

**St. Luke's Liturgy Committee Minutes**  
**Feb 3, 2022**

**Attendance:** Cari Higgins, Fr. Ken, Deacon Fred, Mike Otis, Dana Bastian, Fr. James, and Gary Olson

**Absent:** Kyle Curran

The meeting opened in pray at 7:15pm. January minutes reviewed and motioned by Gary Olson seconded by Mike Otis. January minutes – Approved

**MINISTRY REPORTS -**

**Altar Servers** – Father held new and refresher training after Masses the weekend of January 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>. There won't be a school only training as Father will continue after Masses.

**Eucharistic Ministers** – Dana has 3 new people to train that have experience from other parishes. The EM's must still wear a mask. Father is still the only one to give communion on the tongue.

**Hospitality/Cross Bearer** – No news. Any help would be appreciated in finding folks.

**Lectors** – New person sent to Mike Otis for training.

**Music & Environment** – Holy Water Font is fixed and working.

**Communications, etc.** – Kyle is working on getting a new Z-wave controller setup for the speakers. Did Kyle will come up with a list of *wish list* items for the church? Father purchased 4 new music stands for the church. Travis dropped off 2 new mike stands. Can someone label these?

**Items of discussion:**

We will do the blessing of the throats this weekend after Masses. Father will send a note to the Deacons for assistance.

The SLTE church will have a (1) fish fry this year led by the Parish Council with help from the KoC. The date is not firm but they are looking at March 8<sup>th</sup> (?).

Father James will have a special study group during Lent. It is a great class for Eucharistic Ministers. He will let Dana know once it is set up and she will send an email to all EM in the parish.

**Upcoming:**

*Ash Wednesday*, Wed. March 2<sup>nd</sup>. 7am, 8:30 (school), and 6:30 (RE will lead) We have plenty of ashes. Mike Otis will collect them. Positions are filled per the Ministry Scheduler.

*Stations of the Cross*: We will have stations on Friday's @ 6:30pm with evening prayer following. Pete Haack and Brian Werner will play music. Deacon Fred is working on this for our parish. Father will do a bulletin article about Stations. 1<sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration will end at 6:15pm.

*Dates of Holy Week* - Palm Sunday, April 10 (we will not hand them out outside this year); Holy Thursday, April 14

Good Friday, April 15; Easter Vigil (with all the readings), April 16; Easter, April 17

*Divine Mercy Sunday*: This year DMS will be advertised at OLIH and Father Michael will come for reconciliation so we will have 3 priests.

*Confirmation*- May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 2pm.

*1st Communion* – May 1<sup>st</sup> 1:30pm, and May 15<sup>th</sup> 1pm and 3pm (Father Ken will possibly be in Italy and we will need to see if Father Larry can assist.)

*Spring wedding dates?* No weddings in Spring. June and Fall are heavy.

Next Meeting – March 3, 7:15 PM