

Faith Formation Commission meeting, Feb. 19, 2019

Members present: Kevin & Leslie Sullivan, Anne Blindt, Mike Gabor, Ben Roden, Marty Honisch, Georgine Jacobs, Susan Swanke

Members excused: Jenna Ripp, Kevin Laufenberg, Joe & Holley Gugel

Mike opened us in prayer at 6:39 p.m.

Events review:

Leslie shared with the group a recap of the Sacred Scripture SWODI class that was held recently. Weather was poor on the nights of the event but those present were happy with the presentation/class. Staff will look to possibly coordinate a one-night SWODI class during the Easter Season.

Staff updates:

Jenna – Baptism prep is going really well! All is normal in Elementary RE.

Kevin L. – RCIA is progressing with several meeting times weekly. Adult Confirmation will begin during Lent. Ben asked why our parish does not do any of the *scrutinies* or liturgical rites for the candidates. Staff will check in on the rationale for this.

Kevin S. – Edge, the new Middle School RE curriculum is a fun challenge. Kevin will schedule more catechist planning time into the schedule next year as that will help him be more hands-off. Frassati Fest (HS retreat) was good with 13 teens and LBH sign-up continues. If you know of any adult lead missionaries to serve on a week of LBH, pass long names to Kevin!

Evangelical Catholic:

Overall – we had 76 respondents interested in small groups this Lent! They are being split into 9 groups and they will begin meeting the week of Feb. 24.

Mission Night – we covered some specific jobs/roles needed to help make the mission night a success and several commission members signed up to help in those roles. We are optimistically anticipating a large crowd (200+).

Little Books:

We'll hand out *Little Books* the weekend of March 2/3 after Masses – right before Lent begins. Kevin S. will make a sign-up tracker and Leslie will share the list with occasional volunteers.

Our meeting closed in prayer at 7:31 p.m.