

STEWARDSHIP MEETING
10/15/09

PRESENT: Fr. Jeff, Kevin, Judy, Jim, Sarah, Larry, Bob, Richard, Sue, Doris

Prayer: Fr. Jeff

Discussion:

1. Wall of Gratitude in church: good idea, well received. Continue practice, using different color papers. Keep gratitude papers always in the pews. Collect once a month and replace on the wall.

Cards to recognize gratitude response are printed. Still looking for a volunteer to address them.

Recognize Mary Thane for her award on the bulletin board.

2. Strength Finder: Next step—when all three Councils have collected their data, have a joined retreat.

Utilize this process in our Ministry Sign Up. Create ministries that grow out of person's gifts and talents—what they love to do.

3. Ministry Sign-up: Create half-sheet with “gifts and talents” with categories of ministries on the back. Categories are general.

Sheets are placed in the pews this September for two weeks, collected at liturgy.

All three Council members share contacting the respondents, either by phone or e-mail. Purpose is to build relationships and get feedback.

4. Update Parish Registration—September 27: New cards used so data base has more information.

4. Coffee Hour: once a month members of various ministries help serve and are available to inform or answer questions. This practice will not eliminate those who presently serve.
Suggestion: coffee hour be extended to after 11:15 Mass. Potluck once a month
On Sunday.

NEXT MEETING: October 21 5:30 pm Change to Wednesday nights for the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Sister Doris