

Pro-Life Committee Meeting Minutes

June 21, 2016

The meeting started around 5:30 PM by praying the "Fr. Franco prayer" on back of the pro-life card. Next Dutch told the team that he has been assigned as the Orion Service Module structure's deputy manager. In that role, he will be working later hours as he is corresponding with people in the more western time zones. In addition, he'll be overseeing testing that will take him out of state/country for extended periods of time. Because of this, he proposed a couple solutions to mitigate this problem. In the end, the committee agreed to have Dutch stay on as the committee chair (at least for the time being) but not meet as often. Therefore, we will be meeting next on September 20 which is right before the next 40 Days for Life campaign which runs from September 28-November 26th.

In the dialogue, the following actions resulted:

1. Dutch to contact Christine to tell her that on every 2nd Wednesday of the month to add in a note that the next Tuesday we will be having a 6:15 Rosary for Life. We will be running this every month and Jerry agreed to lead it. The rest of the team are encouraged to come as often as possible. We decide to do this in case Dutch forgot to contact Christine on a monthly basis.
2. On September 14th, Dutch to contact Christine to request the following to be added into the bulletin:
 - a) The pro-life team will be meeting from 12-1 PM every Monday at St. Peter's during the 40 Days of Life Campaign for a Holy Hour. The specific dates are: 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21.
 - i. Include the following facts about latest campaign: 273 locations, 25 countries, 120,000 participants, 4,700 churches, 631 lives saved from abortion, 6 abortion workers quit, and 3 abortion facilities closed.
 - ii. Contact Fr. Bob about the specifics of when he'll be going to the clinic to pray.
 - b) Write a blurb to get more activity in the group.
 - c) Since we will be having a 5:30 PM meeting on 9/20/2016, I'll have here add that.

Finally, Jerry reported/asked the following:

3. Reported that the KofC presented the pro-life essay contest awards to three 8th grade students at the May 18th awards assembly at St. Peter school.
4. Asked if we wanted to do the March for Life on January 22th. Since this is so far out, we should address this again at the September 20th meeting.

The meeting ended at around 6:10 PM with an Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be.