

**St. Columban Worship Commission**  
**October 13, 2009 7:00 pm**  
**Meeting Minutes**

**Opening Prayer** – John McDonald

**In Attendance** –

Chad Drinnen, Father Larry, John McDonald, Ed Plageman, Anita Crowder, Jim Miller, and Mary Bellman

**Old Business:**

**Pyxes to home bound**

The ministers going to the home bound need to go directly to the people following the Mass. This is not meant for ministers that are going later in the week to visit the sick.

Where will the pyxes be placed? How will the priest know if they are to do the blessing?

Jim Miller and Ed Plageman will meet to discuss this topic and report back to the commission at a future meeting.

**Fall calendar**

It was decided to move the November meeting of the Worship Commission to November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

In the future Chad Drinnen will make sure the dates set by the Worship Commission are forwarded to the Parish Office.

**New Business:**

**Discuss our parish protocol during mass in response to H1N1**

The members of the commission discussed the parish response to H1N1.

It was decided that hand sanitizer will be put behind the wall. One will be next to where the processional crucifix is put and one on the other side on small tables.

This will start the first week in November and notices will be sent out to the ministers.

It must be unscented hand sanitizer - Father Larry and Jim Miller will take care of getting the hand sanitizer.

Hand sanitizer will also be put in the sacristy for the servers, celebrants, and lectors to use.

A notice will be put in the bulletin and Jim Miller will email a notice to the ministers.

At this point the parish does not plan to stop holding hands during the Our Father or stopping the offering of wine unless ordered to do so by the Archdiocese.

### **Review Charter**

A copy of the charter was emailed and reviewed by the members of the commission.

All members present signed the charter.

There were no changes to the charter.

### **Confirm details for Fall Anointing Mass**

Jim Miller will put together the list of names for those to be anointed and ask the front desk of the parish office to put the name tags together.

The Student Council from school will usher and help with distributing the name tags.

Knights of Columbus will help with rides for those that need help to get to Mass for the Anointing.

### **Dress of Liturgical Ministers**

There was a discussion about the clothing worn by liturgical ministers.

The following guideline was established by the Worship Commission:

General Instruction for Liturgical Ministers dress:

It is never appropriate to wear outdoor jackets; clothing advertising athletic or company names or logos; shorts; sweatshirts/pants; jeans; or warm-up suits.

Think of your clothes as the vestments of your ministry. Your dress should be appropriate at all times. Wear what you would wear to a Job Interview, Funeral or Wedding. Please keep in mind that modesty should be observed.

The policy will be put into effect for the first Sunday of Advent.

Closing Prayer – John McDonald

**Next meeting: November 3, 2009 7:00 p.m.**

**Prayer – Sharon Klug**

**Refreshments – Jim Miller**