



Ministry Report from: Faith Formation & Youth Ministry
Date: June 2017

1. What have you accomplished or worked on this month? What events or activities have you sponsored or presented? (please include numbers of participants and helpers)
 - Catechist Year end meeting – 6/5 – 25 catechists attended; celebrated successes from this year and planned for next year.
 - New Alpha term & Catholicism 101 started – 6/7; 14 attended first session
 - Ongoing Faith Formation Registration and conversations with families – scheduled appointments on June 5, 7, 11, 12 & 14 – 35% of returning families already registered; at 42% (using last year numbers) total registered (variance because of new families to program) as of 6/7/17
 - Confirmation Parent and Candidate meeting – 6/11
 - Youth Ministry Core Team– planning meeting 6/12
 - VBS/Kidz Camp – planning meeting 6/13
 - NCYC stock sale has \$3199 collected as of 6.7.17 – toward our goal of \$4000

2. What are the current or active plans and dreams you are currently working on or discussing?
 - Catechist and volunteer Recruitment – following systematic 6-month process suggested by Ministry Architects to help place people in volunteer roles including members for Youth Ministry CORE planning team and Family Faith Formation Catechists – at 38% of roles filled as of 6.7.17
 - Hired a person for a full time Coordinator of Children's Ministries. She will start in late August. Person will be responsible for First Reconciliation and First Communion prep, RCIA for children, Children's Liturgy of the Word, and other children's programs.
 - Starting Middle School Alpha in the fall
 - Summer Monthly Youth Ministry Fun nights 6/11, 7/16, 8/13, 9/10
 - Young Adult Summer events – Eyes on Christ adoration and discussion group on 2-3 Sunday nights, connecting to other diocese events when announced
 - Working with department staff and volunteers to plan for next year's faith formation, sacrament, and youth ministry programs