

2019-2020 EDITION

Epiphany Sages Newsletter
October 2019

Mission Statement

Epiphany Sages is a ministry for senior members dedicated to support one another and the community through spiritual, social, and service activities.

Core Team

Joan Hagedorn, Chair (19)
Georgiana Hagman, Vice-Chair (20)
Bob Pessolano, Treasurer (19)
Shirley Stivers, Secretary (21)
Lois Miller (21)
Ellen Wells (21)
Carl Trimble (19)
Shirley Cripe (20)
Martha Gyimesi (20)

Committee Chairs

Hospitality: Ellen Wells, Martha Gyimesi, Shirley Cripe

Membership: Carl Trimble

Newsletter: Bill Carlisle

Program: Sally Price

Social: Suzanne Mosley, Nancy Quarles

Spirituality: Lois Miller

Sunshine: Pat Pearson

Core Team Meetings

The Wednesday before the General Membership meeting at 10 AM in Area "E" of the Community Center. Any member is welcome to attend.

General Membership Meetings

All General Membership Meetings will be on the 3rd Sunday of the Month after the 11:30 AM liturgy in the Community Center

No meetings in June (Father's Day), nor December (Sages Annual Christmas Party)

Next Core Team Meeting:

Oct16th in the Community Center at 10 AM



Sages

****PLEASE WEAR YOUR EPIPHANY NAME BADGE TO THE GENERAL MEETINGS!****

Core Team Minutes: Sept 11th, 2019
The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am.
Lois Miller said the opening prayer.

Members Present: Joan Hagedorn, Bob Pessolano, Carl Trimble, Shirley Cripe, Martha Gyimesi, Suzanne Mosley, Nancy Quarles, Ellen Wells, Lois Miller, Pat Pearson, Angie Fox

Officer's Reports:

Secretary: Shirley Stivers

The August Core Team minutes were approved.

Treasurer's report: Bob Pessolano

Report for August 2019

Opening Balance	\$1191.00
Income	\$278.00
Expenses	\$197.75
Closing Balance	\$1271.25

Chair's Comments: Joan Hagedorn

The bylaws were passed out. The Core Team will study them and review them at the October Core Meeting. Ballots will be passed out at the September Gathering for Core Team nominations for 2020. Food voting ballots will be placed on the tables at the September Gathering to determine which Model Hospitality will use.

Community Life: Angie Fox

A new seminarian will be assigned to Epiphany in the fall on Wednesdays. The long range planning meetings are continuing. Lisa Downes is the new formation director. The Ministry Fair will be the weekend of September 21-22. The Stewardship will be the weekend of September 28-29.

Committee reports:

Hospitality: Ellen Wells

Barbecue, slaw and chips will be served Sunday. It was suggested and approved that we include pickles. In October, we may be serving bratwursts. In November, we will be making breakfast casseroles. Several Core Team members offered to make them. After the voting for Model A or B, we will determine what type of dishes volunteers sign up for the following month. The count will be taken and tallied before the speaker presents and the results shared.

Social: Nancy Quarles/Suzanne Mosley

The next bridge event is November 21 at the Lighthouse from 12:30-4:30. The Fall Bravo's Luncheon is Thursday, September 26 at 11:45. Joan Hagedorn will contact persons to confirm. Nancy Quarles will collect checks on Sunday at the Gathering from those who sign up for the Vermont trip.

Programs: Sally Price

Jenny Zeller will speak at September Gathering about the Giant Trolls at Bernheim Forest. Jim Higdon will speak

at the October Gathering about the Cornbread Mafia and evolution of marijuana laws.

Membership: Carl Trimble.

We had a record breaking 107 persons attend the August Gathering. 93 were members; 14 were guests.

Sunshine: Pat Pearson

No cards were sent out last month. Three cards will be sent out as a result of requests from Core Team members for Sages who are sick or recovering.

Spiritual: Lois Miller

The venue for the Retreat has been changed to the Community Center. Lois will speak about the retreat at the September Gathering. June Kellerman will head up the volunteers for the November Sages Mass.

