



Pastoral Council Zoom Meeting Wednesday December 2, 2020

Attendance: Members - Karen Linarelli, Frank Barancotto, Bruce Bauer, Janis Cantu, Keith Danon, Therese Flaningam, Rebecca Godina, Jack Hamlin, Teofla Rich, Judith Theisen, Stephen Williams, and Suzie Wydra.
Guests - None

Opening Prayer

The meeting opened with A Stewardship Prayer for Thanksgiving.

Update on Sacred Heart Masses:

- **Stephen** reported *more lights* are being added outside; there is a meeting scheduled for Wed 12/9/20 with Janice on how to *seat people at the Christmas masses*; Diocese indicated *no Advent Night*, instead will have *three extra confession evenings* scheduled so please spread the news; **Therese** reported that *Outdoor Masses* are expected to resume since San Diego County is going into total lockdown tomorrow due to Purple Tier per her daughter's friend.
- **Janice & Steve** not here to report.
- **Gregg & June** not here to report.
- **Teofla** reported that it is difficult for Mary Kay to *schedule Ministers* especially Hospitality Ministers; Ministers of Holy Communion did not get back up when unable to work; *need to replace yourself* if you cannot come.
- **Judy** reported *Bulletin Communication*: Publisher changed since it was sold to LPI; working with them on format; trying to solicit advertisers. **Keith** reported that advertisers pay for Bulletin; printing quality not as good as before. **Judy** following up with new company, use eco friendly paper and natural dyes.; rigid production deadlines, need info much sooner than before.
- **Bruce** reported *Advent Service Calendar* is in *Bulletin* and went out as *E-Blast* and put on *web site*.
- **Karen** reported that Vince continues to keep the *web site* current with new information and rearranges the Home Page as needed to accommodate any changes to content / process.
- **Janis** reported that a *pianist is needed* for Christmas 4pm Mass and weekend after Christmas on Sunday.
- **Deacon Mark** unable to attend meeting; *no Liturgy Comments* submitted.

Preschool

• **Rebecca & Suzie reported:** 1) *Preschool* going well; no problems so far; diligent with guidelines; so far ok; have four full classrooms.

Youth Group Activities

• **Pat submitted his report since he has Confirmation Class at the same time as Pastoral Council:** 1) *Youth Ministry*: Things are going well. Christmas tree sale is this coming weekend, sold 55 trees and more than 20 wreaths, in addition to wreaths and trees for troops! Glad we still had very good participation despite the Pandemic, figured people would still want a Christmas tree! 2) *General*: We've seen numbers drop a lot since being put in the purple tier. The purple tier is hard on everyone, and parents are nervous sending their kids anywhere in the purple tier. Hopefully we can get back to the red tier again soon! 3) *Confirmation*: Has been going well but because of the purple tier we can't meet all in person at the school, so we're hybrid tonight and hopefully can do it in the Hall again after New Year's so we can meet fully in person but have lots of space to spread out and be socially distant.

Religious Education Activities

• **Stephen reported:** 1) *RCIA*: Six members has now dropped to four. 2) *Adult Bible Study*: Two more weeks to go this year, then it will resume again in February 2021. 3) *Religious Ed*: More have signed up. 4) *Pre-School*: Good. 5) *Advent Program*: Went well with 27 attending including participants. 6) *Virtual Fun & Faith*: Planned for Saturday 12/19/20; Therese & Stephen involved, will send out info.

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Welcome Committee

• **Teofla reported:** Welcomed 2 additional new Parishioners over the last month; sent emails, ask about meeting before or after Mass; if no, deliver packet then follow up with phone call. One young lady would like to be a Lector; did registration and Diocesan Class; promised her a dinner at 3rd Corner; very faith filled person. Seeing younger group as new parishioners.

Community Dinner / Other Reports

• **Jack reported:** 1) **Community Dinners:** Increased need for food for Pantry; 100 individual meals served for Thanksgiving; 10 turkeys went out to feed about 60 more. Bali Hai, Steve & Janice plus others all contribute. One volunteer tested positive for coronavirus; Steve & Janice, Theresa Bagg, others following up. Email from Fr. Tom to go to every other Tuesday for Community Dinners; increase in meal needs. 2) **Flu Shot Clinic:** Contacted Health Department; Janice to help with parking lot. **Covid Vaccine Clinic** (no use of stem cells) to be added when available. 3) **Two Facebook / OB Pages:** information. 4) **Donations Needed:** Increased need therefore increased donations needed: pop top canned goods; Bali Hai pulled turkey sandwiches; San Diego Food Bank has more of what is needed; Routine for Tuesday is warm meal for day, then Thursday is left overs; Rest of time is canned goods, Einstein Bagels, cookies, etc.

Liturgy Committee / Altar & Rosary Society

• **Judy reported:** 1) **Liturgy Committee** - Planning **Masses for December**. **Immaculate Conception** is 12/8/20, includes general blessing of sick. **More lights** outside thanks to Janice & Steve. **Christmas Masses:** expecting more people. 2) **Altar & Rosary Society** - **Therese reported** she is making the **SH Christmas Ornaments**; cost is \$10, showed sample ornament, E-Blast to go out and information to be on web site; hopes to sell on web site. Therese has enough fabric to make about 5 **more masks**, sells for \$5 each.

Bereavement & Grief / Other Issues

• **Karen reported for Janice:** 1) **Angel Wings for All Souls** - Went well, had over 100 wings on tree; will use wings in art project, so can preserve names on wings. 2) **All Souls Candles** - Had 13 candles for procession at mass 11/1/20; these were on display for month of November, then family took home. 3) **Thanksgiving Meals** - Delivered 20 meals to Seniors on Thanksgiving Day; will do again for Christmas; please turn in any names you have. 4) **Christmas Wreaths** - Instead of wreaths for Memorial will be selling 30 poinsettia to decorate patio for Christmas; taking orders now.

Roundtable

• **Stephen reported** that Fr. Tom is currently at his sister's for his 4-8 week recovery following his latest procedure; he has an MD appointment this Friday for further updates.

Closing Prayer

The meeting closed with a prayer and blessing from Stephen.

Next Meeting

Next meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday January 27, 2021 via ZOOM.**