

St Columba's Social Justice Group Minutes: Wednesday January 30 2019

Attendance:, David Hair, Fay Hair, Elizabeth Mulrennan, Maria Panuccio, Evelyn Umali, Vasile Tiano

Apologies: Julianna Bates, Therese Briggs, Maria Fiatarone Singh, Desiree Leone, Maree Lucas, Belinda Morrissey, Tim Nelson, Dan Umali, Anne-Marie Whelan

ITEM	DISCUSSION/DECISIONS	ACTION/BY WHOM
Acknowledgement of Country		Evelyn
Opening prayer & reflection	Our Father (Ron Rolheiser 1996)	Fay
<p>ACTION ITEMS</p> <p>(i)Evaluation of 2018 SJ group.</p> <p>(ii) Themes for 2019-02-01 :</p> <p>St Bakhita's feast next weekend (8 February) events and Mass at St. Mary's Prayer cards to be given out at Masses next weekend</p> <p>Refugee Week 16-20 June Naidoc Week 7-14 July Other Possibilities: Care of Creation 5 June or 1 September World Day of Poor 17 November</p> <p>iii) Formation and opening prayer</p>	<p>(i)Fay ran a brief evaluation exercise which was followed by a short discussion (see attached notes)</p> <p>ii) Further discussion on this required</p> <p>iii) a discussion took place on this, regarding format, topic. Vasile described how it took place in the Parish council : someone may bring something along as Fay had at this meeting.</p>	<p>(i)Fay has written up the outcomes. Further discussion may ensue at the next meeting (attached)</p> <p>ii) All</p> <p>iii) members can bring prayer/reflections to share</p> <p>iv) Fay & Evelyn will liaise with liturgy organisers at each Mass to provide extra person</p>

<p>iv) At next Sunday masses for St Bakhita Feast Day, a basket of Ethically sourced goods will be taken up with the Offertory Procession</p>	<p>iv) Fay</p>	
<p>v) Housing Assembly at Sydney Town Hall 14 March</p>	<p>Fay , David and Elizabeth explained what will be happening and that we would need a strategy to encourage Parishioners to attend</p>	<p>Fay and Dave and Elizabeth to attend training day on 31 January</p> <p>Elizabeth to prepare items for Parish Bulletin and to speak at all Masses on weekend 16 & 17 February</p>
<p>Jesuit Refugee Service</p>	<p>Will now be speaking at Masses on 23 & 24 February</p>	
<p>Other Business</p>	<p>Fay reported that she met with Bernard Ryan (Principal of St Columba’s PS) about programs to raise awareness of refugees in St Columba community. Several possibilities were discussed.”</p>	
<p>ADMIN AND COMMUNICATION PPC Delegate</p>	<p>Attendance at next PPC meeting</p>	<p>Elizabeth 5 February David 19 March Elizabeth 19 April 11 June)following dates to be decided 23 July 3 September 15 October 26 November 7 January 2020 18 February 2020</p>
	<p>(i) Rotate chairing and sending out Agenda, Minutes (ii) Meal</p>	<p>(i)Fay and Dave: Chairing/Agenda for the time being ii)Elizabeth-Minutes iii) Maria Panuccio has offered to write the weekly bulletin contributions for most of February with input from Elizabeth regarding the Housing Assembly</p>