

LIFE Meeting Minutes January 8, 2018

The LIFE meeting was held on January 8, 2018 with 16 people in attendance.

Mandy Pederson opening the meeting with a prayer.

Mandy Pederson provided an update on the upcoming Mardi Gras. Mardi Gras will be held on February 11th. Cheryl Kelly will head up the kitchen/meal and Mandy will head up the carnival/games side. No one has volunteered to take over for Mandy so she will co-chair the event again. Mandy let the group know that they will be getting calls soon to sign up to help work the event. We will also be asking for gently used or new stuffed animals which can be dropped off at the school office.

Susie Wendland provide an update on Student Council. The group has been busy. There are elections this week for the new President for this semester. The student council will get to decide three of the dress up days during Catholic School Week. The group had a fundraising campaign to get new socks to donate. The total number of socks donated was 840 pairs. The student council will also plan on having the Lap-A-Thon again this year.

Brenda Anderson provided school news. The Catholic United Financial Raffle will start on Friday. We are looking for volunteers to sell tickets after all masses. All fish house ticket raffle prizes have been delivered. The new playground equipment is here and we hope to have it installed toward the end of April.

Sarah Weinberg led an art class with all the students. The kids loved it and we will have her come in again to do another class. The LIFE group will pay for this.

Susie Wendland and Rachel Hendricks will co-chair the Gala this year. The gala is April 27th at Shady Beach Supper Club. The theme this year is the 80's. They will organize a meeting soon with the core committee. Karissa Karels volunteered to help with donations. We are hoping to divide the donation list up this year with a few volunteers to each take a group of people to contact.

Catholic School's Week is soon approaching. The kick-off mass will be January 27th. Every year we provide a treat every day of the week for the teachers. Susie will work on getting this set up. Bobbi Meyer and Karissa Karels volunteered to help out. The LIFE group will buy lunch on one of the days for the teachers.

Mandy Pederson closed the meeting with a prayer.

Mandy Pederson, LIFE Group Vice President/Secretary