

Minutes for Respect Life Meeting

April 18, 2012

The meeting was held at Muriel Casavant's.

Those present were Rose Mary Bell, Muriel Casavant, Nadine Ostermann, Terri Murrell, Rita Miller, & Kathy Brannen

Opened with Prayer

1. Cemetery of the Innocent (Mar, 17-Mar.30)
 1. **Overall response from the Parish was very good.**
 2. **Jr. High removed the crosses.**
 3. **Rose created the Thank You notice for April 22nd Bulletin.**
 4. **Nadine will check with Father Bill to get an ok on the date for next year.**
 5. **Rose Mary spoke with Mr. Sendalbach about getting names put on the crosses. That can be done by us at our discretion on the day of the erection of the Cemetery. Maria Pour has ask if we could join with the Elizabeth ministry to work on the above**
2. Ministry Brochure
 1. **Rose Mary presented the updated Ministry Brochure to the committee. It was well received and we did a quick critique.**
 2. **Rose Mary will send the brochure to Becky Ready for a final critique.**
 3. **Rose will ask Becky for her assistance in presenting the brochure to Father Bill**
3. Ministry Leaders Fellowship Social
 1. **Have decided to move ahead with plans for the Social on Sept. 13th or 27th**
 2. **Rose Mary will ask Becky when the Faith Fair is scheduled to avoid a conflict**
4. Identifying Projects for the remainder of 2012 and 1st of 2013
 1. At present we have the following projects on our agenda.
 - Ministry Brochure Accepted (Rose Mary)
 - Attempt to host an event between June 22nd-July 4th on religious liberty
 - Respect Life Booth (Rose will get needed items for the booth)
 - Seeking avenues to register voters in the church (Nadine)
 - Hosting a rally to form Social Consciences (Kathy & Nadine)
 - Host a presentation on NFP (Nadine getting info)
 - Kairos Ministry (Nadine will check with School, Tri-Edge, PSR this summer)
 - Ministry Leaders Social (All will work to organize and promote)
 - 40 Days for Life (Sept. - Nov)
 - Human Life Chain (Rose Mary will oversee)
 - March for Life Event & Prayer Vigil Jan. 2013 (More planning to come)
 - Cemetery of the Innocent (2013) Rose will get date, Nadine will pitch to Father
 - Seek avenue to assist elderly
5. Event for Natural Family Planning:
 - ❖ **Nadine is collecting info on this and needs more time**
6. Meeting was adjourned with prayer:
7. Next Meeting: **Location: Muriel's, Time 6:30pm, Date: May 16th**