



PARISH MINISTRY PETALS MEETING May 5, 2019



Donna welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Fr. Brandon welcomed everyone and said a prayer and then we all prayed the St. Anne's Parish Ministry Petals Prayer together.

We watched a video by Fr. Mike Schmitz "Why Catholics Call Mary Their Mother".

Donna asked if there were any affirmations, this is something positive that you have seen in our Parish Community.

Affirmations:

- Affirmation to Kim and Deacon Tom for the wonderful Novena chanting of the Divine Mercy.
- Affirmation to all the groups that signed up for Harvest Fest. Kevin felt overwhelmed by everyone reaching out and wanting to help with this year's harvest fest coming up in October.

Affirmations that were on tonight's Meeting Agenda:

- Thanks to our Directors of Liturgy and all of those who helped to make this year's Lenten Penance Service one of the largest in our history. We estimate that over 1,000 people were in attendance that evening.
- The Holy Week and Triduum celebrations were again joyful/prayerful this year, thanks to Tony and all of those who helped to pull together these central Liturgies in the life of the Liturgical year.
- Many thanks to all of those who hosted the morning breakfast for this year's candidates and Catechumens. The morning of rehearsal was enjoyable from start to finish!
- St. Anne's School hosted their annual spring fundraiser, Monte Carlo night, which was new and delightful this year.
- Congratulations to the school children who were honored at the Diocesan level with this year's Monsignor DeGroot Award. Many talented young leaders being fashioned in our School.

- School enrollment is pushing ever higher, now stands at 226 students, which is one of the largest in the Diocese. We give thanks to Mrs. Mar and the talented teaching staff whose reputations are now becoming widely known around the Diocese and local area.
- Have a wonderful summer break and many thanks to each of your ministry Representatives for their help with discernment and communication this past Pastoral Year! THANK YOU!

Pastor's Report: Fr. Brandon Ware

Rosary Update:

At our last petal meeting everyone had agreed to have the Rosary continue. We have not received any names at this time of who would like to take over. In the meantime, during this time it will be in silence until someone steps up and would like to take over the midday Rosary.

Bishop's Ministry Appeal 2019:

Thank you to those who have supported the BMA. We are at 81% of the way. If everyone gives \$40 dollars, we would make our goal.

Save the Date: Deacon Adrian Cisneros Ordination and First Mass:

Adrian Cisneros ordination is on Saturday, July 6 at the Cathedral in Stockton. His first Mass will be here at St. Anne's on Sunday, July 7 @3pm.

For the first time at St. Anne's, we will be hosting a first Mass for someone from our community. Adrian Cisneros first Mass and reception are a big undertaking. We have formed a committee to help facilitate this wonderful event. We will start with Adrian Cisneros first Mass then proceed to the Plaza and Hall for food and refreshments. We are asking all the ministries to help with serving food, cleanup and other sorts of tasks. A signup sheet is being passed out so you can take back to your ministry and discuss who is willing to help. If you have any questions, please contact Korina Butler or Belem Haro in the Church Office.

We are expecting close to 1,000 people for this event. Adrian Cisneros family alone is around 400 people. We will need a lot of help to make this event successful.

If you would like to help with financial support, we would not turn you down.

Petal Business: Donna Ferrer

New Petal Representatives:

Please fill out the New Petal Representatives form. The form is also available online. Even if you are going to be the representative for next year, we would still need you to fill it out.

Update Rosters:

If you have not turned in an updated roster please do so. The form is also available online. These are ministers who have been active for the 2018-2019 fiscal year.

Day of Reflection:

Save the date for our Day of Reflection on Saturday, September 7th.

Ministry Presentations:

Social Justice has their Petal Presentation the weekend of May 18-19. Followed by Faith Formation on the weekend of June 15-16. Youth & Young Adults will have their Petal Presentation weekend on August 17-18.

Donna asked to keep Deacon Adrian Cisneros and Deacon Larry Machado in our prayers as they are getting ordained in July.

Announcements / Approved Handouts:

Donna went over the approved handouts for tonight's meeting:

- Faith Formation: **Catechist Needed** – 2019-2020 Religious Education Year
- Faith Formation: **Religious Education Sign-Ups** – June 3rd-6th, 2019
- Faith Formation: **Vacation Bible School Registration & Crew Leaders & Adult Forms** – June 10th-14th, 2019
- Cathedral in Stockton- **Ordination of Deacon Adrian Cisneros** – Sat., July 6, 2019
- St. Anne's Church- **Fr. Adrian Cisneros First Mass** – Sun., July 7, 2019 at 3pm

Petal (Small Group) Discussion:

If there are any concerns in regards to Deacon Adrian Cisneros event that you think we have not thought about, please write them down.

