

St. Gabriel Parish Stewardship Commission Meeting

February 19, 2020

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In attendance were Cathy Rusk, Colleen Reichert and Karl Glunz. Excused were Jodi Consiglio, Mary Frank and Carolyn Weyer (liaison)

Cathy opened the meeting with a prayer on the subject of Stewardship.

Time & Talent Survey

The Time & Talent Survey is finally distributed to the Parish. The Survey will be sent to all parishioners by email. Results are being returned and Colleen is doing the data entry which should be complete by March 1, 2020. Cathy will send a link to each Commission chair with their pertinent results. Commissions should contact people who have shown an interest in volunteering by March 17, 2020. Follow up on Parish Activities and Parish Support responses could be a challenge with no Commission head person. Some summarization of Survey results should be shared with Parish leadership. All links will be sent to Stewardship Commission members. Cathy will speak with Bridget Bartholomew about sending the survey home to school families.

New Parishioner Outreach

The list of new parishioners over the past year has been received. Mary Frank has volunteered to make calls to all on the list to welcome them to St. Gabriel Parish. It was decided to hold further discussion until next meeting when Mary should have a report.

Friendship Sunday

Cathy reported that this past weekend's Friendship Sunday sponsored by Human Concerns and Stewardship Commissions was well attended. It was suggested that Friendship Sunday's could be a good way to involve our Parish youth who would be willing to serve and clean up. This will be brought up at the next All Commission meeting.

New Business

The Commission considered ways to use the data from the Time and Talent Survey gathered on those already volunteering. After the current wave of interested people is data entered, focus will shift to those already serving. Perhaps a Thank You during Masses on a weekend after Easter may be possible.

The meeting was closed with a prayer.

Next Meeting: March 17, 2020 at 6:30 PM.