

**ST. JEROME LITURGY COMMITTEE
MINUTES for October 25, 2006**

Present: Fr. David, Florence and Dan Loch, Greg Kryspin, Domenica Gioiella, Dean Finch, and Suzanne Calnon

The meeting was opened with a prayer offered by Suzanne.

LITURGY COORDINATORS

Domenica reported Bob Mulligan has turned over responsibilities for the 11:00 AM mass to Jim Francoeur, although he is still sending out the email listing the ministers for the mass.

ALL SOULS' DAY MASS

Will be 11/2 at 7PM. Father David and Kathy Coyne will prepare for the liturgy. It will be essentially the same as in recent years. The Book of Remembrance will be in a place of honor. Names of deceased loved ones will be read. Reception will follow.

ALL SAINTS' DAY MASS

Mass will be Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 at 7:00 PM. Domenica will lector on 11/1. Father David will secure a lector for the 31st.

THANKSGIVING

Domenica and Helen will be on the committee. Suzanne will ask Andrea and Pat if they can help. Domenica suggested we get new slides for the slide show. Dan has some new slides and has found an entire slide show on the internet. He will send it to us for review. The committee will take care of publicity in the bulletin. Parishioners will be invited to bring bread and wine for blessing.

ADVENT

We will light the Advent wreath the same way we have in the last several years. Jeanne has agreed to coordinate it and will inform the Ministers of Hospitality. Dan has agreed to revise the Advent booklet.

CHRISTMAS

The fourth Sunday of Advent falls on Christmas Eve this year. Sunday (the 24th) masses will be as usual, 8:00, 9:15 and 11:00. Masses Christmas Eve evening will be as usual, 4:00, 6:00 (children's pageant) and 10:30. Christmas morning masses are 8:00, 11:00 and 12:30. We will have sign-ups for Eucharistic Ministers and altar servers for all masses. Suzanne will prepare a "lector availability" letter for the 23rd, 24th and 25th to be sent out around the second Sunday of Advent. Suzanne will ask Bill and Emily Hall to sing prior to and during the 4:00 mass.

OTHER

Joe O'Callaghan, Jr. has volunteered to train new altar servers. We have four children interested now. As soon as the training date is set Fr. David

will invite more children to take part in the training. Father David is asking for more adult lectors since we have three fewer lectors due to moving out of town and illness. One woman has identified herself as a potential lector.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday January 9 at 7:30 in the Resource Room. Dean will preside over the opening prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,
Suzanne Calnon, Chairperson

NOTE:

After the meeting was concluded Andrea agreed to be on the Thanksgiving Committee. Joe set dates for altar server training: Sat. November 4, 10:00 and Sat. Nov. 11, 10:00 for new trainees and ALL ALTAR SERVERS.

Dan emailed the slide show accompanied by "I Believe."