St. Isidore Cluster Liturgy Meeting

Tuesday, October 14, 2014 at Stacyville Approved Minutes

Meeting called to order by Fr. Burkle at 6:40 p.m. Opening prayer led by Fr. Burkle.

Attendance: Fr. Burkle, Annette Uker, Karen Thome, Jean Bensend, Mary Ann Klapperich, Anita Adams, Barb Brumm, and Linda Stefl.

Anita Adams moved the April minutes be approved with the correction of changing Mary Ann Klapperich to Therese Johnson as their names were interchanged. Jean Bensend seconded. Motion carried.

Elections:

- Chairperson; Linda Stefl nominated Jean Bensend. Karen Thome seconded. Jean Bensend moved nominations cease. Jean Bensend elected by consensus.
- Vice-chair: Jean Bensend nominated Karen Thome. Mary Anne Klapperich seconded. Linda Stefl moved nominations cease. Karen Thome elected by consensus.
- Secretary: Jean Bensend nominated Linda Stefl. Mary Klapperich seconded. Anita Adams moved nominations cease. Linda Stefl elected by consensus.

Old Business: Discussion was held concerning Liturgy budgets. We will look at previous spending for Liturgy items and plan a budget for the following year in February.

New Business:

- Gluten free hosts: Annette researched the longevity of gluten free hosts. They stay fresh for 6 months non-refrigerated and 1 year refrigerated.
- Lectors: We will continue using 2 readers at each Mass. However, 1 reader is fine if readers become scarce, or if substitutes can't be found.
- Baptisms: Beth Hoppel has prepared a form for confirmation sponsors to fill out in order to assure church guidelines are being followed in the selection of sponsors. Fr. Burkle is looking into preparing a similar form for baptismal sponsors.
- Purificators: We still have noticeable wine stains on the purificators. Need to remind the Eucharistic ministers to be careful when wiping the cups.
- EM training: A commission of current and new Eucharist ministers will be held during Mass on November 22/23. Training sessions for those ministers will be held after Mass on the same weekend.
- Special Masses/Events: Fr. Burkle is considering the following and will set times later:
 - o All Saints Day is on a Saturday and is not a holy day of obligation. He will decide if he is going to have a separate Mass.
 - o Thanksgiving Day: alternating parishes each year
 - December 8, The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary: This is a holy day of obligation. Fr. Burkle is considering a morning and evening Mass on that Monday.
 - o November 30 : Communal Reconciliation

- Advent: Use Heritage Mass and follow procedures from the previous year.
- Server Training: Training for current and new Mass servers will be held on October 12 at Visitation and October 22 & 29 at Sacred Heart
- Christmas Mass Schedule:
 - o December 24: 4:00 at Visitation
 - o December 24: 4:00 at Sacred Heart
 - o December 25: 8:30 at Visitation
 - o December 25: 10:30 at Sacred Heart
 - o December 26: No Mass
- New Year's Mass Schedule:
 - o December 31: 8:30 at Visitation
 - o December 31: 5:15 at Sacred Heart
 - o January 1: 8:30 at Visitation
 - o January 1: 10:30 at Sacred Heart
- Christmas Season ends on January 11: Baptism of the Lord

Next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 13 at 6:30 p.m. in Osage.

Jean Bensend moved the meeting adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.