

## **Stewardship Ministry Team Meeting Notes March 20, 2018**

**Present:** Bobby LeBlanc, Russ Scott, K'Lynn Lynn, Dave Austin, Steve Mahoney

### **Prayer**

Bobby opened with prayer.

### **Spring Appreciation Event**

- Decided not to have an event this spring
- Everyone agreed to explore a fall Parish Potluck Event at the next meeting
  - Parish potlucks seemed to have “disappeared.” With enough time to promote could make this an attractive family & student event.
  - Could be on the parking structure or in the lower lounge
  - Felt best time would be Sunday late afternoon
  - Could pull in the support and participation of a wide range of parish groups
  - Better chance of involving students as helpers (games for children, etc)
  - With potluck, we don't have to provide all the food and hope that people show up – parishioners show up and support the event with their foods.
  - Can promote a “your culture's food” theme?
- Will devote time at the next meetings making preliminary plans with the priority of choosing a date

### **Name Tag Sunday**

- Again, because how hectic spring and April/May can be, decided to postpone the next Name Tag Sunday till the summer. **June 9/10** was suggested.
- Will also plan a Name Tag Sunday in September (29/30?).

### **Stewardship Bulletin Feature**

- Last bulletin feature ran for 5 weeks with 14 responses.
  - Many of the resident responses on “what a student version of themselves would need from a parish” were thoughtful and well written.
- It was suggested that the next bulletin feature will be an in-team project: S T E W A R D S H I P
  - We will spell out the word “stewardship” over 11 weeks.
  - Each member of the team will take one letter and write a short article on a word that exemplifies a stewardship lifestyle. i.e., S = service, T= teamwork, E = evangelization, etc...
  - If the rest of the team is in agreement we will choose letters by lottery at the next meeting and set a deadline for everyone to return their submission so we can begin the feature

### **“Giving Options” Brochure**

- Reviewed the new brochure
- Can update and change as needed
- Now available in the church

### **Pastoral Leadership Study Day: April 10**

- Bobby would like to register those interested in the Stewardship presentation
- Right now, the only definite is Steve, Mary expressed interest, Bill may consider and Bobby may attend depending on health (but probably a late registration)
- LET BOBBY KNOW

**Next meeting: Tuesday, April 17 (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday) at 4:00pm**