

Liturgy Committee Core Tasks

Reflection Sheet 3

The rites should be distinguished by a noble simplicity #34 CSL

3. Coordination and Communication

The work of liturgy involves the cooperation of many different ministries. Coordination of and communication with these ministries and the worshipping community are important. The liturgy committee holds ‘the big picture’ and directs and empowers certain groups such as music ministry and creative groups but doesn’t take over. These ministries have their own expertise and need to be allowed to do what they do best within a framework. There needs to be balance between independence and supervision. It may be helpful to have a representative from each ministry in the liturgy team for better understanding of the issues and improved communication.

Questions for reflection and discussion:

- What information needs to be communicated to the assembly for greater participation?
How would this happen? Who will do it?
- What information needs to be communicated to liturgical ministers and others?
How will this happen? Who will do it?
- How does communication happen between ministries?
What needs to be communicated? How will this happen? Who will do this?
- Is there coordination between ministries?
How does this happen? Who does this?
- How are the different masses coordinated?
Is it necessary that each mass is coordinated?
What about major feasts? Will this improve the prayer of the people?
- Is there coordination between the parish and school?
If there is communication/coordination then can this be improved?
How and who will do this?
If the communication/coordination between school and parish is not good then how can this be improved and who will do it?