Ministry Invigoration

How Can Saint John Assist Ministries In Joyously Fulfilling the Mission of the Church?



Agenda

- * Introduction
 - * Parish Mission
 - * Definition of Ministry
- * Stewardship of Ministries
- * Benefits of Saint John Ministries
- * Ministry Requirements





Introduction: Mission of Saint John

To Know, To Love and To Serve God, in His Church and Our Community

#ToKnow: Educate and Evangelize

#ToLove: Socialize and Include

#ToServe: Minister and Diakonia





We Are Saint John: New Engagement and Communications

- * "New Wineskin"
 - * The Past is the Past
- * All on the Same Team
 - * One Voice
 - * Working Together
- * Positive and Joyous In All Interactions and Communications
 - * With Each Other
 - * With All Parishioners



Every Volunteer is the face of Saint John at Every Moment of Encounter – Has the Opportunity to Shine the Light of Our Faith



Definition: Ministry

Ministries include active participant positions such as extraordinary minister, lector, catechist, and numerous others that laity partake in to participate fully in the daily life of the Church.



Pastoral Stewardship Council Role

- * Pastoral Stewardship Council will provide Support to your Ministry, including:
 - * Resource Access
 - Escalation Support
 - * Centralized Engagement
 - Problem Solving (Ombudsman)
- * The Council will be responsible to:
 - * Provide Proactive Communication of Church Capabilities
 - Provide link to staff and clergy
 - * Assist with the Growth of Ministries
 - * Assist the Ministries with achieving their Goals





How to Work with the Pastoral Stewardship Council

- * Communication of your Ministry to the Council will be accomplished by:
 - * Introductory Meeting with Council member to describe your Ministry
 - * Ministry Mission
 - * Current makeup of Ministry Volunteers
 - * Plans for Ministry
 - * Ministry Lead quarterly update to Council
 - * Updates and Changes to your Ministry





Benefits of Ministry at Saint John

- * Access to Church Resources
 - * Room Scheduling and Prioritization
 - * Communication Support
 - * Bulletin Space
 - * Website Page
 - * Email Engagement
- * Integration with the Saint John Mission
- * Camaraderie with other Ministries and People





Requirement: Communication Process

- * Ministry must be reachable and available 12 months out of the year
- Ministry must communicate changes of organization to Pastoral Stewardship Council
- Quarterly Updates on membership and program activities
- * Event Communication to include pre-event description along with event results





Requirement: Volunteer Status

- * Fingerprinting of all Volunteers with 5 year updates
 - * Church will reimburse for all costs associated with fingerprinting
 - * Protects the Individual Volunteer, the Ministry, the Church and all we serve
- * Safe Environment Training
 - Onetime Training Session
 - * Saint John will provide local classes as needed June 4th first session
- * Code of Conduct To Include Volunteer Commitment

Requirement: Enlivening Your Ministry

- * Matching your Ministry to the Parish Mission
- * Enabling New Volunteer Opportunities
- * Utilize Church Communication Tools
 - * Web Site Material
 - * Weekly Event Email Communications
 - * Bulletin and Print Material
- * Infuse "We Are Saint John" into Ministry Encounters



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