

Stewardship Meeting Minutes 8-17-09

Attendees: Fr. Troncale, Deacon Youngman, Brusle Sherburne, Bobby McClure, Diane Schultz, Kathy Adams, Greg Herbek, Mark Sadie, Jan Florey, John Cloud, Tammy Tucker. All SC members were present!

The meeting opened shortly after 6 pm with a prayer led by Kathy. Bobby gave an update on the banners for placement around the church. They have been ordered and Bobby will set them up in preparation for this weekend's masses.

Brusle notified the SC that Becky Goff is looking for help in taking over many of the activities which she currently leads as part of Evangelization. Upcoming changes in her life will necessitate new leadership in many areas (apologetics, ecumenism, interfaith, parish mission, inactive Catholic outreach). The SC will continue to explore possibilities in this area; however, it was noted that some of these items fall under faith formation, and perhaps should fall under their departmental lead.

Final preparation of the ministry tri-fold for time and talent was discussed. Minor changes were noted. Jan will adjust the pamphlet and will print in coordination with the office.

Future consideration will be to place ministry "boards" on easel(s) in the vestibule and/or gallery; we will consider future "permanent" postings on boards currently being developed by Deacon Youngman.

John will check in with Kathryn Linn of the Welcoming Committee to take over the responsibilities of restocking info pamphlets in the vestibule. This was formerly done by Becky Goff.

Extensive debate on the timing and methods of this year's time and talent ensued. After much deliberation, it was decided that the SC will use this weekend (Aug. 22-23) to present the "Pillar of Fire" booklets to the congregation and prepare them for the following weekend for time and talent sign-up (Aug. 29-30). Speakers & "distributors" for each mass were prepared.

Tammy gave a budget update. Of the original \$3500, \$2509.30 remain. Recent expenditures include the "Pillar" booklet and expenses from welcoming socials.

Brusle presented the SC with the idea of utilization of a catholic apologetics info sheet (aka place mat).

The SC labeled the "Pillar" booklets in preparation for this weekends activities.

The next meeting will be Mon. Sept. 21, TBD.

The meeting closed at 7:50 pm with compline prayer by Father Troncale.