## St. Luke's Liturgy Committee Jan. 6, 2022

**Attendance:** Cari Higgins, Fr. Ken, Deacon Fred, Mike Otis, Dana Bastian, Fr. James, Kyle Curran, Gary Olson and Deacon Alex

The meeting opened in pray at 7:15pm. December minutes Review and motioned by Mike Otis seconded by Cari Higgins. December minutes – Approved

## **MINISTRY REPORTS -**

Altar Servers – Starting this weekend! Father will schedule training the end of January. Nick will put it in the Wednesday newsletter and Father will have Misty put it in the Thursday school newsletter.

Eucharistic – They must still wear a mask. Father is still the only one to give communion on the tongue.

Hospitality/Cross Bearer – No news. We need people.

**Lectors** – Mike sent an email with new folks to Mike Roarty.

**Music & Environment** – Father will announce that poinsettias can be taken at Masses. Music stands are moved and Cari need 8 for the church. She is gathering a list of needed equipment to order. Do we need to order holy water bottles? Yes, but the Holy Water Font is also broken and needs to be fixed. Mike Otis will look at it.

**Communications, etc.** – Kyle will come up with a list of wish list items for the church.

## Items of discussion:

Christmas recap: 4pm (2 Masses) was about 900 people with standing room only in both, 6pm was full, 10pm lite like a Sunday evening Mass and Sunday morning only about 150 people. The 1<sup>st</sup> people to arrive for 4pm Mass was at 2:45pm. Decorations come down after 6pm Mass. The storage room will be in the orange classroom. Next year we need more Eucharistic Ministers: 6 in gym and 4 in church.

## **Upcoming:**

Ash Wednesday, Wed. March 2

Stations of the Cross: Yes, we will have them with evening prayer following. Pete is willing to play music. Deacon Fred is working on this for our parish.

Fish Fry: Father has heard nothing from the KoC.

Dates of Holy Week - Palm Sunday, April 10; Holy Thursday, April 14

Good Friday, April 15; Easter Vigil (with all the readings), April 16; Easter, April 17

We have plenty of ashes. Mike Otis will collect them

Divine Mercy Sunday will be advertised at OLIH and Father Michael will come for reconciliation so we will have 3 priests.

Father discussed the purchases he plans to make in Italy for our parish. Starting with red vestments and then green. We have about \$6K to spend. They will be shipped back.

Remember: : All evening Masses will be 6:30pm going forward for Holy Days/etc. Holy week will stay 7pm and Easter Vigil will be 8pm.

Next Meeting – Feb. 3, 7:15 PM