

Reports Submitted to All Saints Parish Pastoral Council

Wednesday, March 13th, 2024

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Check out our website!!! - for all current information on the happenings with the ELCPAP (East Lethbridge Catholic Parish Assessment Project), as well as other information and resources.

Assumption C.W.L.

Faye Henderson

Several members attended the World Day of Prayer Service on March 1st at McKillop United Church. This year (2024), the writing committee was Palestine: "I Beg You... Bear With One Another in Love" Ephesians 4:1-3.

We will lead Stations of the Cross on March 22.

Assumption CWL hosted the Spring Lethbridge Regional CWL meeting on March 2nd.

We helped with the Grade Two Retreats on Feb 27th and 28th.

There will be no Coffee Social on March 17th. The next one will be April 21st.

Corpus Christi

Julie Rose

☐ A meeting was held on February 22nd. There were 10 in attendance along with Fathers Kevin and Santiago.

☐ Our theme will be the same as last year "Come Walk the Streets with Jesus"

☐ All areas of the Procession were reviewed. There were no changes to be made to the set-up and schedule.

☐ We have decided to go with just Hot Dogs this year rather than the bunwiches. The hot dogs seem to be a big hit with everyone. This will allow for a much easier preparation of the food. Any extra hot dogs, drinks, chips, sweets etc. will be given to the parish for their BBQ following a few weeks later.

☐ We will be looking into getting chips again through the Couple's for Christ. Martin Brothers and Cornerstone Funeral Homes will donate the water again this year along with the Juice Boxes.

☐ We are anticipating a Knights of Columbus 4th degree Honor Guard for at least one of the Parishes, St. Basil's.

☐ Notices will be going out to surrounding parishes, schools, etc. as well as posters towards the end of April, beginning of May.

☐ We will be extending an invitation to Sts. Peter and Paul Church, to join us in the procession this year.

☐ We will ask the CCH football team to help again with the marshalling of both routes, as they were very helpful and well received last year.

☐ A couple of weeks prior to the procession we will place a notice in the bulletin for donations of fruit and baked goods as in the past.

- ☐ We will make up a board notice thanking all those who have contributed to the event: Both Funeral Homes; CWL; K of C as well as all others. Etc.
 - ☐ A notice will be shown at the Easter Celebrations.
 - ☐ Our next meeting will be held approximately 2 weeks before the procession.
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Couples for Christ
Mike Villacin

- a. Conduct Loving the Poor Seminar on March 9, 2024 at St. Basil Hall.
- b. Church ministry service on March 9, 2024 at 11:00 am mass St. Basil Church.
- c. Recollection Talk with Fr. Kevin Tumback this coming March 17, 2024.
- d. Couple for Christ will be doing house-to-house Station of the Cross on Good Friday.
- e. CFC service participation in the observance of the Holy Triduum in the observance of Holy Week.

Disciples of the Altar
Helen Manzara

We had a wonderful gathering for pizza and fellowship on Sunday, March 10th with two short teaching sessions from Father Kevin. These gathering/teaching sessions are happening every two months. Disciples of all ages are encouraged to attend, with parents more than welcome to join us as well. The teaching involves one specific aspect or detail that Father Kevin or Father Santiago noticed needs some extra focus on. New Disciples are always welcome to join at any time. The only age requirement is having received their First Communion, Grade 3, or permission from Father Kevin or Father Santiago.

We are slowly preparing for the Easter Triduum at CCH with the call out for volunteers well underway.

Environment
Shelley Thom

Easter is being planned for move and changes starting March 9th. We are starting changes in the churches as well – There is a group of young adults and others to help with the Easter move to CCH.

Family & Community
Shelley Thom

The Sock Hop was a success and Soup Suppers continue to be a great success with attendance between 85-110 people. There are a lot of new faces and it seems to be a great community builder for all. Hoping the ticket sales go well for the St Patrick's Celebration as we are having lamb and beef stew and a dance. Monies will go towards the Refugee Committee as we have our 2 families set to come. Hope all can come to support and build more community.

Friends of the Lethbridge Correctional Centre
Deacon Jim & Helen Manzara

We continue implementing existing programs on a weekly basis. Volunteers are always welcome. Next facility orientation will be in March.

Music Ministry
Carol Treadwell

Music Ministry is working hard to contribute to the vibrancy of the masses, but we need more people especially pianists, song leaders and singers. Planning for Holy Week is well underway. Singers, cantors and instruments can join by contacting Carol T at (403)380-8987. We are also looking for help to run the laptop for the projection of the song lyrics at CCHS. St. Basil's desperately needs a new electric keyboard or piano as soon as possible.

Sacramental Preparation
Cyndi Lilienthal

We have received word from the Diocese that our Confirmation is Saturday, 8th of June at Assumption Church. This year we have 72 children who will receive this sacrament from Bishop McGrattan.

We had our First Reconciliation Retreat last weekend with 80 children in attendance. These children will celebrate their First Reconciliation Saturday, 16th March at 10:00 am.

Baptism Preparation Class for 2024

Schedule is out for the 2024 dates for Baptism Preparation Class.

RCIA

RCIA classes are continuing and will culminate with 16 people coming into the Church at Easter Vigil.

Save Our Churches Association
Francis Noronha

The SOCA Board received a reply from the Pastor to the questions in SOCA's November 2023 report but found it evasive. The Board is reiterating the questions and asking for answers.

Save Our Churches Association will hold its Annual General Meeting at Sts. Peter and Paul Parish Hall (639 - 12B street North, Lethbridge), from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm on Sunday April 21, 2024. The meeting is for members only. Membership will be available at the door and is a one-time fee of \$5.00 only. So far we have not needed to charge annual fees because of donations. Elections of Office-bearers will be held for the 2024/2025 year of office. There will be a guest speaker but we are awaiting confirmation.

St. Basil's C.W.L.

Dorothy Shelson

Feb. 22 - For the Lenten Luncheon at St. Basil's Hall, the CWL served between 80 to 95 people, had 10 to 15 volunteers and 8 great tasting soups, buns, squares and cookies.

The 3rd Sunday of every Month we have started to have coffee and donuts. We have had a good response.

March 1 - World Day of Prayer at McKillop Church.

March 2 - The Spring Regional CWL Meeting at Assumption Hall.

We hosted Grade 2 Retreats - St. Teresa's March 5 with 52 kids and 4 teachers, St. Paul's -

March 7 with 33 kids and 3 teachers.

We hosted 1 funeral at the end of February.

The next Retreats that we are hosting is April 9 and 11 for Grade 6's.

NO REPORTS AT THIS TIME

Bible and Church History Education Programs

Oscar Tavernini

Building Committee

Jozef Prozniak

Comin' Alive Camp

Laura Ostoya

Ecumenical Representative

K of C #1490

K of C #5726

Kaz Snerch

K of C #10547

Len Whyte

Lethbridge Catholic Youth

Laura Ostoya

Mother's Rosary Group

Passion Play Re-enactment Group

Pray and Play/That Man Is You

Savio Baptista

Pro-Life Representative

Theresa Prozniak



Refugee Committee

Moreen Barnard

St. Francis Xavier Chaplaincy

Father Santiago Torres

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Lyle Harrison