

Blessed Hugh Church Faringdon

PPC minutes 27th June 2024

8.15-9.30pm

Present: Vanessa + Darren Hall, Kathleen, Fr Claro, JP, Mike Lubinskei and Karen

Apologies: Aude, Paul Padley (was present for the first half), Nicole

Opening prayer: Lead by Father

Matters arising and actions from the last meeting:

- **Talks:** Autumn talks in Sep, Oct and Nov (all set up) as well as 2025 talks... Advertising talks need improvement, attendance could be better... Friday talks, instead of during the week. HDMI cable to connect to people's laptops – sorted!
- The procession: a little chaotic this year, should introduce some rules or discuss improvements and the meaning of the sacrament.
- **Social media:** Successful link between Instagram and Facebook pages, as Karen is unable to visit the youth groups every time, younger sister will help take photos... Add an Instagram QR code to notice board... Mission statement is nearly finalised, ready to be put onto the parish website.
- **Youth:** A need for discussion for funding a summer trip (this could be local) – father is willing to use parish finance to enable this
- **Children liturgy:** Good number of liturgists, very successful with a timetable in place
- **Mass:** Choral Service: Pick hymns that we know well so that everyone is singing... More Catholics should be involved in this, talk to other churches... Possible dates – **6th or 12th October (Saturday or Sunday?) at around 4ish...** Church service times to be put on the website + social medias.
- **Community:** Shared lunch post mass is very close to harvest festival time so more discussions on this (6th October?) ... Food bank for people in need

Next meeting: 18th July 2024

Chair: **Minutes:**

Closing prayer: Father Claro