Minutes of Liturgy Meeting 11/12/2024

Those present - Mary McBride (Chair), Tricia Taylor (Minute Taker), Anne O'Rourke, Marie Joyce, Angela Manderson, Gerry Devlin, Frances Monaghan. **Apologies** - Fr. Joe Boyle,

The Meeting opened with prayer.

1. **Funeral Leaflets** – Now available
2. **New Ministers of Communion Possible Nominees** - Isabel McLellan, Paul Hughes, Mamie Duffy's Daughter, Maureen O'Neill, Ann from Deanfield.

Forms from the diocese have been requested. We are all asked to keep looking and to forward names to Fr. Boyle and co-ordinators.

3. **Archbishop Nolan's** visit was very successful. He is due to return in February.
4. **Children** remaining on the altar for the Our Father is not to happen.
5. **Advent Reconciliation Service.** – 17/12/24

Two Readers. Gloria McGregor and Christine Glen.

Psalm – Gerry ------- Lord You are the Centre of my life.

Entrance Hymn – Christ Be Our Light (329). 50 copies to be printed.

Privacy at Confessional – to be handed back to Fabric and Finance Committee.

6. **Christmas Decorations** to be done on Sunday 22nd December after 11am Mass. Mary will do Bulletin announcement asking for helpers. Tricia will lend a USB internal light for the crib.
7. **Christmas Mass** – co-ordinator 9.30 masses to get reader for 10am. Angela will ask Gloria

   Dan to get a reader for Christmas Eve Mass . John Whoriskey to get reader for 6pm vigil
8. **Eucharistic Ministers on Christmas Eve and Christmas** – Tricia will liaise with other EM organisers and inform Father Joe.
9. **Week of Christian Unity** – OLSG to host for January 2026. Angela will inform all participants that we will plan this. 10. **World Day of Prayer** Leaflets still to go out with service times for all G52 Churches.
11. **The Good Shepherd Church** is hosting a Carol Concert on Sunday 22/12/24 at 7pm. All are welcome. Tea, coffee and mulled wine will be available after the concert. Mary will put this in the Bulletin.
12. **Childrens' Mass** Sunday 29th. December – Feast of the Holy Family, Mary, Joseph and the Baby Jesus. Mary has organised costumes for this.

AOCB Marie requested notices be put in the bulletin for the following –

1. Communion under both kinds is available at most Masses. We are looking for more Eucharistic Ministers to enable this at All Masses. Include in Special notice in New Year for various Ministries, Readers, Stewards etc
2. All Mass prayers are in Supplement books, please ensure both books are given out at all Masses

The meeting closed with a prayer.

Date of next meeting Tuesday 21st January 2025