

Parish Life Meeting Notes

March 9, 2020

The *January Potluck* after Saturday 4:30 Mass went well and was well attended. We will continue to do these as often as possible.

Lake Country Fest is March 14 at KMHS. If you are able to volunteer on that day, contact Teri Moseler.

Saturday Lenten Reflection Meetings are March 14, 21 & 28. Help is needed with the light supper on those dates – a sign-up sheet was passed around.

Dorothy Bennett has suggested having meals brought to the rectory when visiting priests are staying overnight. Discussion followed and the committee thought that would be a welcomed offer for the priests and felt we should follow up on that suggestion.

The 2nd annual *Celebration of Parish Life* is planned for Saturday, May 16th after the 4:30 Mass. This event replaces the Volunteer Appreciation Evening and includes all adult parishioners.

+ Tables will be set up in Clare Hall for food stations (Lori to oversee), craft beer & wine tasting (Don, Lynne & Danny to oversee), desserts (committee to make these), grasshoppers (Don & ?),

+ Judy Genthe & Jim Larson will bring their Blackjack tables; committee will provide other activities after discussing further next month.

+ *Genessee Ridge* will play from 5:30-9:00 with a one-half hour break around 7:00. They will be paid \$500.

+ During the time of the band's break, there will be a short program. This will include a thank you to all attendees for all they do to make our parish a vibrant community & any updates to share. Possibly consider having the chairperson of each committee give a brief overview of what their group has done this past year, etc. At the end Mary Jo would like to thank & recognize the many priests, staff, and parishioners who have been an important part of her position in the front office for almost 23 years. Retirement is planned for June 1st.

The next meeting is Monday April 13, 6:30pm.

Mary Jo Romportl

NOTE: Just a few days after this meeting, the COVID pandemic caused everything to be cancelled. Not knowing how long this will be, we will keep in touch via email. God bless!

Parish Life Committee Meeting

Monday, September 14, 6:30pm

Courtyard area at Parish Center/Clare Hall if raining

AGENDA

Members: Maureen Arndorfer, Skitch & Dorothy Bennett, Don & Joanne Burg, Danny & Lynne Claude, Judy Genthe, Lori Haizel, Carol Merkel, Randy & Susan Olejnik, Ruth Ann Rupert, Mary Steinbauer, Jim Steinhart, Kathy Van Duser, Kurt Weis, Josie Wollenhaupt

Council Liaison: Renee Gehring

Staff Liaison: Teri Moseler

Chairperson: Mary Jo Romportl

- + Prayer & Introductions - Welcome Kathy & Kurt! 15 min
- + Catch Up Time- share how you have been coping with the pandemic 15 min
- + Updates on parish since mid-March- review matrix together – Phase 2 begins today! 15 min
- + Given no social events until Phase 3, any suggestions on what we can do via email blast or video to be present to the parishioners? 10 min
- + *Celebration of Parish Life* cancelled in May, now the *Welcome Back Celebration* – this is the one social event we have committed to – keep with the original plan for now? 5 min
- + Any other new business 5 min

- + Next meeting dependent on when Phase 3 begins – MJ will keep in touch via email