

**LITURGY COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**06/08/10 - 6:45 PM**

Members Present: Mike Conrads, Lisa Gully and Fr. Hal (Acting Chair)

Not Present: Shiloh Oorlog, Becky Basche, Shirley Donnelly, Rose Smit, Tom Wingert, Dennis Feterl

Prayer: The meeting began with prayer led by Fr. Hal.

Minutes: We approved the minutes from the 4/06/10 meeting.

Determine Officers: Mike Conrads volunteered to be the Chair of the committee. Vice-chair (still needed), Recorder Lisa Gully

Old Business: We discussed how greeting people at the church doors was going. It has been a positive addition for the church. It was decided that this is a necessity and it was suggested that the 3 committees and the 2 councils could be responsible for covering 2 to 3 services a year until we can get this added to the Stewardship Sign-up sheets. By the end of the summer Fr. Hal would like a schedule set up and started for the rest of the year. If people are not able to fulfill this commitment, a substitute list should be created as well.

Considerations: It should be the responsibility of the Liturgy Committee to come up with ways to take more small steps to get our parish more involved and excited about coming to church. The liturgy committee can get ideas and themes from different liturgy training materials (Liturgical Ministries, The Word Among Us, the internet, etc.) once a theme is suggested and agreed upon, then the environment committee could decide if and how they can use this theme in decorating the church for that season or a particular celebration.

New Business: Liturgy Committee is responsible for choosing materials, one or more publication to use for understanding, insight and ideas. Right now the lectors have a book they use to prepare and practice the readings. We should examine materials and choose a publication for committee use in the future.

Learning Time: Fr. Hal read a portion from Liturgical Ministries about the Treasures of the Church. It discussed the legend about a Roman official requesting Saint Lawrence to bring him the treasures of the Church. When he brought a crowd of poor people Saint Lawrence was executed. Saint Lawrence's story tells us the wealth of the Church is found in her people, made holy by God.

Revised Roman Missal - This will be implemented on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent, 2011. It will be different from what we are using now and the congregation will need to be instructed.

We also discussed the next meeting time and the frequency (every other month). The meeting times are as follows:

August 10th                      October 12th                      December 14th                      all meetings will begin at 6:45 pm

Since we had a few people decide not to stay in this committee, we will need at least 2 more members. Please invite others to join us.

Adjourned at 8:20 pm  
Submitted by: Lisa Gully