

Parish Life Ministry Board meeting

December 2, 2021

Attending: Steve Moore, Deborah Jordan, Dolores Tipton, Tink Shelton

Steve opened with a prayer.

The new parish hall is currently scheduled to open in February 2022.

Ministry Reports:

Deborah for Hospitality

There will be coffee hours in the Chapel Annex on December 19 and January 9 after both services each day. Parish Life/Hospitality will do these two. After the new parish hall is available, there will be a SignUpGenius where other parishioners will be encouraged to sign up to host the coffee hours. The Parish Life ministry will supply simple finger foods and coffee. The hosts will be responsible for setting up the food/drink tables, making the coffee, and cleaning up afterwards. It is hoped that the coffee hours in December and January will demonstrate how easy it is to set this all up.

It was agreed that Corelle white dishes (with mugs instead of cups) will be used in the new parish hall. At some point an on-line registry at Walmart, Target, and Amazon will list the items that need to be purchased to furnish the kitchen. Those who wish to contribute will be able to order from this list and have things delivered to the church.

Deborah Jordan is the new deputy chairperson of Parish Life Ministry Board. Tink Shelton will leave the board, so a new communicator needs to be named before March 1, 2022.

Dolores for ECW

The Christmas lunch will be Saturday, December 4, at Falcone's in Southport. Three new board members will be introduced.

A Day of Spirituality will be held in January. It will include a guest speaker and brunch.

Steve for other ministries

Gather Round the Table groups are meeting on their own schedules.

Odd Jobbers will be the featured ministry minute on January 16.

Deborah (Hospitality) will do the Ministry Minute for both services on December 19, highlighting the activities of the Hospitality Ministry.

ECW will do the Ministry Minute on February 13 or March 20.

JoAnne and Rose are continuing to greet people after services and record names and addresses of newcomers. Lorraine is keeping a list of all new people. We hope to have newcomer activities three times a year.

The exterior of the church will be decorated on December 9. The interior tree and garland will be put up on December 19 after the service. Flowers will be added on December 23. The decorations will stay up through January 2.

Respectfully submitted,

Tink Shelton