

Stewardship Committee Minutes

9-28-09 Meeting

Meeting held in Parish Conference Room

Attendees:

Brusle Sherburne	Bobby McClure	Fr. Charles Troncale
Diane Shultz	Kathy Adams	Jan Florey
Barbara Brienza (new)		

1. Opening Prayer – Fr. Charles
2. Recognized 2 new volunteers to the Stewardship Committee
Barbara Brienza (present) and Dr. Jim McLaughlin (not present). Brusle shared that he had talked with Dr. McLaughlin and he is currently on Parish Council and will assist as he can until his term is up (not much time to dedicate currently).
3. Time and Talent update:
 - A. Many , Many Thanks to Jan Florey for taking complete charge of collecting and collating all of the brochures as well as sending all of them to each Ministry Chair. Jan recognized and thanked Karen Franklin who was her right hand through the entire process.
 - B. Time & Talent trifolds
445 individual responses to date
 - C. Jan Florey mailed individual ministry volunteer lists to all ministry chairs and included a letter requesting a follow up call from each chair to all volunteers. A two week time limit was requested for this response and then a follow up to our committee. Stewardship Committee will then divvy up all names (chair persons and volunteers and committee’s without chairs) that have not been contacted and follow up directly.
 - D. There was an open item left on the sign up pamphlet listed as “**Call as Needed**”. This was for volunteers that may not have been able to decide which ministry to sign up for OR maybe were just interested to help with anything in general. There were 18 individuals that signed up for this. We decided to forward this list to each Ministry Chair as well as Phyllis DeHeck for assistance as needed.
 - E. NO Chair for the Senior Spirits Committee...but several individuals signed up to be a part. After much discussion we decided to take on this group and see if we can organize them. We selected Monday evening October 26th as a Pot Luck dinner for the group. Fr. Charles will announce event two weeks and one week prior and will also advertise in the bulletin. We will hold the event in the Parish Hall at 6:00. We will also make some sort of announcement and try to get a few Co-Chairs to take charge of a month at a time or some sort of organization. Stewardship Committee will represent and provide the drinks for this occasion.
4. New Business
 - A. Brusle shared a pamphlet from Sunday Visitor “10 questions most asked of Catholics”. This is something that follows our theme for the year very closely. Apologetics, we will invite Becky Goff to the next meeting to discuss farther.
 - B. Brusle also wants us to consider ordering the Catholic placemats (folding pamphlet that answers and indicates biblical references to most asked questions regarding the Catholic faith. Apologetics, to be discussed at next meeting.
 - C. Need for assistance in the Gift Shop following all masses (Fred Neighbors).
 - D. Need for cook at all life teen functions.

5. Closing prayer: Fr. Charles read nightly prayers

6. Next Meeting - **Wednesday October 28th @ 7:15 pm (location C.R.- following Mass)**

Invitations will be sent to Becky Goff, Kevin Ryan, LaVonne Maertens, Fred Neighbors and Phyllis DeHeck to attend next months meeting.

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