Regional Dean's Report

for Sudbury-Manitoulin Deanery Council Meeting May 14th, 2022

Dear Friends and Colleagues in the Sudbury-Manitoulin Deanery,

I pray you are all doing well and that God continues to bless and uphold you in your respective ministries.

We had a wonderful Easter Vigil led by members of this Deanery at the Church of the Epiphany. Rev. Charles Nolting of New Hope Lutheran Church preached a stellar sermon.

For any folks in our Deanery who are not able to come to church for personal, physical reasons, or for parishes that are in transition of Ministry Leadership, please make them aware that the Church of the Epiphany offers live-steam worship every Sunday morning beginning at 10:30am.

Most of you have submitted your Annual Reports to me. Thank You. For those who have yet to do so, please send me your reports in file by way of email.

There are two outstanding property matters that I hope to follow up on with our Archdeacon and members of this Council. Building inspections and visits with Wardens need to take place in the parishes of Copper Cliff/Lively and also Elliot Lake.

I have been eager to meet with all Council Members, likely via Zoom, to speak with you all about the work and ministry of our Diocesan Social Justice Committee. As the SJC is now up and running, it would be really good if we could all meet to discuss what is happening in your parishes related to the work of social justice.

Please also be aware that there is now an urgent need for cooks at Camp Manitou. The camp is in need of two or three adults with some experience to help cook for the Junior Girl's camp for the week of July 2nd-9th, 2022.

I look forward to seeing you all at the Algoma Clergy Conference.

Yours Faithfully,

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