

Worship Commission Minutes - February 19, 2014

Present: Jill D., Barb G., Mary H., Michael K., Cary A., Pamela M., Arlys K., Corey E., Rose Ann B.

Staff Representative: Jay H.

Opening Prayer

We welcomed newest member Rose Ann and officially met Corey E.

Topic: Finalized Worship Mission Statement

It is the mission of the Worship Commission to provide direction and support for worship ministers and ministries in ways that increase, enhance and encourage active participation in worship by all members of the parish community.

Topic: Columbarium

This is a multilayered project. Other Commissions involved: Administrative Services Commission and the Finance Commission – cemetery sub-committee. At this time, no input is needed from the worship committee.

Topic: Replacement of hymnals in church, chapel & school

Sub-committee will be formed to look at various options and come up with a new hymnal for approval. Jill, Cary, Mike, Arlys and Jay will serve on the sub-committee and invite others from outside of the worship commission to help. Screens in the sanctuary and a St. John's app were discussed as supplements to the Mass leaflet. More discussion is needed.

Topic: Ushers

Corey is looking at implementing a training program for the ushers that would outline their specific duties. Looking at a dress code, as well as, some sort of identification that would best represent St. John's. Corey will bring different options to a future meeting.

Topic: Ministry Fair – March 15/16

Jill will send out an email for commission members to sign up to represent the worship commission before and after all Masses. Jay will provide the display materials for the tables.

Topic – It was brought up about how we welcome new parishioners and introduce them to the parish. This would fall under the Stewardship Commission.

Topic: PLC report from Cary

First meeting was an introductory meeting: nothing to report.

Next Meeting:

How can we attract new parishioners?

Discuss the possibility (pros and cons) of having the new Ignite youth Mass more often.

Closing prayer