St. Luke's Liturgy Committee Minutes May 4, 2023

Attendance: Fr. Ken, Mike Otis, Karen Bishop, Gary Olson, Dana Bastian, Father Ryan, and Deacon Fred, Cari Higgins, and Ryan Sieberbrodt (Welcome Ryan!)

Absent: Kyle Curran

The meeting opened in pray at 7:15pm. Mike Otis approved the minutes from March and Gary Olson second. There was no meeting in April due to Easter week.

MINISTRY REPORTS

Altar Servers – Father opened training up to 3rd graders and trained many new kids.

Eucharistic Ministers – Several people trained already and some to follow up for more Mass details. Hospitality/Cross Bearer – We have some new people that have been trained.

Lectors – Mike trying to follow up with some people from Nick leads. Asking Nick to provide phone numbers for follow up.

Music & Environment – Cari ordered 250 (?) new missal books. The order had to be by June. Oxtoberfest will be the place we get the funds. Also, furniture for the secondary confessional (in the sacristy).

Communications, etc. – Kyle got the audio run to gym to help with the audio. Dana will speak to Mike about how to open the schedule for people that want to help but aren't in the actual ministry Home/Care Facilities: No report

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

- We only had ½ a bundle left of palms. Next year Father will order 1 more bundle.
- Holy Thursday next year, if Father Ryan does it, he will take off the cascabel.
- Ryan asked if we can we have servers that are seasoned help during Holy Week Masses.
- Veneration went much smoother with 2 rows and having the Deacons help move them along.
- The new candle holders are already in the church. We need to just order candles for next year.
- Divine Mercy will be at OLIH next year. About 150 people attended this year.
- Confirmation was last weekend.
- Upcoming:
- First Communion is coming up. This Sunday will be at 1pm and 3pm o'clock. And then May 21st at 1:30pm
- Red- Blue Mass is the 18th. No Adoration this year. Father will announce at Masses.
- Father Ryan asked if we would be open for a Corpus Christi procession next year. It would be May 30th in 2024. The canopy is the biggest item we would need to obtain. Could be done after the 10:30 Mass or early afternoon. Father James has the script which Father Ryan will get a copy.
- Liturgy takes the summer off and will resume in September.

Father Ryan closed the meeting with prayer. Meeting was adjourned at 7:53pm.

Next meeting is September 7, 2023 at 7:15pm