Newsletter and Communication:

Deadline for the newsletter is September 23. Pat Trimble has offered to take over the newsletter in January 2020.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 AM

NOMINATIONS FOR CORE TEAM

Wanted: Enthusiastic people who want to help foster community experiences for the 50 year and older members of Epiphany. No special skills needed, just a sense of humor and a willingness to pitch in. We need persons willing to run for **CORE TEAM**. All jobs start in January 2020. If interested in nominating someone or self-nominating for **THE TEAM**, contact Joan Hagedorn at joanhagedorn46@gmail.com or [502-759-2766](tel:502-759-2766).

SAVE THE DATE

October 16,	Wednesday at 10	Core Team Mtg.
October 20,	Sunday at 12:45	October Gathering
November 13	Wednesday at 10	Core Team Mtg.
November 17	Sunday at 12:45	November Gathering
December 7	Saturday at TBA_	Christmas Party

Sages 2020 Bus Trip
"VERMONT"

September 13-19, 2020 ~ 7 Days-6 Nights
\$840/person, double occupancy (*includes tips*)
\$69 for Insurance

Trip Highlights:

Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream Factory
Cold Hollow Cider Mill ~ Shelburne Museum
Morse Farm Maple Sugar Works
Rock of Ages Granite Quarry ~ Montpelier State Capitol
Stowe Village, a charming New England Village
Cruise on beautiful Lake Champlain with Entertainment

PLUS MUCH MORE!

\$75 deposit is required at signup time
checks payable to: Epiphany Catholic Church

WE LOVE TO EAT

The Core Team thanks everyone for their input in helping us find a solution to our luncheon dilemma. The Sages voted at the September Gathering on which Model they preferred. In a dramatic count, it was a dead heat. We decided to make everyone happy and alternate months. This is a big winner for the Hospitality Committee who no longer will have to recruit 30 cooks a month. Thanks for your input and your understanding.

In October we will use Model A. In November, Model B.

MODEL A: 18-20 Sages members will bring a side or salad. We will provide the entree and the dessert, for example, sheet cakes.

MODEL B: 12 Sages members will bring a dessert. We will provide a light lunch, for example, a sandwich, chips, and fruit.

THANKS TO ALL THE KITCHEN WORKERS AND COOKS

We are appreciative for all the people who contributed to the luncheon at our SEPTEMBER GATHERING. The following persons brought food, set up, and/or cleaned up: Lilly Alexis, Martha Gyimesi, Shirley Cripe, Ellen Wells, Steve and Ann Joachim, Sally and John Price, Joan and Ron Hagedorn, Pat Bland, Shirley Stivers, Pat Pearson, Lois Miller, Liz Edwards, Bobbe Moutray, Nancy Quarles, Georgiana Hagman, and others who brought a dish but did not sign up.

SAGES OCTOBER GATHERING:

Please join the Sages on October 20th at 12:45 in the Community Center. Our presenter, Jim Higdon, is the author of The Cornbread Mafia. His talk is entitled "Cornbread: From legal to illegal to legal again." Currently, he is doing research for a book on the history of Louisville's Portland area. All members of the parish 50 and over are invited. A light lunch will be served.

Happy Birthday Sages (October)

10/01 Miceli, Virginia	10/19 Tichenor, Bernie
10/03 Downs, Charles	10/19 Ward, Andrew
10/03 Eimer, Charlene "Toni"	10/20 Carlisle, Sandra
10/06 Holt, Marina	10/21 Pessolano, Judy
10/09 Trimble, Pat	10/21 Warde, Carmen
10/12 Hagman, Georgiana	10/24 Baur, Deedee
10/12 Hiland, Steve	10/25 Fitzgerald, Mike
10/14 Niehoff, Fay	10/26 O'Bryan, Sherri (Gossman)
10/14 Walsh, Kathy	10/27 Domzalski, Charlotte
10/15 Peariso, Larry	10/29 Bennett, Stephanie
10/16 Ashley, Jean	10/30 Calle', Mary Ann
10/18 Cripe, Shirley	
10/18 Metsker, Judy	
10/18 Vujanovic, Sanja	