

Liturgy Meeting Minutes
June 4, 2011

People are not attending meetings. At first its full, then they seem to drift away. Seems like Sunday mass & contributions is enough. We need to be an example to community. Need to teach them, but you can't teach people who don't want to come. Need to get motivated like adults and encourage people to get involved.

Divine Mercy – 150 people attended. Maybe alternate between English & Spanish on Rosary and Stations of the Cross

RCIA – Julian Razo will be baptized, confirmed, and 1st Communion on July 3rd (visiting priest) at 9:30 a.m. mass. Had 2 adults complete class – Rita Cundieff and John O'Connor for Confirmation.

Altar Society – was a lot of work to decorate church for Lent – Church, candles on the altar and the tomb for Holy Thursday was beautiful. Meditation of the Last Words of Christ (12-3 p.m.)-Prayer & Reflection.

Members are getting older, need to recruit younger members. Making rosaries at home for (homebound, nursing homes, 1st Communion children).

May Outing – Only 4 members went

Altar Society Duty – having trouble getting members to clean altar. Meetings will change to Heavens Way.

Father suggested taking inventory of items upstairs by the Bell. Wants Easter candle to be recycled and to make candles.

Music – Joyce not present. Marilyn filled in for her. Talked about Ordinary Time (Mass of Light) Sing Praise & Thanksgiving - #109- music & words. Bishop suggested Mass of Creation with same melody. Chant Mass – 3 mass settings. Chant is fine fine with him as long as Mary agrees.

Altar Server – have been having better attendance – need to be rewarded (party).

Lectors/EM's – Rosemary – working on Spanish guidelines for lectors/Em's. Losing people have- have no training schedule set. Have 14 for Communion /Homeland.

Can't give blessing but can say God be with you. Take Communion on Sun. to HB after 9:30 a.m. mass only. Had 10 people on training.

Ushers/Greeters – are doing a good job.

Guadalupanas – Feast of Guadalupanas – 12/11 have a procession before noon mass 12/12 Mon. – Las Mañanitas at 6 a.m. followed by mass. Fundraiser on Feb. 19th, Sept. 16th after 9:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. masses.

Sacristan – Not doing inventory in sacristy. Someone needs to work with him.

June 26 – Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Need a slower procession; cross bearers need to slow down. Chris/Richard need to be contacted for person in charge of procession. Rosemary will obtain a permit from the City of Freeport and contact altar servers and acolytes. Organizations can bring banners. Noemma & Mary need to organize music for the procession.

Question for Father: Do we need to put out bulletins before weekend masses? Seems too many people are reading them during mass and not paying attention.

The next Liturgy Meeting will be held on Saturday, July 9, 2011 at 10 a.m. in the conference room.