

SNCP Stewardship Comm. In-person Mtg. Mon. 11/8/21, 6:30 pm-Notes as of 11-11

Attendance: Mike Short, SD (Chair), Mary Jo Bugembe, HN, Mary Karls, SD, Penny Maletzke, SC.

Members excused: Fr. Mark Brandl (Pastor), Bob Mair (Pastoral Council Liaison), SD, Pam Duessing SD

Guests: None

Open with Peace Prayer led by Mike Short

1. Formation/Reflection (prior to meeting)

- a. Committee was asked to review the 10/20 draft of stewardship bulletin articles thru. Dec. 12th.

2. Pastoral Council Liaison/Administrative/Chairperson Comments:

- Mary Jo gave a partial synopsis of the Parish Council meeting.
- Mike looked at Mass attendance figures, but only had figures for SD. Average October weekend totals dropped 28% compared to two years ago. He also noted that Sunday night Masses 2x/mo (in 2019), and Confirmation (at SD in 2021) had no significant affect on attendance totals for the regular Masses on those weekends. This ought to tell us something!

3. Ongoing Business.

a. Update & Discussion regarding T&T Sign up, Financial Drive, Promotions.

- i. Booklet: Lulu added a sentence pertaining to Hispanic details for some booklet items in Spanish version.
- ii. Mike observed that 75% of SD's English booklets were taken after the first weekend, but forms not so much. If there's a surplus at HN or SC, Mary Jo or Penny will bring some over.
- iii. Extra booklets and forms should remain available after Nov. 21st and could be kept in Usher Rooms. Office should also hand out to new members.
- iv. Homilies on Nov. 6/7 had a strong focus on T&T. Committee's presentations were well received.
 - v. Mary Karls suggested that the online sign-up for T&T have drop down boxes to allow for more options to volunteer. Current form only allows for six.
 - vi. Some changes were made to upcoming bulletin articles.
 - vii. Mass announcements should stress that everyone be encouraged to sign up, and mention that those who are already volunteering should also sign-up to keep our records current.
 - viii. Mike reported that Tom feels the sign up results should be able to be shared with committees and ministries in early Dec., and that the WeGather project is moving along as they are aiming to move the PDS data base of parishioner information to WeGather as soon as January.

b. Display for Friday Dec. 10

- i. We are to have a Stewardship table during the social in the SD PAC following the program, displaying T&T booklets and forms, and Faith Direct promotions. Couple members nearby.

4. Future meeting schedule, Closing prayer, Adjourn

- a. Next meeting: Monday Jan. 10th at 6 p.m. Agenda items: Planned Giving and 2022 Goals, including growing our committee.
- b. Meeting adjourned with prayer at 8:15 p.m.