

St Clare's Catholic Parish Church

Pastoral Parish Council

Meeting 19.05.14 19.45 hrs.

Minutes

1. Present:

Jonathan Day,(Chair) Angela Waddingham, Emma Gardiner, Ann Gardiner, Jean Hampson, Stephen Connolly, Fr. Darren, Sue Lawrenson. Janet Metcalf joined 20.30.

Apologies: Dominic , Bridget , Fr. Loughran.

2. The meeting was opened by prayer led by Emma.

3. Minutes of the last meeting:

Thanks to Janet were recorded for taking the minutes of the last meeting.

Ann pointed out that her name did not have an 'e' at the end.

The minutes were then accepted with no matters arising not on the agenda.

4.Parish Priest's Items.

Since last meeting:

April 07 Lent Assemblies all week

10 RCIA

12 Day of Reflection for the Hospital Volunteers.

Youth Trip, Pizza and Theatre

15 Mass at Corpus Christi x 2

16 Staff Mass at Corpus Christi

17 Chrism Mass

School Passion Play in Church

Easter Tridium Starts.

27 Divine Mercy Service

28 Social Committee

30 School Mass

Hodovo Meeting

May 02 Holy Hour

03 NCW Door to Door

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05 Adult Catechesis begins (The Way)

07 Outreach from Newman, Our Lady's High School leavers Mass

08 The Way

09 The May Procession

10 Fabric and Finance Meeting

Altar Servers day out and Pilgrimage

11 First Holy Communion Mass and celebration

NCW Street Mission City Centre

12 School Governor's meeting

The Way

15 Mass at Corpus Christi

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16 Leavers Mass Newman College with Bishop Michael

17 NCW Street Mission Moor Park

On-going activities include: the Confirmation Programme, The Neo-Catechumenal Way, Baptism Course.

Fr. Darren continues his activities his activities at RPH, Corpus Christi, Newman College, Deanery Youth Coordination.

Fr. Loughran continues his activities with:

The Cenacolo Community, The Christian Unity Commission, Ecumenical Officer for Lancashire, Editorial Board Catholic Voice, The Cenacolo Trustees.

Youth groups x2 continue to meet.

Funerals: Gina Dawson, Mary Ann Burke, Elizabeth Sumner, Mary Sinnott, Janusz Cichy, Baby Greenwood.

Baptisms: 1.

N.B. Bishop's Visitation 14/15/16 June suggestions welcomed.

There is a forward plan available on the website.

Items needing consideration in next meeting is 'Welcoming'

5. Neo-Catechesis (The Way)

Ongoing; a core group of 20 but has been as many as 35.

5 are repeaters. 2 street missions; the Flag market and Moor Park.

Stephen raised the issue of the name suggesting the Catechesis may be intimidating and act as a barrier.

6. Bishops Visitation

Slot for the PPC at 3pm on the Sunday.

2 School Masses.

7. Update on the Fundraising

Emma updated the meeting on the Caeleigh On the 28.06. It is to be held in the sports Hall at Corpus and Barton Grange is paying for the band. There will be a raffle and some food. Tickets will be £5.

8. Summer Fayre

27.06 18.00 – 212.00 hrs

9. Date and time of next meeting: 30.06.14