2/3/18 Liturgy minutes @ SMC Parish Hall 10:00- 11:30 Opening Prayer:    Feast of St. Blaze; Blessing of the throats by Fr. Leo

Attending: Fr. Leo, Patty Larzelere, Fr. Felicjan, Deacon Tim Hebding & Therese, Maggie Turner-Reed & Anna & David Hurley, Shelly Maciejewski, Bob Coombs, Joanne Donovan, Rose Jensen, Martina Agona

Absent: Ann McMullen & Phyllis Macig

12/30 Minutes: Approved as corrected.

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| Introductions | Martina and Joanne are new reps. (Joanne replacing Bob Coombs. Thanks for your service, Bob!) |
| Ash Wednesday, 2/14 | Never a holy day, but always well attended.  Times and locations for **distribution of ashes only** are 9:30 @ St. Mike’s and 7 PM Ecumenical service @ St. Jan’s. Mass & Ashes as follows:  8 AM @ St. Jan’s, Noon & 5 PM @ St. Mike’s, 5 PM @ St. Pat’s, 7 PM @ St. Theresa’s. |
| Operation Rice Bowl | On Ash Wednesday all money collected at the Masses will kick off this almsgiving experience.  Materials for parishioners have been available for the previous 2 weekends. Patty has posted the video links for the weekly greeting of families highlighted on the website.  There is also a Stations of the Cross highlighting the needs of the poor. |
| Bread & Soup Suppers | 6 Fridays in Lent, but only 4 locations!  2/16 & 3/16 are scratched. Terri offered to coordinate the one at St. Jan’s on 2/23.  St. Pat’s will host on 3/2 in addition to their annual St. Pat’s dinner fundraiser on 3/17.   St. Mike’s will host on 3/9. St. Theresa’s will host on 3/23. This schedule along with Adoration and Reconciliation opportunities will be on a flyer in an upcoming bulletin. |
| Day of Penance & Mercy, 3/14 | Noon - 2 @ St. Pat’s, Noon – 5:30 PM at Mike’s, 2:30 -7 @ Jan’s, 6-7 PM @ St. Theresa’s.  Yard signs were distributed to representatives to be put up after Ash Wednesday services. |
| Additional Reconciliation Services | On Good Friday at Mike’s & Jan’s from 1-2 PM.  Remind parishioners that if Saturdays are not convenient, appointments with the priests can be made.  More catechesis needed re sacrament & vs. relativism. |
| Pet Supplies Cupboard | PY’s Living Well asks all PY area churches to ask parishioners to contribute on 2/24-25. |
| Boy & Girl Scout Sunday, 2/25 | PY Troop leader, Jen Clancy asks that we incorporate this into the 9:30 Mass.  She has Scout volunteers who will act as greeters, lectors, musicians, altar servers and gift bearers.  A blessing will be offered by the priest at the end of Mass. Patty to dig out the list of considerations and blessing used last year.  Was asked to share it with reps from other worship sites, as well. |
| Holy Week - Palm Sunday | Palms have been ordered.  Same Mass schedule as always.  Red binders in place? Need 2 readers. |
| Chrism Mass | Time & Terri will again attend this year and bring the new oils for distribution. |
| Seder Supper | Not this year.  Will put more energy into Divine Mercy Sunday, instead. |
| Triduum  Holy Thursday    Good Friday  Holy Saturday  Easter Morn | Begins with morning prayer @ 8 AM @ Jan’s & Mike’s.  7 PM Mass of the Last Supper at both these locations.  Encourage people to bring bells to ring during the Gloria.  Anna to report who Connie Murphy has gotten as Lectors for Mike’s.  Terri will get them & altar servers for St. Jan’s. 4 Altar servers needed as Candle Bearers (2), Cross Bearer & Thurifer.  Patty will ask Carrie Tette to work on this. Also needed: 3 people to bring forward the oils (Chrism, Catechumens & Healing) (Patty?) & 12 people to get feet washed. Adoration in Chapel following.  Begins with morning prayer @ 8 AM @ Jan’s & Mike’s.  3 PM Service. 2 readers & 2 altar servers needed. Musically should be very different from other services.  No organ. Acapella singing. Can we find an oboist, cellist or violinist?  **Vigil practice** @ 10 AM, includes lectors (1 from each site who can also bring a gallon container to take new water back to respective sites), altar servers, 2 Candidates & their sponsors and 3 Catechumens and their sponsors.  Decorating can begin at that time.  **The Vigil Mass**:  All worship sites need to have the Baptismal Font prominently in the Sanctuary by Easter morning.  Choir should be composed of members from all worship sites. Rose to sing the Exultet. Encourage parishioners to bring bells to ring during the Gloria.  Begins at 7:30 with the fire outside. Denis & Shelly to provide the grill, wood and starter & extinguisher. Get people in before lighting candles. Patty to ask Mary Jepsen to coordinate reception afterward.  A 7 AM Mass will be available at St. Mike’s, in addition to the regular Mass schedule. |
| **Spring Liturgies**  Divine Mercy Sunday  1st Holy Communion  Pentecost    Fr. Felicjan’s vacation  Closing the Year of the Eucharist | @ St. Mike’s on 4/8.  Exposition (half hour signups for parishioners **at all sites**) to follow the 9:30 Mass until Benediction at 3 PM, at which time the Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed.  5/13 (Mother’s Day) in PY @ 9:30 Mass  5/20 (Pentecost) in Naples @ 10 AM  5/20.  All worship sites to find a banner to add to the entrance procession.  Ask all parishioners to wear red, orange or yellow. See if speakers of other languages would offer the Our Father in their native tongues.  (Fr. Felicjan to offer it in Polish at whichever worship sites, if no one else found there?)  (5/19, 5 PM:  Mike’s: Sheryl Ann Mineses (Tagalog); \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ St. Jan’s  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  (5/20: Who from the other worship sites? Ask Nancy Richardson to ask a Hispanic worshipper from Mike’s for the 9:30?  From 4/23-5/23.  Mass coverage has been arranged.  On the weekend of the Feast of the Body & Blood of Christ, 6/2-3.  MEMBERS, please bring ideas about this to the next meeting. Some already offered:  Make sure there is a procession with Incense, bells and covering. Provide hospitality after each Mass? |
| Next meeting | 3/2, 10 AM SMC Hall |

Closing Prayer by Fr. Felicjan