



Ministry Report from: Faith Formation & Youth Ministry (Jodi Scott)  
 Date: January 2018

1. What have you accomplished or worked on this month? What events or activities have you sponsored or presented?

Event	Details	Volunteers	Participants
Family Faith Formation Program	Family groups met at various times throughout the month. Many completed service projects and many attended Epiphany Party coordinated by several of the catechists	22 Lead Catechists and Family Group Facilitators	300 youth Prek-12 and counting and parents/grandparents
Children's Liturgy	Sept 10 9,10,11am Masses	30 adult and teen volunteers	Avg attendance: 9am – 5-10 10am – 10-20 11am – 10-15
CYO Registration and CASE training for Coaches	Games have started  Knight of Columbus to partner on admissions and concessions  A few games rescheduled due to weather or gym conflicts – Athletic Director is “on it”	3 Athletic Directors, 25+ Coaches	180+ youth grades 3-12
VBS Kidz Camp Day Dec 28	Had a great experience for children PreK4-rade 6 and their teen and adult helpers	9 adults and 12 teen volunteers	50 kids attended
High School Retreat Dec 29	Used Youth Alpha Retreat Materials, had a prayerful refreshing day	5 volunteers – adults and young adults	7 youth attended
Home for the holiday College students events	Planned 3 events – two cancelled due to weather – plan to reschedule bowling for Feb, Frassati Adoration is a monthly event at Blessed Sacrament and we can go in a future month Also worked with liturgy coordinator to involve young adults in liturgy while “home for the holidays”		
Winter Catholicism 101	Evening sessions going well and well attended	2 volunteers	15-20 participants
Coffee & Catholicism	Going well as always	2 volunteers	10-15 participants

2. What are the current or active plans and dreams you are currently working on or discussing?
- Ongoing planning for programs:
    - Family Faith Formation—2/11&12 Intergenerational Session
    - High School Alpha – continues Jan 14, 28, Feb 11
    - Adult Alpha starts Feb 21
    - Junior high Alpha start March 1
    - Confirmation – April 12 celebration
    - VBS Kidz Day Camp – Feb 28
    - First Communion Prep starts in Feb, signups open now for celebration dates
    - CASE training 1/28/18 1:30-3:30pm
  - Current Initiatives:
    - Forming and Supporting Small Groups in our Parish
      - At 52 official groups that have responded to survey of small groups
    - Volunteer Task Force
      - Jodi on Task Force commissioned by Fr Paul with Gigi Bondi and June Bounds (with work from Sarah Mancini)
      - Beginning recruitment for 2018-2019 using 6 month process from Ministry Architects – brainstorming numbers needed
    - Reregistration - Day of Quality process follow up – plan to make re-registration better for families for 2018-19 year – moving to online registration – have exciting plan in place for incentives for those who register by a certain deadline
    - Volunteer recruitment for Faith Formation Volunteers
    - Preparing publicity for Spring Launch of Alpha – Adult Alphas will start mid February. (High School Alpha continues meeting in Jan)
    - One Message seasonal Planning – Exciting Lenten plans – video, inspirational card and bulletin articles, email and more!
    - Baptismal Prep – met with Staff and priests to begin implementation of unified Saint Kateri Baptismal Prep Process
    - Young Adult Ministry Task Force to begin meeting monthly began October 30— 1 attendee at each of past two meetings – Colleen will need to strategize how to recruit people to this team
      - Meet monthly for 6 months with a Young Adult Ministry Task Force
        - This will be a group of people who have an interest in helping to set a plan and structure of Young Adult Ministry in place.
        - They will be making a 6 month commitment to this process.
        - This group will help gather, organize and process information about needs and hopes of young adults.