OLL Outreach Committee Meeting Minutes

May 10, 2022 6:00 pm

Present: Karen McCabe, Stevie Ritger, Bonnie Steffen, Kati Dimmer, Sara Boeck, and Leon Jacoby

Meeting opened with "My church is composed of people like me" prayer

We welcomed Kati Dimmer as our newly hired Parish Outreach coordinator. Her starting date is July 1. Kati brought up some ideas for the Parish that she has been thinking about. She suggested having a Mother/daughter event or with kids to make a potted Mary Garden. Each person brings their own pot and committee would provide the supplies. This might be best to hold next year around Mother's Day or during the month of May. Holy Hill would be good to visit in October. Kati had already checked into the cost of taking a group bus to The Lady of Good Help Shrine on June 15 or 16. The Relics of St. Bernadette will be there along with a day of events including a virtual Lourdes Pilgrimage. The cost was \$530 for a school bus. She will also find out what the cost of a coach bus is and check into getting approval for this. Maybe there is money left in our budget to defray some of the cost?

Gables on the Pond Rosary/Communion: Leon said things are going well on Wednesday mornings. Vernon is helping him out. They visit about 18 people there. Fr. Gideon does a Mass there on the 4th Wednesday. On Sunday there is a rotation of four different groups to take communion there.

Hospitality: May crowning went well. Maybe Mother's Day isn't the best Sunday to have hospitality. A lot of people left and did not stay for the hospitality. Next dates June 12 and July 10.

Fr. Gideon liked the Sacrament of Marriage pamphlet which Maddy Bemis had drafted and told her and Sara to talk to the office staff to get them printed.

We ended the meeting with writing out Ordination Anniversary cards to our past Parish Priests and Fr. Gideon. We are very thankful for our Priests and their years of service!

Meeting closed with prayer at 7:00 pm.

Next meeting: Tuesday, August 2, 6:00 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Karen McCabe, Secretary