

The Church of St Mary
Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation Committee
Meeting Minutes: 10-25-22
Submitted by Ruth Grundman

Committee Members Present: Polly Stephens, Sr Rita VonHoltum, Julie Desautels, Jerry Kostreba, LeeAnn Sticha, Bev Paul, Rita Winters, Ruth Grundman

Opening Prayer: Rita Winters

Parish Council Report: Jerry Kostreba

- *ACC parish council met last week at Immaculate Conception Church.
- *They are getting to know more about each parish's history so talked about how Immaculate Conception Church and St Agnes School were built.
- *National Eucharist Revival part 2 will be at St. John's in November.
- *Feels our ACC group is going well.

Sanctity of Life Report: Julie Desautels

- *Speaker – Emily from Equal Rights Institute will speak to the faith formation classes (Gr 7-12) in January on sanctity for life.
- *Did two balloon rosaries in October with the youth and St Mary's kids.

Discovering the Hidden Story of the Universe:

- *Rita V will look for some posters to put on monitor in church as follow up.
- *The sessions were livestreamed and people in Texas, Kansas, New York and Arizona were able to watch them.
- *Laudato Si session – as a follow up, possibly in March 2023. Planning committee: Rita V, Rita W, and Ruth
- * Fee/Mileage Reimbursement will be sent to Srs Kay and Annette. \$500 fee. Ruth will contact Todd regarding this.

Hope Haven: St Mary's dates are Jan 2-15, 2023.

- *There is a planning meeting at United Way on Nov 1. Ruth and Mary Jane will attend it.
- *JPIC will move forward on planning after that meeting.

Guatemala Mission Trip: LeeAnn Sticha

- *26 people have expressed an interest for a 2023 trip.
- *Liz Staples will lead this group
- *Next meeting is Dec 8 at 6:30. At this time a date for the trip will be set and people will need to make a commitment to go.

Coffee and Rolls Sunday: JPIC is down to serve on November 27.

- 8:00 mass – Polly, Jerry and Julie
- 10:00 mass – Rita V and Ruth

Next JPIC Meeting: Tuesday November 22 at 6:30pm.

Closing Prayer: Polly