



**PRAYER & WORSHIP COMMISSION MEETING
MINUTES**

MONDAY, MARCH 13, 2023 @ 6:30 p.m.

ATTENDEES: Mike Gorichanaz, Roy Spieckerman, Tom Pinzl, Katie Mancuso, Nikki Packee, Joe Hauer, Katie Borgen, and Nancy Mueller were present. Connie Helm was excused.

PREVIOUS MINUTES: All present agreed that the February minutes be accepted as submitted. Minutes were accepted.

Parish Council Report by Nikki Packee: Per Nikki's email on 3/14/23, there will be an in-person All Commission meeting on May 16 at 6:30 PM to discuss the Made for Mission book; light desserts, water and coffee will be served.

Usher Report by Tom Pinzl: The new recruits are very engaged, and things are going well.

Church Environment Report: Easter flowers will be delivered on Holy Thursday, as usual. There will be no Easter lilies due to Fr. Tim's allergies. Katie Borgen will check to see if there are enough candles for Holy Saturday Mass. Nancy will change the bulletin board on Holy Thursday. Roy will provide a list of First Communicants for the future bulletin board.

OLD BUSINESS:

Ash Wednesday (Feb. 22, 8:30 AM and 7:00 PM): There was good attendance at the 8:30 AM Mass; the evening Mass was canceled due to inclement weather.

Parish Mission (March 19-21): Simple soup supper will be March 19th; all are welcome. There will be prayerful kickoff by Joe Meyer; Joe Hauer will provide music. On the 20-21st there will be more activities which are posted on the website.

Lenten Reconciliation (March 22 at 7:00 PM): Five priests will be available. Mike will make sure that Adoration is finished by 6:15 PM.

Palm Sunday: Katie Borgen will make sure the palms are in place by 2:30 PM.

Holy Thursday (7:00 PM Mass): Roy is recruiting participants for the washing of the feet.

Good Friday (1:00 PM Mass): This Mass typically takes about 2 hours.

Holy Saturday (8:00 PM): There will be a practice for the Mass on Holy Tuesday at 5:00 PM.

Easter Sunday (8:00 and 10:30 AM): 10:30 AM Mass may need extra Eucharistic ministers; they will be assigned.

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Divine Mercy Sunday: Nancy and Bill are leading the chaplet immediately following both Sunday Masses. Nancy and Bill are writing the intentions, and Roy will provide music. Handouts will be provided, and Nikki will post them on the website, as well.

NEW BUSINESS:

First Communion: Roy will provide the dates and names as soon as they are available.

Confirmation (May 17th): No special planning is required for Confirmation.

Pentecost (May 28th): Katie Borgen will change the colors to red for this Mass.

Other business: No other business was discussed.

Nancy motioned to adjourn and all present were in favor of adjourning the meeting.
Roy led us in a Hail Mary as the closing prayer.

ADJOURNED at 7:08 p.m.

Next meeting – April 17, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Katie Mancuso, Secretary

Copies to: Roy Spieckerman, Katie Borgen, Anna Niemuth, Molly Soba, Tom Pinzl, Nancy Mueller, Katie Mancuso, Joe Hauer, Joanie Weyer, Nikki Packee, Jill Sheehan, Connie Helm, Mike Gorichanaz, and Fr. Tim Bickel