

150th Celebratory Committee

Notes from January 26, 2016 meeting:

Members present:

Les and Maxine Myers, John Armock, Jim Pitsch, Fr. Steve, Deacon Dean Herman, Harriet Sult, Raileen Rose, Kayla Stephens, Pam Laperna, Kristen Rewa, Tim McNamara (Diocese of Kalamazoo), Socorro Truchan (Diocese of Kalamazoo)

Agenda:

1. Welcome
2. Opening Prayer
3. Introductions
4. Presentation of possible spiritual activities for 150th Anniversary
 - a. During Lent
 - b. After Lent but before July 30-31
5. Discussion
6. Decided which we want to do
7. Identify: Who, When, What is needed
8. Other
9. Closing prayer
10. Next meeting dates – Feb. 2 @ 6:30, March 1 @ 6:30

Presentation of Spiritual Activities:

- Socorro Truchan from the Diocese of Kalamazoo
 - Year of Mercy handout with important dates and activities (available on diocese website). Highlighted Rachel's Vineyard and county fair table for outreach
 - Pope's message for Lent-left a copy (Harriet?)
 - Jubilee of Mercy and Lent Resources will be emailed to the committee members by Socorro
 - Lent planner (students/family orientated)
 - Woman's conference in Feb
 - Student content (4-12th Grade) reflecting on theme of the merciful family. Students can submit art, writing, music, or videos. Local and national winners. Deadline Feb. 15 Raeleen and Pam are distributing to students
- Tim McNamara from the Diocese of Kalamazoo
 - Monthly Energizer events
 - 30 minutes fellowship (w/ food)
 - 30 minutes with the Band KleenSL8
 - 30 minutes small groups (Children, Teens, Adults)
 - 30 minutes Adoration
 - Tim offered to help the committee plan and execute an event.
 - Committee agreed an event like this should be done
 - Kleen SL8 is approximately \$150-\$200
 - Kristen is checking on Hall availability –decision made at next meeting
- Committee asked Socorro and Deacon Dean to put together a Lent plan and a weekly plan, pulling from the items Socorro presented.

- Socorro and Deacon Dean need the calendar/dates the committee's 150th events.
- There will be a mix of take home items and parish/diocese sponsored events.

Other

- Solidarity Dinner Flier handed out.

Things to do:

- **Things to add to next meeting agenda:**
 - Energizer Event
 - Activities plan
 - Time capsule
 - Picnic plans – July 30
 - Dinner plans and catering – July 31
 - Selling t-shirts, hats, etc
- **Raffle tickets**
 - Sell at pancake breakfast on 2nd Sunday in Feb.
 - Sell at K of C breakfasts
- **Feb 13 Solidarity dinner – check with deacon about displaying pictures – Denise**
- **Have Geralyn get us an amount we have available in our budget – Denise**
- **Check on Caterers – Jim and John**
- **Check with Denise Price for May 21 Choir Dinner – Denise**
- **Application for Plaque – need documentation verifying date – Geralyn and Denise**
- **Work on the Proclamation from the Governor - Jim**
- **List of people that may not be able to buy raffle tickets for Fr. Hack. – Gerald**
- **Confirm details on Rosary Walk with school – Denise**
- **Historical write-up for bulletin – Sandy**

Ongoing Things to do:

- **Invites with “Save the Date” magnets to Priest, Bishops, Nuns, etc. – Denise**

**Budget amount is \$4259.13 (3245 from Raffle, 1014 from pork dinner)
Denise Price is available and scheduled for May 21 Choir dinner**

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