Minutes of Liturgy Meeting 14/4/25

Those present –Fr. Joe Boyle, Mary McBride (Chair), Tricia Taylor (Minute Taker), Frances Monaghan, Anne O'Rourke

Apologies. – Gerry Devlin

The meeting opened with prayer.

Previous Minutes approved.

1. **Feedback from Lenten Events** – Cathedral Visit was successful. 2 x Daytime Stations of the Cross were attended by approximately 17. The Penitential Service was lovely but not well attended. It was strongly felt that a general absolution service would attract many more attendees.
2. **The Small Faith Sharing Groups** – were well attended and very useful. Evaluation forms to go the Synod Group. Noted that monthly groups were preferable – possibly around Lent and Advent.
3. **Palm Sunday** – the palms were halved and many not fit for purpose

Holy Week/Easter Tridium Events.

1. **Readers** – identified with difficulty due to small numbers.
2. **Eucharistic Ministers** – 3 required for Holy Thursday.
   - 3 required for Good Friday. 2 at front, 1 at back for Host distribution
   - 3 required for Easter Vigil
   - Easter Sunday as per rota
3. **Holy Thursday** – Names for washing of the feet. List to be finalised, few volunteers so far.
4. **Good Friday** – Walk of Witness leaves from OLSG at approximately 10.15 am
5. **Youth Stations** – organised by Youth Ministry
6. **Easter Vigil** – Gerry to be contacted re. microphone
7. **Easter Sunday** -Mary has organised eggs for the children and home communions.
8. **First Holy Communions 10/5/25**
9. **Ascension Day 29/5/25**
10. **Pentecost 8/6/25** – National Costume to be worn at Mass.
11. **Feast of St. Peter + Paul 29/6/25** is also **Fr. Boyles Golden Jubilee** and the Archbishop is saying Mass that day.

The meeting closed with Prayer.

Next Meeting Tuesday 13th May after 9.30am Mass.