

Saint Cecilia Stewardship Committee Meeting Minutes (draft)

Monday, November 6, 2017

St. Louis Room 7:00 p.m. – 8:18 p.m.

Present: Mary Staniger (Chairperson), Bill Haas, Jim Stuart, Emil Polashek, Char VanKerckVoorde, Jarret Wendt

Excused: Francine White, Reno Berg

e) **2017 Stewardship Report** feedback offered. Jarret and Char will take the feedback to Father Jim.

1. Call to Order

2. Prayer Reflection/Discussion

Chapters 37-42 “A Church on the Move”
“Nones” like to have flexible hours, at least until they have children.

Listening, speaking loudly and clearly are critical skills.

Photography, videography services are need, for example, to record students at Food at First benefit Good Neighbors concert

For January meeting, Chapters 43-48 “A Church on the Move”

3. Minutes from October meeting were approved.

4. Old Business

a) **Called and Gifted** – No update

b) **Real Life Catholic Reboot 2018 outreach team update** – An information meeting, perhaps a dinner, for candidates for the team. Representation from parish groups is sought, and recommendations for candidates are welcome.

c) 10 minute brainstorming exercise – A Vision of St. Cecilia – in preparation for workshop November 18, 9-noon. (workshop date changed from November 11)

d) **LPI assessment update** – Mary showed a presentation with costs for up to 1750 households. She is forwarding the new information to Mark Moore on Finance Council. She will ask for a meeting with the Finance Council in late January or early February.

5. Other Business and comments

Bill, Mary, and Dorothy will meet with Ric Nelson to review progress on exploring a position to coordinate a parish communication strategy utilizing all media. Jarret reported that it seems likely we will be able to shift roles of existing staff to take on communication strategizing.

6. Closing prayer.

Next Stewardship Committee events:

- Workshop Saturday morning, November 18
- No meeting in December
- Committee meeting Monday, January 8