

Sruleen PPC Meeting: Minutes 3-3-2014

Attendance:

Present: Fr Michael Ruddy, Fr Pearse Mullen, Sr Margaret Cahill, Mary Genockey, Mary McCoy, Natalie Doherty, Niall Charleton, Joe Moon, Peter Siney, & Kay Ryan.

Apologies: Mark Maloney **Welcome and Prayer:** Mary G welcomed us all and Fr Pearse us in prayer

Minutes:

- The minutes were read (Minutes proposed by Mary Mc and seconded by Fr Pearse)

1. Matters Arising

1.1 Parish History: This is on-going & will be reviewed at the next meeting.

1.2 New Year's Party: a review of the party was undertaken. No hot food next year was agreed on.

1.3 CCTV: CCTV has been installed. There are 4 cameras & records up to 6 weeks. There are signs up to say that CCTV is in operation on the premises.

1.5 PPC Members: A card thanking Yvonne for her service to the PPC was sent.

1.6 PPC Newsletter: It was appreciated that the newsletter outlining the year's events was very clear.

1.7 CYAM: It was reported that the Young Adult Ministry is progressing & slowly gaining momentum.

1.8 World Day of the Sick: It was reported that the Funeral Ministry team were in attendance at the events for WDS.

1.9 Parish Centre Policy: It was asked whether we had a PCP. It will be looked into. In the meantime a diary for the parish centre activities & groups. It will be available in the presbytery for any queries on the availability of the centre.

2. Lent:

2.1 It was mentioned about the events happening in the parish throughout Lent.

2.1.1 Friday – Stations of the Cross: a group in the parish will take responsibility for presenting the stations on a certain week

2.1.2 Adoration & Lectio will be taking place during the week

2.1.3 There is a Trocaire display in front of the baptismal font that will be added to each week

3. Social Justice Week

3.1 Social Justice Week will be held during the first week of Lent from 9th-16th of March. The full timetable for the week was presented & discussed.

4. CCPC

4.1. It was said that there is nothing to feedback from the Core Group Meeting. It was said that there was an evaluation of clustering for the core group & parish teams being conducted & there will be a follow up being held in Sruleen.

4.2 It was said about the funeral guidelines & that most people have received the guidelines. The guidelines were discussed, concerns were raised & discussed. A follow on will be sent to Mark.

5. AOB

5.1 Visitation Group: It was reported that the group is going well & has 11 members. 9 have been commissioned & 6 are out visiting at the moment. The process was explained to members of what happens from initial point of contact to a person receiving a visit.

5.2 Parish Concert: Members were informed of an upcoming concert being held in the Green Isle on 10th of April. The children from the school & the Garda band will be performing. There are 2 types of tickets available: adult for €10 & a family ticket for €20. Sponsorship is currently being sought.

5.3 Parenting Course: It was hoped to start the parenting course again but this time aimed at parents with younger children than before. Provisionally, promotion will take place around the end of April.

6. March Preparation:

- Read March minutes.

Dates of Next meetings:

- 7th of April at 7:30pm

