Minutes of Liturgy Meeting 9/1/2024

Those present –Mary McBride (Chair), Tricia Taylor (Minute Taker),
Marie Joyce, Anne O'Rourke, Frances Monaghan,

Apologies – Fr. J. Boyle, Gerry Devlin, Angela Manderson.

The meeting opened with prayer.

Matters Arising from last meeting.

Available Register of current Eucharistic Ministers – Anne will meet with Tricia and update this. Date to be arranged.
Register of Readers John Whoriskey has this information and Marie will update this.
Information gathered for each will be displayed in the meeting rooms and on the information board at the back of the church.
Any new Readers and Eucharistic Ministers will be added.
Booklet for the bereaved – this is available from Fr. Joe.

Previous arrangements Feedback

Advent Reconciliation - This service went well and the music was great. It is noted that more privacy is required in the rows next to the Church Confessional. There is the possibility of roping off some pews.
Christmas – Decorations and tree were lovely. The positioning of the crib in front of the altar was appreciated and well visited. Possibility of an internal light for the crib next year.
Parish Christmas cards appreciated. The lovely craft club cards could benefit from explanation on the card.
Christmas Eve Mass could use a variety of readers.
Christian Unity Week – only event planned is swapping readers from various Churches.
Maybe next year OLSG could host a service and tea.
Lent has an early start this year with Ash Wednesday being on 14/02/24. Eucharistic Ministers required for 9.30am and 7pm masses for distribution of ashes.
Lenten Reconciliation – Possible date19/3/24. – Check with Fr. Boyle. Childrens Liturgy to sing the Eucharistic Prayer. – Speak to Gerry Devlin

AOCB
Some African church members have offered to sing and dance at The Offertory Procession.
Fr. Joe will organise when this will happen.

G52 updates carried over to next meeting.

The meeting closed with Prayer

The next meeting is Tuesday 27th February following 9.30am mass. to include preparation for Examination of Conscience.

There will be a short Liturgy Meeting on 12th March.