



## **MEETING DETAILS**

**Description:** Family and Community Life Committee Meeting Minutes

**Date:** Tuesday, September 11, 2018

**Time:** 7:30 PM

**Location:** SJN Good Shepherd 2

**Chair:** Steve Chojnacki

### **Members**

- **Present:** Bernadette Vitullo, Deb Mason, Teresa Klippen, Renee Fogerty, Lisa Okoneski (Staff), Wendy Ashbridge (Staff), Steve Chojnacki (Chair), Michaela Willer (PPC), Mike Meirink (PPC), Brittany Majeski (Young Adult), Ted Garding
  - **Absent:** Norma King, Emily Hayden, Lona Wacker, Mickey Custodio (PPC Liaison)
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Our committee size is increasing! Renee Fogerty joined our group this year. After sitting in on this meeting, we added Ted Garding and Brittany Majeski to our membership. Welcome to all of you!

### **Agenda Item 1... Ministry Updates**

**Long Range Plan Focus Area:** Parishioner Involvement, Communication

**Short Term / Current Year Goal/Objective(s):** Discuss current state of ministries and address any planning needed or concerns

- The Welcoming Group established last spring to contact new parishioners and welcome them to the parish will meet in September to establish a plan for this year. **(Bernadette Vitullo)**.
- Information inside new parishioner folder needs to be updated. Each parish committee needs to ensure their brochure is updated and submitted. **(Steve, Wendy, Lisa)**
- Family and Community Life tri-fold brochure needs to be updated by the time of the Stewardship Ministry Fair on Oct 27/28. **(Wendy, Steve)**
- Young Adult Ministry continues to grow and plan new activities based on feedback from members. **(Michaela, Brittany)**
- Wit & Wisdom 55+, after visiting the FCL committee last spring and discussing how they can move forward and improve this ministry, have undergone some major changes and have taken much more ownership of their group. They have been working diligently to increase membership, activities and visibility. They created a brochure, purchased a banner and are now meeting monthly instead of quarterly. They also worked at the Summer Sizzle picnic, taking sponsorship of on-site raffle ticket sales and have agreed to do it next year as well.
- The Adoption Mass is coming up on Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. The ministry itself is struggling without a leader. A bulletin announcement was run looking for volunteers to plan the Mass. Two people responded but don't want to take the



lead. Another bulletin announcement will be run (**Wendy**). It is thought that those who have volunteered should do some planning with Father Doug.

### **Agenda Item 2...Stewardship Ministry Fair**

**Long Range Plan Focus Area:** Parishioner Involvement, Communication

**Short Term / Current Year Goal/Objective(s): Plan upcoming event on October 27/28**

- Staffing of table at the ministry fair will be determined in the next few weeks as well as follow up contacts (**Steve and committee**)

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>