

Social Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: August 28, 2023 - Monday

Time: 6:00 P.M.

Location: POP Conference Room



Catholic Community

Attendees: Carla D., Joe D., Judy G., Janet L., Ken M., Joann M., Karen K., Helene R., Mary P., Jerry D., Linda D., Deacon Jeff

1. Opening Prayer

2. Welcome Back!

- a. New member: Ashley Johnson
- b. Members stepping away: Mary Jo Feller, Jackie Goral

3. Selection of Officers

- a. Chairperson – Janet Lotto
- b. Vice-Chairperson – Helene Rosner
- c. Secretary – Karen Krey

4. Deacon Jeff gave an overview of the building project. He let us know that the Fellowship Hall will be unavailable from late January to May 1, as all of the staff offices will be moving into the Fellowship Hall during this time to allow for the remodeling of the office area. This will impact several of our events: Coffee & Rolls from February-April and the Lenten Fish Dinners will not be held in 2024.

5. Coffee & Rolls Sundays – Ken & Joann M., Janet L.

- a. Coffee & Rolls Sunday will be held once per month and not on a set Sunday each month.
- b. Ken scheduled dates with the office, Joann will do the ordering.
- c. Currently ordering 20 dozen rolls (but will adjust this amount as needed) and the following: 5 dozen cookies, 1 white & 2 chocolate milk, 2 large apple juice, gluten free bars, 1 bag apples, 1 bag orange Cuties, string cheese -2 bags of 24
- d. Scheduled dates on the parish calendar (dates limited this year due to construction:
 1. September 10, 2023 – ordering 22 dozen as it is the first C&R Sunday!
 2. October 8, 2023
 3. November 12, 2023
 4. December 3, 2023
 5. January 7, 2024
 6. May 5, 2024
- e. Signups for volunteers will be sent through Flocknotes

6. Lenten Fish Dinners – Jim A.

- a. This event will not be held in 2024 as the Fellowship Hall will not be available due to the building project. Event will resume in 2025!!

7. Christmas Flower Sale – Janet L.

- a. November 25 & 26, 2023
- b. Scheduled on parish calendar
- c. Event Planning Form completed and submitted 5/25/23
- d. Order same numbers as last year except fewer wreaths
- e. Sign-ups for volunteers will be sent thru Flocknotes

7. Christmas Cookie Walk – Janet & Carla

- a. Date is December 16, 2023
 1. Dec. 15 – Setup 12 P.M. – 1 P.M.
 2. Dec. 15 – Drop off 12 P.M. – 5 P.M.
 3. Dec. 16 – Continue setup 7 A.M. – 8 A.M.
 4. Dec. 16 – Sale from 8 A.M. – 11 A.M.
 5. Dec. 16 – Clean-up 11 A.M. – 11:30 A.M.
- c. Scheduled on the parish calendar
- d. Event Planning Form completed and submitted 5/25/23
- e. Advertising
- f. Cookies & candy priced by the pound - \$8 per pound
 - a. No fudge
- g. Visit with Santa – 8:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M.
- h. Scrip will be sold during event
- i. Proceeds to benefits POP Youth Programs
- j. Continue planning at November meeting

8. New items:

- a. Parish Council has made changes to the committee organizational structure
 1. Currently Social is under the Community Life umbrella.
 2. Recommendation at 6/22/23 Parish Council meeting was to change Community Life to Parish Life.
 3. Parish Life will now include: Spring Auction, Parish Picnic, Social and Welcoming Committee
 4. Parish Life will meet approximately 4 times a year and will have a representative on the Parish Council.
 5. Waiting for more direction from Parish Council.
- b. Jingle, Mingle
 1. Set for January 6, 2024
 2. Social Committee to provide hospitality like last year after the 4:30 Mass
 3. Sign-ups for volunteers will be sent through Flocknotes
- c. Holy Thursday Pot Luck – Mary Prickette
 1. Family event prior to Holy Thursday Mass.
 2. Idea explained and had a positive response from all members.
 2. Due to building project, this event is tabled for now. We will bring back for discussion next fall to plan for Holy Thursday, 2025.

8. Next meeting date changed to: TUESDAY - November 7, 2023, 6:00 P.M., Fellowship Hall

10. Closing prayer!

11. Minutes respectfully submitted by: Karen Krey