

Faith Formation Commission Notes –DRAFT-
Annunciation, St Joseph, St Jude, St Patrick
08/07/07
6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Faith Formation Site
Media Room

Attendance: Sr. Pat Clement, Ken Krautkramer, Terry Pasterski, Julianne Donlon, Pat Erdmann-minutes

Absent: Lisa Cochrane, Nancy Cornwell, Joe Jacques, Maxine Geiger, Peggy Lee

I. Opening Prayer: Pat Erdmann

II. Approval of Agenda as noted:

III. Approval of Minutes as noted:

- Correct under Parish Council Reports St. Jude – remove reference to Terry not able to attend council sessions.
- Sr. Pat moved to accept minutes as amended. Accepted by all

IV. Committee Reports:

a. Adult Ministry: Sr. Pat

- Set dates for Celtic Spirituality Sessions with Julianne.
Oct. 18, Nov 15, Dec 20, Jan 17, Feb 21, Mar 13, Apr 17 tentative dates to be confirmed by Julianne.
- Chamber Island Retreat needs to be advertised more. Only 8 signed up at this point. Need to get the word out in the announcements at mass and maybe signs posted as people walk into mass to remind them to get their registration in.
- Start advertising for the next session of the Adventure Bible Study.
- We will promote options for faith formation that are available from other parishes.
*Pope & the Papacy is going to be offered at Nativity. More information will be available in the near future.
- Julianne reported the C'YA programs are not just for the young people. People of all ages can attend.
- Considering coordinating some sort of adult education to coincide with the time that the children are in RE. Julianne to present a questionnaire to adults at the Sept. meetings to see if there is enough interest.

b. Youth Ministry: Julianne Donlon

- Tour of the youth center & library. The youth center projects are still on hold pending the reconciliation of the zoning issues.

- Vacation Bible Study cancelled because of lack of interest. After it was cancelled we did have some additional people sign up.
- Steubenville Trip was a huge success
- The new RE Youth Minister Becky Kittell stepped into introduce herself to our group.
- Present parents of the RE students with a questionnaire to see if they would participate in some form of education or program for the adults while the children are in class.

c. **RE**

d. **Parish Council Reports**

- **Annunciation: Joe Jacques**
 - Not in attendance
- **St. Joseph:**
 - Not in attendance
- **St. Jude: Terry Pasterski**

Terry discussed St. Jude's 50th Anniversary celebration planning. The committee is working very hard organizing and collecting information about priests and parish members.

 - Oct 28 Mass at 10:30 with 12:00 reception and 1:00 lunch to follow at Riverside Ballroom.
 - The Women's Club helped to sponsor a Keepsake Christmas ornament which will be available for sale.
 - Keepsake DVD will be available for sale

V. OLD BUSINESS

a. Accomplishments

- Sr. Pat asked that each one of the members of the faith formation commission jot down what they feel we have accomplished last year.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

a. Membership on the Faith Formation Commission

- Each parish is to have two members attending.
 - Sr. Pat has a few names of people to contact as a replacement for Darlene Ward.

b. Bring goal suggestions for 2007-2008

c. Assign prayer leaders per month at September meeting

Next Meeting: Sept 4, 2007

Prayer Leader: Sr. Pat