

Subject: Stewardship minutes of Wed Feb 19, 2025

Met at St Agnes library.

Members present: David Hetland, Marianne Shrode, Theresa Dirkes, Darlene Highet, Bev Paul Meeting opened with the All Things New prayer.

1. New members: planning 2 families at the March KC breakfast.

2. Ministry Renewal: ministry signups were mailed to all families and are in the pews. Huge thank you to Theresa Dirkes for her personal testimonial to being a stewardship parishioner!! Slips are coming in with 3 new altar servers volunteering. Encouraging adults to volunteer and be trained to serve at funerals now that the St Agnes students are no longer available.

A description of each of the ministries is in the works, with time commitment included.

Reminded to contact Todd at St Mary's if interested in attending the Msgr

McGread Stewardship conference in Wichita March 19-20.

3. A first meeting of the Liturgy committee in January included Luke from St Mary's. Looking forward to more planning of liturgical celebrations. Ash Wed mass moved from 5pm to 7 pm to accommodate our Family Formation classes scheduled for each first Wed of the month, which falls on Ash Wednesday.

Planning Stations of the Cross each Wed at 6:30, prior to the high school RE classes at 7.

Each of the church groups are asked to be the leaders for the Stations of the Cross; Liturgy committee, Stewardship, KC/Christian Mothers, Family Formation, and Highschool RE.

Hoping to have a soup/sandwich meal 5:30-6:30 before the Stations.

4. Lenten fish fry: ICC Fish fry will be March 28 at the VFW. Discussion re cost as handled a lot of \$1 bills last year. Money takers also felt uncomfortable asking everyone's age, and felt \$6 should be for age 6 and under, not 12 years.

Will plan to have the volunteer signup sheet for work times in the back of church.

5. Discussion re the first chapters of 'Radical Hospitality'. Takeaways: not to judge, and listen to others, everyone comes with different life experiences. Keep offering activities within the parish; i.e. 'can't make the basket if don't throw the ball'!

Next meeting Tuesday March 18 at 6 pm.