**WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING**

**NOVEMBER 3, 2021**

Attendees: Father Walter Stumpf, Mike Collom, Bob Varick, Jane Varick

Meeting was opened at 7am with prayer led by Father Walter.

Wednesday, October 13th is the feast of Saint Edward. There will be a school Mass on this day with readings done by the school students to celebrate Saint Edward, our parish patron saint.

There will be a Mass on Nov. 1st, 2021 at 8:15am to celebrate All Saints Day. Because it is on a Monday this year, it isn’t a day of Obligation, but it is still a Holy Day and we are encouraged to attend Mass. Mike will check with Denise Klemp to see who will be doing the music.

There will be a Mass with the Anointing of the Sick on Wednesday, November 3, 2021 at 8:15am. We will make sure that this announcement will be in the bulletin. Bob and Jane will put out the cords to keep people sitting in every other pew.

There will be a Mass on Thanksgiving Morning at 9am. Bishop Dan Felton is scheduled to be the celebrant of this Mass.

The Masses for Christmas and Christmas Eve will be at the same times as previous years and priest coverage has been arranged.

Our Advent hand-outs will be “*The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen”,* a book by Bishop Sheen with 365 days of inspiration. These will be handed out at both Saint Edwards and Saint Nicholas.

Mike gave a progress report on the new organ. He and Val will meet with Pete Hofacker about pre-work needed. This work should be done during Thanksgiving week. The organ should be installed the second week of December.

There has been work on the sound system which has resolved the humming issues.

We have a new pianist to help on weekends. His name is Jonathon and he is a music student at Lawrence University.

Father talked to Mike about having the Antiphon sung at the beginning of Mass during Advent.

Our next Worship Committee is scheduled for Nov. 3rd at 7am.

The meeting was closed at 7:35am with prayer led by Father Walter.

Respectfully submitted, Jane Varick