

Ss. Bruno and Paul Joint Meeting
February 5, 2018
6:30 PM
St. Paul's Family Room

FF Definition: St. Bruno and St. Paul Faith Formation spans the entire life cycle, exhibits high standards of excellence, and helps parishioners encounter Christ through education, outreach, and support.

(Courtesy of the Faith Formation Strategic Planning Group FF6)

Faith Formation Committee Goals for 2018:

1. Increase membership in the Faith Formation Committee.
2. At every meeting have members relate how they have responded to our mission statement (definition) in the last few months.
3. Expansion or revision of programs for Adults to increase interest and participation throughout the year.
4. At each meeting, utilize an "Inspirational topic" to provide education or support for committee members. The format for this can vary - an article, video, "show & tell" of a new program,

Members Present: Cindy Beauchamp, Dan Zehnpfennig, Amy Golden, Karen Farrell, Mary Kral, Bill Snyder, Lisa Bixby, Jean Warren

Prayer: Jean Warren

Future Meeting Format-

For future meetings: Ask for updates from all staff and pastoral council reps (as in the past) Put them in the agenda, send out the agenda (on Fri or Sat.) for all committee members to review before the meeting. If no reports sent, ask the individuals to bring them to the meeting. The meeting would consist of: Prayer, individuals responding to our mission statement, questions on updates (only read individually - not reviewed), input from committee members, then our "Inspirational topic". Staff members would rotate being responsible for organizing & leading this topic.

Also check with the staff - do we need a meeting? In other words, only meet when really necessary.

All were in agreement for this format.

Pastoral Council – (Dan, Cindy, Kelly)

Kelly – no meeting with Common meeting night at St. Bruno's

Cindy & Dan – A lot of school discussion; idea for inspirational worship – Feb. 25th have Pastoral Council members fill in Mass roles

Child Ministry – (Karen & Amy)

Karen is working on:

- 1. First Communion Preparation
- 2. First Communion Retreat
- 3. Reading iGen by Jean Twenge
- 4. Classes
- 5. Middle School Youth Rally - we have 25 kids going

Amy is working on:

- Parishioner Appreciation Dinner for St Bruno's
- Planning March Eucharist Retreats
- Continuing to make some of my own items for the Atrium
- Budget for 2018-19

Youth Ministry – (Bill)

Bill is working on:

- Living Stations
- Confirmation Paperwork & Tracking
- Wisconsin Catholic Youth Rally
- Mission & Steubenville Trips
- Prayer Wall (working with Mary Kral & Adult Ministry)– people can “leave or take” a prayer. Will begin Ash Wednesday at both parishes, but stay up. Bill and Youth are building these.

Feb. 23rd Living Stations of the Cross; wonderful musical production put on by Bill Snyder & Mark Mrozek with 20+ parish youth; professional lighting; all done on stage with a “snap shot” of each station.

Refreshments for the night- decided on bagged snacks & small bottled water.

Adult Ministry - (Mary)

Mary is working on:

- Alpha: Tuesday AM St Paul, Thursday PM St Bruno
- Small groups: Monday AM St Bruno, Tuesday PM St Paul
- RCIA
- Baptisms to be scheduled prior to Lent
- “Items List” for after Alpha - list handed out & explained by Mary. The list will go into the bulletins; explanation will be posted in Gathering Place.

From Patrick and Ann-Marie Duemling: *Catholicism* series by Fr. Robert Barron is being offered to the parishes starting on February 20th (at St. Paul’s). Brief explanation given by Mary & Karen, will be run by Patrick & Ann-Marie. Still openings – see St. Paul’s website to register.

Inspirational Topic: Led by Karen Farrell. “Fruitful Discipleship” – an exercise to see where our parishes currently lie between maintenance & mission. Interesting discussion followed.

General –

Feb. 10th, 2018 St. Paul’s Dinner Auction

Feb. 23rd, 2018 Living Stations of the Cross

April 21st, 2018 St. Bruno’s “Men Who Cook” Dinner Auction

April 24th, 2018 - St. Paul’s Pastoral Council Update

What Is Happening/ Where Help IS Needed:

Future Agenda Items:

Next Meeting: March 5, 2018 at St. Bruno’s 6:30 PM

Respectfully submitted by Jean Warren