

MALAHIDE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting of 3rd. March 2011

Attendance: Charlie Farrell, Fr. Peter Briscoe, Sr. Margaret, Jo Morris, Bob Rooney, Pauline Lynch, Joe McDonnell, Daphne Greene, Regina MacCarrick, Oliver Whelan

Apologies: Fr. Paul Thornton, John Lynch, Jean Houghton.

Correspondence: Translation of the Roman Missal; There will be an information meeting on 28th. March in Holy Cross College, Clonliffe, two members of the PPC, Daphne and Regina will attend.

Fr. Peter and Charlie reported on the meeting of the Liturgy Group with the Vatican Visitation Commission. There is no date yet for the report on the outcome of the meeting.

A three day conference entitled 'Broken Faith' will take place at Milltown Institute from 6 – 9 April.

The choir and music groups have been informed of a meeting re the Congress Anthem and the Liam Lawton Glendalough Mass in Clonliffe College on 14th. March.

Agenda

Focus group for four Parishes working together; A meeting of all members of the four Parish Pastoral Councils will take place on 24th. March at 7.30 pm in Portmarnock.

Prayer: Regina led us in prayer. Joan will do the prayer next month.

Parish Centre Update. Report given.

Eucharistic Congress 2012; The 50th International Eucharistic Congress will take place in Dublin 10 – 17th. June 2012. A committee has been set up to organize this, a large number of volunteer helpers will be required. This item to be put on the agenda again later in the year.

Parish Activities:

Lenten talks in the Churches of Malahide and Portmarnock:

Wednesday 16th. March Fr. Peter McVerry in Presbyterian Church, Malahide.

Wednesday 23rd. March Judge Catherine McGuinness in Yellow Walls Church.

Wednesday 30th. March Sister Fiona Fisher in St. Andrew's Church.

Wednesday 6th. April Rachel Brew in St. Anne's Church, Portmarnock.

Wednesday 13th. April Archdeacon Gordon Linny in the Carmelite Convent.

A trainee Pastoral Worker has been appointed to St. Sylvester's and Sacred Heart.

Any Other Business: Care and Repair report given.