

One in Christ - Goals for 2023/2024
Things 'in the works' List

Share Your Thoughts :

How would you focus or tweak work in progress?
 Where are there gaps? Describe the opportunity?

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| Annual leadership gatherings | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 2-3 annual gatherings to meet and collaborate · Social events inclusive of formal and informal parish leaders · Event follow-up |
| Help parishioners to tell their faith stories | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Written 'My Stories' can be easier to share (poster, bulletin) · Start every meeting with a 'My Story'. · Share 'Life Stories' starting as one on one to ease into it. |
| Reaching out to new members, families celebrating sacraments, funerals, etc. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Want to involve more than office staff · Plan for follow-up after celebrations; Email invitations to specific events. · Form a committee to look at a common and consistent process. · A couple makes a home visit welcome. · Listen to understand why people are leaving church. |
| Continue education in stewardship & evangelization | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Have a promotional fair to invite volunteers. · Offer more Stewardship education. · Education on sacred items. e.g. Tabernacle · Gather new ideas to increase Time-Talent-Treasure. · Form a Faith Formation subcommittee to help people in their journey of faith. |
| Reach out to each of our Pastoral Councils in partnership and collaboration | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Continue ACC members attending/participating in Pastoral Council of another parish. · 1-2 All Pastoral Council gatherings annually. · ACC efforts reported routinely at Pastoral Council agendas and PC efforts reported routinely at ACC agendas. |
| Continue in getting to know each other within our OiC | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Cross volunteer between churches. · Encourage more visiting each other's parishes and Mass. All of us. · Parish breakfast rotation, hosting/visiting another parish. |
| Communication <i>(added 2/7)</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Keep striving to be better. Use all the tools. · It is hard to stay focused with similar things going on, and so many things. · Young Adults have a very effective new welcome plan. |
| Worship <i>(added 2/7)</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Offer Mental Health Mass · Offer supportive events for healing, and for widows and divorced. · Support Rural Life event in 2023 August, a One in Christ event. |
| Things on the Wait List pending our new Bishop <i>(added 2/7)</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Implement what is needed. |
| Young Adult support for growth and fellowship <i>(added 2/7)</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Consider how to support child care during events/activities. |
| Good Neighbor to one new area church (non Catholic) <i>(added 2/7)</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Each parish identify one new relationship and partners with that church to listen and learn about each other. |