

MoM/HC Pro-life Meeting
2/7/22
7 PM

Meeting opens with Prayer for Life.

New members welcomed!

Don Parker unavailable for Legislative Huddle.

Previous events:

MCCL Rally for Life at State Capitol - Jan. 22nd

- Tom Dunne attended
 - Most legislative reps were not there
 - 3 or 4 speakers came forward
 - Lots of people, and lots of kids bussed in

March for Life (Washington)

- Tens of thousands
- Capitol steps were covered with people, but media did not present it as a well attended event
- March was much more of a Celebration than in previous years
 - Hoping that next year will be a big celebration of the overturning of Roe v. Wade
- Fr. Schmitz from Duluth spoke - captured at EWTN

Precinct Caucuses

- Lee Deidrich attended in Roseville
- Tom Nevins attended in St Paul
- It will be important to make sure our pro-life candidates in the light
 - We should look for opportunities to back our pro-life candidate
 - Obtain more information from MCCL on candidates

Pro-Life Spaghetti Dinner

- 70 tickets sold
 - 60 attendees
- Speaker was well liked, MCs did great, the youth group did a great job too
- What we could have done differently: invite other parishes
- Date for 2023 Pro-Life spaghetti dinner will need to be cleared with parish office for next year.
 - Hoping to have Bishop Williams attend Pro-Life dinner next year

Upcoming Events:

Coffee & Donuts / Letter writing sessions - Feb. 19th & 20th

- Volunteers needed to sit at letter tables after masses
 - Volunteers verbally signed up at MoM/HC Pro-Life meeting - noted by Barbara Grundman

- Next letters will be to President Biden asking him to remember the lives of the most vulnerable, to try to focus on those most vulnerable when making policies.
- St. Rose of Lima would love to begin the Letter writing campaign too.
 - 3 of 4 other parishes have also been notified of this campaign and the help our Pro-Life committee could provide.
- Address, city, state need to be included inside envelopes as well as outside.
- There are also options for emailing forms/letters to the President's staff.

Holy Childhood bake sales

- Event will be in March
- Core women's group at HC will probably not need too much help.
- However, people could help by baking items and bring down on Saturday afternoon between 2-5:30 the weekend of the event
- More details to come.

Financials

- January, 2022 - \$3,317.00
 - Very generous parishioners

Extra Prayers

- Prayers prayers prayers - Pray for Scottsdale, AZ (February 11th -13th)
 - They'll be hosting the largest Satanic conference in the world - dedicating city to Satan

Holy Childhood will be putting on a women's event - details are in the bulletin from the week before (last weekend of January). Details could also be found on HC website.

Invitation to help with Valentines Day card-making/ letter folding/ labeling

Tom Nevins touched on hand-out about The Philomena House and gave additional information about what is needed, how grants are used, ect.

Reminder - Wednesday, March 2nd - Ash Wednesday

- 40 Days for Life will begin next day
- Thursdays, 5:30 pm - March for Life at Planned Parenthood

Next meeting will be March 7th 2022, 7:00 PM

Closing Prayer