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| **Session Objectives:** | Location: St. John’s Office Room “D” | **Meeting Date**: 11/12/2013 |
|  | Participants:Connie Caruso (consercar@gmail.com) – Chair PersonSteve Gross (sgross@stephengross.com)Marilyn Rice (mrice576@aol.com)Scott Steinke (ssteinke@stjohnwc.org)Charles Lane (charleroy26@yahoo.com) | Michele Roedl (mroedl@zoomtown.com)Mike Dailey (mdailey@stjohnwc.org)Rita Abbas (rabbas@fuse.net)Father Don (dwest@stjohnwc.org)John Doerger (jdorger@fuse.net)XXXXX - Missed the meeting |
| **Meeting Accomplishments / Agreements / Notes:** |
| **Reflection / Opening Prayer (All):** |
| **Music Ministry (Mike):*** Membership up in all groups but still actively recruiting. Need more instrumentalists.
* Praise ensemble off to great start. Have 2 guitarists and would like a bassist and drummer.
* Plan to use same songs at all masses.
* Advent Lessons and Carols here at St. John on December 5.
* Hosting Archdiocesan Children’s Festival on Saturday, February 28 at 2:30pm
* Participating in Easter Hymn Festival at 7:30pm on Sunday, April 19 at St. Max.
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| **New Daily Mass Times (All):*** Positive reception to addition of evening Mass, although those who attended 6:30am Mass are disappointed.
* Evening Mass is well-attended. Regularly have 20 – 35 people.
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| **“Be Christ to One Another” (All):*** Parish theme will be used from 2014 – 2016. Allows ample time to implement many ideas to incorporate theme.
* Use for ideas for Bulletin Blurbs during Advent and Lent.
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| **Adoration (All):*** Difficult to get attendance throughout evening, particularly during Advent.
* One hour following Stations of the Cross was well-received during Lent.
* For Advent, have a one hour Adoration following one of the Tuesday night Masses and one following the Thursday morning Mass.
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| **Advent/Christmas (All):*** Worship opportunities already published for Advent.
* Feast of All Saints is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year. Will have a Mass on Saturday morning at 9am.
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| **2015 Meeting Dates (All):** * Will be second Tuesday of January, April, August and November.
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| **New Candlesticks for Sanctuary (All):** * Current candlesticks have considerable water damage.
* Plan to replace all 4 candlesticks as well as Paschal Candle holder.
* Total cost will be ~$11,000. Currently have raised about $2000. Will not use a second collection to raise money.
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| **Other Business (All):** * Fundraiser – Sell bricks again for Prayer Garden.
* Altar Attendant training – 7 new kids.
* Scott to review Time & Talent Sheets for need for additional training.
* Good response to change from nursery to cry room. Being used regularly at all Masses
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| **CLOSING PRAYER (All):** * The Lord’s Prayer was said.
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| **Follow-up Action:** | **Date** | **Responsible** |
| * Send the minutes to the team for review and posting.
* Write Bulletin blurb on parish theme in Advent.
 | 10/17/201411/15/2013 | MarilynJohn (?) |
| * Review Time and Talent Sheets.
 | 1/11/2014 | Scott |
| **Next Meeting Topic Thoughts:*** Review of Advent/Christmas
* Planning for Lent
 | **Next Meeting Schedule:**Date: 1/13/2015Time: 7:00 PM to 8:30 PMProcess: Face to Face Meeting |