

## OLL Outreach Committee Meeting Minutes July 18, 2023 6:00 pm

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

Stevie opened the meeting with a prayer thanking God for those present and a prayer of St. Francis.

Katie Dimmer reported on upcoming events:

- Vacation Bible school, Stellar – Shine Jesus' Light, will be next week at OLL
- Permission was granted from the Parish Council to have an open gym during the winter months. Chaperones will need to be safeguarded. Dates and times to be determined.
- Kids crafting events may be held after school at DS and on a weekend using the gym at OLL.
- Movie night where parents could drop kids off and have a night out. Adults would have to be safeguarded.
- Monthly craft nights will resume in the fall.
- Hoping to revive the sheepshead night.

Volunteers will be needed to help with the RL Family Fall Fest booth on September 30, from 11-4. This is the same weekend as the ham dinner.

Ways to incorporate Eucharistic Revival presentations with the different groups in the Parish is being looked at. There is a Jesus in the Eucharist video series that will be shared in the fall and another in the winter.

There was a discussion on ways to encourage the younger people in the Parish to join the committees. Maybe do a survey asking young families for ideas on how to make the Parish more welcoming and ways to serve them better.

The Catholic playgroup is going well. 8-10 kids have attended. Topics have all been good. Something is given to them to take home every time such as rosaries and trinkets found in the school. Designed for 2-5 years old. 4 sessions are left.

Hospitality will be on August 27.

Old business:

Nothing has been decided on hosting a sewing class for children. All adults would need safeguarding.

The quilting group has made about 100 dresses for the little dresses for Africa project. Woman size S and girls underwear are still needed to send along with the dresses.

New business:

It has been noticed that under the bulletin cluster Calendar of Events the Sunday Gables on the Pond Communion is missing and should be added.

Meeting closed with prayer at 6:50 pm.

Next meeting: Thursday, October 12, 6:00 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Karen McCabe, Secretary