

Saint John the Baptist - Worship Commission

March 25, 2015 Meeting Minutes

Date:	March 25, 2015	Time:	6:30 pm (Mass at 5:30, Dinner at 6:00)
Chair:	Jill	Location:	St John's
Recorder:	Barb filled in for Bonnie	PLC Rep:	Cary (Jill will cover for Cary)

Member/Attendee	Present	Member/Attendee	Present	Member/Attendee	Present	Member/Attendee	Present
Barb	X	Mary	X			Cary	X
Pamela		Arlys	X	Corey	X	Rose Ann	x
Jill	X						
Staff Representative:	Jay						
Guest(s) & Purpose:							

Minutes

- **Reviewed PLC minutes from February 25th meeting**
- **New Parishioner Orientation (NPO)**
 - **Need volunteer to go to the next NPO meeting April 12**
 - Corey will do this as part of what he does already at the orientation meeting. He will use the new volunteer form we've completed and approved.
- **Blue Sky Children's Offertory**
 - **We've been asked to discuss and come up with a recommendation. If we recommend implementation – come up with a plan to do so.**
 - **The suggestion to be considered was to formally invite children and all interested member of the parish to bring up gifts (primarily) of food to be placed in large baskets during the Mass just after prayers and intentions and just prior to beginning of offertory hymn.**
 - After much discussion it was agreed by all that the parish already has many existing opportunities for contributions of food or goods. Parents can help their children learn the value of helping others from those opportunities.
- **Worship Commission Membership**
 - Worship commission is in need of one new member and a replacement person for the PLC Rep position for next year. Cary is stepping down for next year; he will be in the group, but not the PLC liaison rep.
 - We as members of our commission should start thinking of parishioners to nominate and invite to be on a commission.
 - New Member Recruitment weekend: 4 Masses need to be covered the weekend of April 18/19. Cary will cover Saturday night 4:30 Mass, Jill 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 am Sunday and Arlys 5:30 p.m. Sunday night
 - Jill is attempting to get photos depicting the various ministries assembled into a slide show to use recruitment Sunday.
- **Continued refining our list of projects for Father**
 - This was discussed at length as to what areas should be focused on. It was determined we should concentrate on only one to three areas, so a more in-depth and complete study could be done. Discussion will continue next month. Jill will update .ppt
- **Review summary of Mission surveys – how can the Worship Commission use this info in making decisions**
 - The parish mission survey summary was reviewed. Comments pertaining to the music were fairly evenly dispersed between support of the various styles (Ignite and Contemporary Group); perhaps future missions could include a mix of both styles each night.