

Stewardship Council Meeting MINUTES
October 4, 2021
7:00pm
St. Catherine's

Present: Chris Banks, Deacon Bill, Fr. Peter, Fr. Joe, Laura Doherty, Debbie Rhodes, Rich Chenell, Jackie Welham, Bob Stall, Carolyn Stall, Beth Anne Frechette, Jackie Butterfield, Sue Gormley, Vladimir Lemaire

Guest: Joanne Wall

Absent: None

Opening Prayer was led by Sue Gormley

All participated in Here & Now

Fall Renewal 2021 – Growing our Faith One Day at a Time

1. Timing

- a. Renewal Newsletter to go out by end of this week 10/8/2021(delayed at printer)
- b. October 9th & 10th – Ministry Information at Masses
 - i. Volunteers for speaker at Masses: Bob Stall, Laura Doherty, Jackie Butterfield. Carolyn Stall will provide a script
 - ii. Debbie will email volunteers & leaders instructions about ministry guide distribution, sharing online ministry guide access, extra commitment cards, flier with immediate ministry volunteer need, filling out Cori forms
- c. October 16th & 17th – Witness Talks
Rich Chenell (completed), Dan Taylor, Keri Decelles (still writing)
- d. October 23rd & 24th – Commitment Weekend
 - i. We need to collect commitment cards after Mass (need volunteers?)
 - ii. We need to make spreadsheet with data for ministry leaders
(bring commitment cards and organize at next Stewardship meeting on 11/15/21?)

2. Renewal information for each week given to the priests

3. Recording witness talks: not before 4:00 mass (choir is rehearsing), fine to use smartphone in an office to record. Put videos on website.
Dave LeBleu might attempt to make and post an inspirational video collage from meeting of Ministry Leaders discussing what they were grateful for in their ministry.
4. Renewal survey had a kink-originally was anonymous, Debbie changed to optional email input if parishioner wanted to be contacted.

Tri-Council Meeting Summary (Wine & Cheese Event – Saturday October 2nd)

- It was a success/well attended. Discussed ideas for the parish future at tables
- Council meeting minutes will be posted on parish website
- What next?

Monthly volunteers for Tri-council attendance:

- Jackie Welham to represent Stewardship Council at 10/25/21 Finance meeting @7:00pm

- Laura Doherty to represent Stewardship Council at 11/8/21 Parish Council meeting@7:00pm

Future Stewardship Council Meeting Schedule:

- Monday, November 15, 2021 @ 7:00 PM St. Anne's Hall
- Monday, January 10, 2022 @ 7:00 PM St. Catherine's Mezzanine
- Tuesday, February 15, 2022 @ 7:00 PM St. Catherine's Mezzanine
- Monday, March 14, 2022 @ 7:00 PM St. Anne's Hall
- Monday, April 11, 2022 @ 7:00 PM St. Catherine's Mezzanine
- Monday, June 6, 2022 @ 7:00 PM St. Anne's Hall

New Business

- New section in weekly email blast – “Family Corner” – give ideas to families to help them teach their children about our faith; target different ages each week.
- Suggested that Arianne, Nicole and Mary with Faith Formation may contribute to this weekly email tip (?)

Future Events for Parish

- Dynamic Catholic talks on hold with pandemic
- Brainstorm: especially outdoors, 75th St Annes celebration, Battle of the Bands, Food truck, visible signs (luminaries, colorful umbrellas, outdoor art), outdoor mass
- Homework: Bring an event idea to next meeting

Closing Prayer was led by Chris Banks

Next Meeting is Monday, November 15th at St. Anne's at 7:00pm

Need volunteers for next meeting: opening prayer/closing prayer/taking notes

Submitted by: Laura Doherty