information Packet:

Donna went over what the Parish Flower is, and what the goals are. Donna spoke about how important we all are in sharing what is happening in our parish to as many people as possible. Donna announced that currently we have about 50 ministries. Donna went over what the roles of the Petal Representative and the Petal Alternate are. She said that the Petal Liaisons can help you connect with the other ministries. The Liaisons sit in with your Petal to answer any questions or concerns you may have.

Individual Petal Presentations:

Donna spoke about the petal presentations. That is your ministry's opportunity to share and promote your ministry.

Petal Chairperson and Secretary:

Donna asked that each group please select a Chairperson and a Secretary tonight when you break into your small groups.

Pastoral Council Nomination:

Donna asked that each group make nominations for the Pastoral Council. Donna said that the Nominees will be contacted to see if they want to accept.

Nominations for Annie Award:

Donna announced to nominate someone for the Annie Award. The Annie Award will be given out at the Ministry Day of Reflection.

Fr. Brandon asked if everyone could also fill out the Areas of Strength and Areas of Improvement forms for the 2017-2018 Pastoral Year.

Announcements/Approved Handouts:

Petal Presentation: Youth & Young Adults- Aug. 18-19 (Finishing up the 2017-2018 year)

Faith Formation: Late Religious Education sign-ups- Aug. 7-8

Petal: **Ministry Day of Reflection** – Sat. Sept. 8, 2018 8:30am-1:30pm

Petal (Small Group) Discussion

Petal Discussion

Flower (Large Group) Discussion

Petal Reports

Liturgy Petal Minutes: Pati McKinstry

Petal Discussion

Ministry Check-In: Dcn. Tom & Kim Driscoll, Anita Oaxaca, Jesus Herrera, Tony Moreno, Elisa Moberly, Rita Ban, Marivi Quesada, Lupe Almer, Alma Farinelli, Pati McKinstry

General Discussion:

- A Liturgy meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, Aug 30 at 6:30pm in the parish dining room.
- Dcn Tom and Kim will continue this year as chairpersons for the Liturgy petal but should be done by a lay person next year to better comply with the petal rules. We were asked to prayerfully consider stepping forward to do this. Pati McKinstry will remain the secretary for the Liturgy petal.
- Nominations for Pastoral council and Annie's award were discussed and submitted
- A Novena for Life is being said for nine consecutive Fridays beginning Fri Aug 3rd. Information on this can be found on the USCCB website.

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.): The Liturgy Petal has no objection to adding the proposed Rosary ministry to the Petal.

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team

Petal Item #1: The 'Year End Review' was not discussed due to lack of time but all representatives were asked to fill out and submit the form individually.

School Petal Minutes:

Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In:

General Discussion:

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.):

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team

Petal Item #1:

Youth & Young Adult Minutes:

Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In:

General Discussion:

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Petal Item #1:

Catholic Fellowship Minutes: Gladys Bates

Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In: Liza Fugazi, Italian Catholic Federation. Donna Giacomina, Italian Catholic Federation. Mark Niemantsverdriet, Knight of Columbus. Beverly Fletcher, Young Ladies Grand Institute. Gladys Bates, Garden Angels.

General Discussion: Young Ladies Grand Institute, having their upcoming Bunco on September 9. Cost is \$25 and includes lunch. This fund raise helps the Seminarians and other nonprofit organizations. Knights of Columbus is having their Priest Appreciation Dinner on August 25 at 6:30 pm. Tri Tip dinner and DJ for dancing. They have invited Bishop Cotta, he is checking his schedule. **Need approval:** Knights of Columbus, wants approval to do a Tootsie Roll Drive to help Special Needs Camp.

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.): New Ministry - Rosary Hand Out, our petal is in agreement to implement this ministry.

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Petal Item #1:

Social Justice Minutes:

Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In:

General Discussion:

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.):

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team

Petal Item #1:

Faith Formation Minutes: Annette Murdaca

Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In:

General Discussion: Thoughts on Claudia V. Rosary ministry: We liked her enthusiasm for going out and reaching out to people. Like the idea of reaching out to people. Okay with going out in the name of the Church. Julia was giving her advice for where she can get name badges and that the Legion of Mary can help on certain days.

Concerns: Formation for those who go out to spread the message of the rosary. If it is going to be a ministry there needs to be a plan on how to recruit volunteers, create a budget, formation for the volunteers, etc.

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.):

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team

Petal Item #1:

Final Announcements:

Donna reminded everyone to please turn in your minutes by Monday, August 6th.

Donna reminded everyone to communicate with your ministries.

Donna thanked the Liturgy Petal for providing the refreshments for tonight's meeting.

Remember: **NO Petal Meeting in September**, but we will have the **Ministry Day of Reflection on Saturday, September 8.**

Our next meeting will be on Thursday, October 4. The Social Justice and Catholic Fellowship Petals are asked to provide the refreshments for that meeting.

Fr. Brandon thanked everyone for coming and said a closing prayer.