

St. Luke's Liturgy Committee Minutes

Jan. 7, 2021

Attendance: Karen Bishop, Cari Higgins, Fr. Ken, Deacon Fred, Gary Olson, Kyle Curran, Mike Otis, Dana Bastian, Seminarian Luke and Fr. James

The meeting opened in pray at 7:15pm. December minutes review and motioned by Mike Otis seconded by Gary Olson. December minutes – Approved

MINISTRY REPORTS -

Altar Servers - Father Ken and Deacon Fred: We will do refresher training in the spring before it is opened to the kids.

Eucharistic – Karen: Father has a few more people looking for training and he will get the names to Karen. Karen said hospitality helping with overflow has been a big help when the EM comes back into the church to do the back pews.

Hospitality/Cross Bearer – Dana: She will send a message out to folks to remind them to help EM's when there is gym overflow.

Lectors- Mike: Nothing new report. Lost one person and gained one person so he is net even.

Music & environment – Cari nothing to share.

Communications – Gary & Kyle: Problem with a speaker not coming on so the gym hasn't had good sound. Discussion on how to mount or fix it if it happens.

Items of discussion:

- Christmas recap: Mass attendance was down from previous years but much better than we anticipated.
- Take down decorations; Baptism of the Lord Jan. 10. Father said that they can come down before 6pm Mass on Sunday (1/10) evening. Maybe the trees down and the rest on Monday.

Upcoming events and discussion:

Father Ken gone on a retreat starting Feb 3rd until Feb 12th.

Ash Wednesday is Wed. Feb. 17. Masses will be noon and 6:30pm for Parish. School Mass is 8:30am. We have enough ashes but not sure how they will be dispersed this year with COVID. Mike Otis can burn more if necessary. More to come on this situation with guidance from the Diocese.

Stations of the Cross- We can have them but when? With COVID rules people would have to stay in the pews. Father will have a ZOOM meeting with the Deacons next week to discuss.

We will have and continue to do baptisms during Lent.

Right now, if someone wants to do an Easter egg hunt, they can. But need to be aware that this could change if the Diocese states differently.

Father Ken is doing the Divine Mercy (April 11th) again this year. Rose and Dana hopefully will do the singing again this year. Confessions at 2pm with Adoration with Divine Mercy at 3pm.

Dates of Holy Week - Palm Sunday, March 28; Holy Thursday, April 1 - 7:00 PM; Good Friday, April 2 - 7:00 PM; Easter Vigil, April 3 - 8:00 PM; Easter Sunday, April 4 – 2-8:30am Masses and 2-10:30am Masses.

Final prayer led by Father James. Meeting adjourned at 8:00pm.

Next Meeting – Feb. 4, 7:15 PM