

Minutes for Respect Life Meeting

June 13, 2013---7PM—Muriel's House

The meeting was held at Muriel's. Those present were Rose Mary Bell, Muriel Casavant, Nadine Ostermann , Terri Murrell, Kathy Brannen & Karen Trautmann

Opened with Prayer

1. Fortnight for Freedom (June 21st – July 4th)
 - Kathy shared that IHM is hosting a prayer service on Sunday 6/23 and Sunday 6/30 and brought with her an ad promoting these services
 - Rose Mary will see if we can get this promoted at the pulpit and permission to hand out the ad after mass this weekend
2. 5K “Pro-Life Saver” Walk-Run (Nov. 2)
 - Was decided that we will advertise this in the Bulletin but not seek to go beyond that
3. Advance Health Care Directive
 - Kathy and Nadine met with Becky to discern ways to inform parishioners on this topic. They will continue to work on this topic.
4. NFP
 - Muriel produced brochures to be put in the vestibule
 - Rose Mary will put the brochures in the vestibule
 - Rose Mary will give the receipt for the brochures to Mike for reimbursement
 - Rose Mary will give the office a number for Couple to Couple to be given to parishioners if they desire info on NFP
5. Cord Blood Banking
 - Muriel didn't get the brochures on this topic because the Elizabeth Ministry felt that the procedure involved with the CBB was too costly
 - After discussion of this, Muriel is going to again approach EM about giving this info to our expectant parents
 - If they are open to this, Muriel will attempt to order brochures on CBB
6. July Fest Parish Booth
 - Rose Mary reported that there will be no Parish Booth at the festival this year
7. Respect Life Yearly Budget
 - Rose Mary reported that there is no budget in place for the RL Ministry. However, we can give receipts to Mike Gennette and get reimbursed
8. National Day of Remembrance 9/14
 - Becky Ready requested that we check out the ND of Remembrance and determine if we can bring this to the parish
 - Terri is going to follow up on this
9. The meeting ended in prayer
10. Next Meetings: **Location: Muriel's, Time 7:00pm, Date: Aug. 13**