

Unapproved Minutes
St. Nicholas Parish Worship Committee
October 3, 2023

Members: Fr. Robert Chinnapan, Deacon Gary Vanness, Melanie Lewin, Jim Newhouse, Bob Schommer, Judy Ver Bust, Carol Vosters, Karen Court, Kelly Bekkers-Graham, Glenda Sayler

Opening Prayer – Deacon Gary
Review of Previous Minutes - Approved
Review of Agenda

Discussion Items:

- Pastor's Comments – none

Old Business

- Pastoral Council has set the mass times for the upcoming Christmas season.
 - Christmas Eve – December 24, 2023**
4 pm and 9 pm – Fr. Robert both Masses
 - Christmas Day _ December 25, 2023**
7 am and 10:30 am – Fr. Robert both Masses
- Other upcoming mass time that were discussed are as follows”
 - All Saints' Day – November 1, 2023**
1:30 pm school Holy Day Mass – Fr. Robert
5:45 pm Mass – Fr. Chad Everts (RE Students will attend)
 - All Souls' Day – November 2, 2023**
8:15 - Daily Mass – Fr. Robert
5:45 – Liturgy of the Word with Deacon Gary. Cemetery Procession, candles and other details need to be planned. Jim will check with Lee and Lisa Van Camp on details from the past years.
 - St Nicks Day** – is usually celebrated on the Sunday following December 6th, which would be December 10th. We are checking to see if the school will be putting anything on for that, the social committee is not planning anything for that date.
- Karen Court reported that she attended the Proclaimers of the Word Workshop and that it was very good! All members in attendance have signed up for any workshop pertaining to them.
- Adult formation update by Karen Court indicated that she has been trying to coordinate this with Jennifer Jochman and Pat Austin, but it is still in the works. They are hoping to be able to have ready to go for advent season.
- Kelly is making hymnal inserts for the music selections before and after communion. She will prepare a demo for pastoral council review and approval.

- There is an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion training on November 7th at St. Pius X from 6:15 – 7:45. The November 7th meeting has been changed to November 6th starting at 6:30 pm. Many who are Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at St. Nicholas will be at St. Pius X for the workshop.
- Father would like all worship members to register for the Entrust Retreat at St. Nicholas on Nov. 10th and 11th. Register asap if not already signed up.

New Business:

- Any business on switching of Mass times with St. Edward's was tabled since Fr. Robert was not in attendance.

Closing Prayer/Blessing – Deacon Gary

Next Meetings:

Monday, November 6, 2023 at 6:30 pm

Tuesday, December 5, 2023 at 6:30 pm