Flower (Large Group) Discussion:

Faith Formation Petal Minutes

Person Submitting the Notes

First Name:
Last Name:
Email:

Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In: Confirmation is this weekend (May 4). First Holy Communion will be May 11 and May 18. Rosary Makers are doing well. That Man Is You is coming to a conclusion with their current unit. They will be starting on a new unit. Adult Faith Formation will start "Walking in the Bible". Carmelites will be putting information in the bulletin regarding deeper prayer life. Religious Education is looking for catechists for next year. If you have thought about being a catechist, or know of someone who would be a great catechist, please let Sr. Azucena know.

General Discussion:

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.):
Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team:
Petal Item #1:

Social Justice Petal Minutes

Person Submitting the Notes

First Name:
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Email:

Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In: Pastoral Care, Respect Life, Gabby Lara, St. Vincent de Paul.

General Discussion: Pastoral Care is doing fine. Sidewalk Prayer at Planned Parenthood will have more info for petal weekend. Respect Life needs to be shown more. St. Vincent de Paul had a good collection for the month of March.

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.): We will take back to our ministries to see who could volunteer and see who could give money as to see where it is needed.

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team:

Petal Item #1: A recommendation that was brought up was: Now that the Johnson Amendment has been reversed will abortions be talked about from the pulpit now?

Liturgy Petal Minutes

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Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In: Dcn. Tom & Kim Driscoll, Fr. Rob Jesus Cervantes, Thomas Moran, Lupe Almer, Olivia Heier, Marivi Quesada, Pati McKinstry

General Discussion: The next Liturgy Meeting will be held June 6 at 6:30pm in the Parish Dining Room. The Novena of the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit has been approved. It will be held May 31-June 8, 2019. Information will be in the bulletin. Dcn. Tom & Kim will no longer facilitate the monthly Petal meetings. We will discuss at the Liturgy meeting who will take over facilitating the meetings. We would like to have new wording of the weekly announcements at the Masses. Please bring ideas to the Liturgy meeting.

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.): Regarding reception for Fr. Adrian, would like clarification- can monetary donations be placed in the weekly collection basket (properly labeled) who do we make "checks payable to", is it possible to take up a "special collection" on a week we only have one collection?

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team:

Petal Item #1: Requesting new wording of the weekly announcements at Mass. Maybe there can be 4 choices so they can alternate weekly.

Catholic Fellowship Petal Minutes

Person Submitting the Notes

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Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In: Young Ladies Grand Institute- Bev Fletcher, Italian Catholic- Donna Giacomina, Garden Angels- Gladys Bates, Church Liaison- Korina Butler.

General Discussion: Italian Catholic Federation is considering set-up movie nights at the school playground once a month on a Saturday for the months of June, July and August. Daughters of Isabella are considering setting up Motivational Workshops for women on different topics. Young Ladies Institute is working on their yearly big fundraiser event for September 2019.

Response to Parish Question (If one is asked.): Consider having security and host to direct people to the restrooms. Garden Angels will polish the plaza Saturday, before set up of tables and chairs.

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team:

Petal Item #1: Daughters of Isabella would like to hold a series of workshops for all woman of our parish. Each one-hour sessions, would include prayer, a short time of socializing, and a talk and/or presentation designed to help woman. Possible topics include Prayer in the

Family, the Blessed Mother as a Role Model, and Living a Holy Life in Today's world. Child care may be provided.

Petal Item #2: Italian Catholic Federation would like to host outdoor family movie nights for the parishioners of St. Anne's this summer. Other ministries would be invited to sell food and other appropriate items; they would each provide their own supplies and keep the profits. They would use the school playground 2 or 3 Saturday evenings during the summer. Advertisement would be in the bulletin and through other ministries.

St. Anne's School Petal Minutes

Person Submitting the Notes

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Petal Discussion

Ministries Check-In: May is a busy month for the school. We have the following events this month: STAR Testing, Confirmation May 4th, Kindergarten Orientation May 7th, Fine Arts Night/ Open House May 9th, First Communion May 11th, Field Day May 17th, Baccalaureate Mass and Breakfast May 19th, Kindergarten promotion May 19th, 8th Grade Graduation May 19th, Last Day of School May 24th.

General Discussion: We are very thankful to the ministries that have offered their help during our annual Harvest Fest.

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

Issues/Ideas for Presentation to the Ministry Team:

Petal Item #1:

Youth & Young Adult Petal Minutes

Person Submitting the Notes

First Name:

Last Name:

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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:

Final Announcements:

Donna expressed to please communicate with your ministries regarding Deacon Adrian's ordination and how each ministry can help with his first Mass being held here at St. Anne's.

Donna reminded the note takers to please fill out the Online Form and submit your minutes by Monday, May 6th.

Donna reminded everyone to please be sure to communicate with your Ministry what you heard here at tonight's meeting.

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

Donna announced that this is our last meeting for 2018-2019 fiscal year. She thanked everyone for coming to the Petal meetings this year and for all they do for our parish community.

Fr. Brandon thanked everyone for all their spiritual support with the Flower. Father said a prayer and then we all prayed the Our Father together.