

Worship Commission Minutes

December 1, 2015 @ 6:30p

Annunciation - Rm#105

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Minutes:

1. Opening Prayer: Deb Wood
2. Attendance: Susan Wirtala, Audrey Conard, Chris Kust, Tammy Maus, Jammie Wagnitz, Deb Wood, Jennifer Poehlmann, Karen Selissen
3. Approval of Minutes from October / November: APPROVED
4. Approval of Agenda: APPROVED
5. Quad Parish Mission Statement
 - a. **Find Home, Hope and Holiness**
 - i. **“We are a family of believers from four unique Catholic Parishes providing Home through community, Hope in the Living Presence of Christ, and Holiness witnessed to the world.”**
 1. Live the mission statement @ every mass
 - b. set 3 yr goals for our commission
 - c. focus on everything flowing to, through and back to the Eucharist
6. HOME - ideas for future years...
 - a. bring an ornament to mass to be blessed before decorating the tree at home
 - b. bring a Christmas decoration from home to be blessed before putting it up at home
 - c. purchasing the candles and ring (can place own wreath on it) for sale at churches
 - d. create handmade wreaths
7. Past Liturgical Events
 - a. Memorial Services
 - i. Any unclaimed candles can be returned to the Quad Parish office.
 - ii. Annunciation - all reported to have gone well.
 - iii. St. Joseph - all went well.
 - iv. St. Jude
 1. We had roughly 60-70 people attend the service. About half stayed for the social. Things to note:
 2. * as you know Marcia was not able to attend - Sister Agnes and Barb K split the reading and intentions.

3. * Therese Denissen did the candle lighting.
 4. * We did not have anyone to unlock the doors until Marie from the choir did so. She was a little miffed that no one notified her.
 5. * Rheda Jelen brought a tray of cookies and oranges, Therese brought pretzels, nuts and trail mix, I brought cookies as well. So with the trays we had plenty of food. Nancy VanBeek took the left overs for faith formation kids on Wednesday.
 6. * question came up - what are we to do with the candles that are left after the service? There was many thoughts on this.... Let me know what should be done.
 7. * Special thanks to all that helped Nancy VanBeek, Sister Agnes, Barb Klika, Terry Klingbeil, Therese Denissen and you.
 8. * We received many compliments re: services, choir arrangements and social.
- v. St. Patrick
1. The service was fine. A small turnout but everyone seemed quite appreciative and grateful for the service. Karen's daughters did a great job. Most everyone stayed for the social and there was plenty of food for all. Karen and I will be much better prepared for next year's service.
 2. The untaken candles are in their box on the sacristy counter.
 3. Were the families contacted by phone prior to the service or how were they contacted?
 - a. by written invitation
 4. It might be nice to somehow gracefully invite the families to come back to worship at St. Pat's in the future, that we'd love to welcome them. A warm and heartfelt invitation, you know.
- b. Thanksgiving Ecumenical Service
- i. Minimal QP parishioners who attend (like 6) - need more advertising at the QP! about 60 attended from other churches
- c. Thanksgiving Day Mass
- i. @ St. Patrick's this year. Small but nice. Mostly St. Pat's parishioners.
- d. book change over
- i. St. Joseph - done by Environment committee
 - ii. St. Patrick - done by combination crew
 - iii. St. Jude - done by Choir crew
 - iv. Annunciation - done by Environment committee
- e. 1st Week of Advent
- i. St. Joseph puts the hay in the stable for the first week, has the hay blessed and then puts small bags of hay out for parishioners to take home and put in their creche
 - ii. St. Jude will move forward with this for the 2nd week of Advent.
 - iii. St. Patrick looking for information on additional decoration in the church and when that might occur.
 - iv. Annunciation has wreath up, more to come.
8. Future Liturgical Events
- a. Feast of the Immaculate Conception - Dec 8th
 - b. Dedication to the Holy Family
 - i. warm introduction / announcement / blessing
 - c. Christmas
 - d. Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God
9. Lent - HOPE
- a. leaning toward 1 calendar to include all lenten services, events and masses
 - i. Deb Wood volunteered to put the calendar together.
 1. All event info to be given to Deb by December 20th.
 2. Draft will be available by January 5th
10. Idea to utilize a monthly Stuffer and Calendar of events and masses at the QP
11. Worship Commission Mission statement/Worship Commission Handbook (to be revisited during ordinary time)
- a. What is our mission statement? What do we strive for as a commission?

- i. "creatively inspiring liturgy"
- ii. enhance and deepen the experience of the Eucharist

12. Closing prayer: Deb Maus

Prayer Leader:

- a. Tammy Maus - January
- b. Jeannine Mielke - February
- c. Audrey Conard - March
- d. Jammie Wagnitz - April
- e. Pat Dennison - May

13. Next Meeting: January 5, 2015

- a. Prayer: Tammy Maus

14. Adjournment

Worship Calendar July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2016				Location			
Event	Date	Day	Comments	Ann	Joe	Jude	Pat
The Feast of All Saints	11/1/2015	Sun	regular weekend Mass schedule				
Memorial Service (Feast of All Souls)	11/2/2015	Mon		6:30p	6:30p	6:30p	6:30p
Thanksgiving Ecumenical Service	11/25/2015	Wed		7:00p			
Thanksgiving Day Mass	11/26/2015	Thurs	no other am mass that morning				9:00a
Feast of the Immaculate Conception	Dec 8th	Tue		6:00p		12:00p	8:00a
Advent Holy Hour	12/10/2015	Thurs		7:00p			
Christmas Eve Mass	Dec 24th	Thurs		4:00p	4:00p	4:00p	4:00p
Christmas Day Mass	Dec 25th	Fri		8:00a	10:30a	10:00a	9:15a
Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God	Dec 31st	Thurs					5:30p
Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God	Jan 1st	Fri		10:00a			
Throat Blessing - Feast of St. Blaise	1/31/2016	Sun	both Sat & Sun	@ wknd mass			
Ash Wednesday	2/10/2016	Wed		8:00a	7:00p	12:00p	5:30p
Lenten Holy Hour	2/11/2016	Thurs		7:00p			
Stations of the Cross	2/11/2016	Thurs		6:30p			
Stations of the Cross	2/25/2016	Thurs			6:30p		
Stations of the Cross	3/3/2016	Thurs				6:30p	
Stations of the Cross	3/10/2016	Thurs	<i>trying out a noon time for this</i>				12:00p
St. Patrick Celebration - Mass & Dinner	Mar 17th	Thurs	<i>details tbd</i>				5:30p
Paschal Meal - Mass & Meal	3/23/2016	Wed	<i>details tbd</i>				5:30p
Holy Thursday	3/24/2016	Thurs		6:30p			
Good Friday	3/25/2016	Fri				12:30p	1:00p
Tenebrae	3/25/2016	Fri				6:30p	
Easter Vigil	3/26/2016	Sat			7:30p		
Easter Sunday	3/27/2016	Sun		8:00a	8:30a	8:00a	9:15a
				10:00a	10:30a	10:00a	
Anointing Mass	4/19/2016	Mon				1:00p	
May Crowning	5/4/2016	Wed					6:00p