

Community Life and Fund Raiser Ministry

April 16, 2020 Report, There was no meeting held in March or April.

Members: Jennie Guida, Moderator
Adelia Sandoval, Clergy
Sharon Smith, PC Member
Bertie Ninichuck, PC Member
Kelly Querijero
Mariah Sandoval
Lydia Russo
Pat Melican

I sent out emails to the members listed above to check-in. I requested suggestions and ideas for functions to start once the quarantine is lifted.

Community Life Events:

New Event: A welcome back event that features “Stay At Home” craft display. This could be Collages, Photo Gallery, Writings, Poems, special baked goodies, sewing projects, crafts etc.

NEW IDEAS FOR A FUND RAISER:

---Develop a Saint Matthew International Cook Book...Available to sell for Christmas. This could be started during this quarantine time, but I am not sure of the cost to print or copy this Cook Book.

---Create a 2021 Saint Matthew Calendar...Available to sell for Christmas. This could be done a little easier than the Cook Book and might be more cost effective.

Possible themes: Recipes, bible verses, community life photos

Community Life Events that are still viable

1. An Agape Meal: Sometime in the future
2. **May 31**...Memorial Day Celebration (if quarantine is lifted) or a late Cinco De Mayo Festival
3. **August**....Beach Party
4. **November**.....A Thanksgiving event featuring our Native American member (Deacon Adelia) I discussed this with Adelia Sandoval: Her tribe being a part of the Thanksgiving Unity Sunday on November 29. I believe this event would provide us with a cultural event and bring people from around Southern California. We might consider this as an opportunity to have a silent auction fund raiser or so other type of fund raiser.

Fund Raiser Events:

Rosa will provide St. Matthew with 3 **Disneyland Tickets**. We were to start selling the tickets at the Sunday, March 29 Unity Mass. Because of the cancellation of Masses and closure of Disneyland the start date TBD.

Tickets Prices: 1 ticket for \$10.00
 3 tickets for \$25.00

Any person who sells 24 raffle tickets will receive a ticket for a special drawing: The winner of this special drawing will receive 4 tickets for "Planes of Fame" Air Museum in Chino, Ca. This is a \$60.00 value.

We still need to confirm the value of these tickets and any restriction. Complete the flyer.

2. **International Pot Luck**—Still viable with date TBD

- a. Community would provide their favorite ethnic dishes; main course dish or dessert.
 - b. We could charge:
 - i. \$10.00=5 tickets, \$15.00=10 tickets, \$20.00=15 tickets.
 - ii. 1 ticket per serving
 - iii. 2 tickets per Wine or Beer, 1 ticket for water and soda
 - iv. Raffle using items left from our last Auction
 1. Tickets \$1.00 each, 7 for \$5.00, 15 for \$10.00
 - v. June 14, 2020. I am thinking that June might be better since we have the fifth Sunday in May.
 - vi. We could have people submitting dishes for this event to also provide the recipe so we could start with a Saint Matthew's Cook Book.
3. Wine and food pairing: **Fall Event? Still possible**
- a. I have already talked with Tom Madden. **I'll follow up with Tom Madden**
 - b. This would be a fund raiser event with a charge. TBD
4. A/I---Drawings----Use some of the certificates and Restaurant Gift Cards. This could be part of our Thanksgiving Event or other Community Event.
5. Discuss a fund raiser for people who might want to attend the October 2020 Synod in Saint Louis, as a delegate, but have limited funds. Review the requirements for becoming a delegate. We'll also need to create an outline of the delegate's responsibilities. **Still working**

Ideas for Community Life and Fund Raiser for 2020

Items	Timeframe
Major Fund Raiser Drawing Drawing for Disneyland Tickets-	Once Community is reunited
Welcome Back Event	TBD
Unity Sunday--Memorial Day Celebration	Sunday, May 31
Fundraiser at Corner Bakery	Sunday, June 28
Beach Concert or other Concert	July or August
Unity Sunday--Beach Party	Sunday, August 30
Bishop Peter and Mirella's Vow renewal with Pot Luck	Sunday, August 2
Community Meeting to Vote on Amended Constitute	September
Nomination of New Parish Council Members	TBD
Election of New Parish Council Members	November
Unity Sunday,--Thanksgiving Feast	Sunday, November 29
Christmas Celebration—Installation of new Parish Council Members	December