PASTORAL COUNCIL

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OBJECTIVE #1: Evaluate, refine and execute the Annual	ACTIONS	PLANNED COMPLETION
Leadership Discernment Process with the		
objective of filling 100% of the leadership	Survey commission members on their level of engagement.	Mar 2014
positions available within the Pastoral Council	PC Chair makes appeal to commission members to nominate	Feb2014
and Commissions.	persons engaged within their ministries.	1002014
Measurements: All positions filled with qualified and engaged parishioners. Identified leaders have a clear 	Introduce Discernment Process	Feb 2014
	Host two information meetings.	Mar 2014
understanding of their role and	Plan and execute Discernment Night service.	Apr 6,2014
expectations within the position. All Leadership members feel engaged	Host a welcome new members and thank you exiting members reception.	Jun 2014
in their commissions and/or the council	Review Job Descriptions of Leadership Positions to ensure they match today's reality.	Jan 2014
	Ask LDT to perform an evaluation of discernment process.	May 2014
	Train new members on commission procedures	Aug 2014
OBJECTIVE #2:	ACTIONS	PLANNED
Change the focus of the Pastoral Council to look further into the future of the parish	Revise annual planning process to encompass multi-year Action	COMPLETION
beyond the current Annual Planning Cycle.	Plans.	June 2014
Evaluate challenges and opportunities for	Define and document timelines associated with annual planning.	May 2014
facility expansion to accommodate projected		
growth. Measurements:	Become familiar with parish long-term budgeting numbers	Sep 2014
Long-term goals and visions are	Review the demographics and economics of surrounding communities for changes that could affect the parish.	Jun 2014
 clearly identified. Timelines for the planning objectives 	Explore land purchase option to allow for future expansion possibilities	Winter 2014
of commissions are more flexible and reflect the realities of plan	Select OAG for 2015-2016	June 2014
executions.Commission budget requirements are	Pre-announce OAG for upcoming year(s) - campaign	Aug Kick-off
 able to be submitted at the start of the budget planning cycle. Commissions know and understand OAGs for current year, next year and the following year. 		
OBJECTIVE #3:	ACTIONS	PLANNED COMPLETION
Provide and promote opportunities for all members of the parish leadership structure to	Annual Leadership Retreat	Spring or Fall
Know and Celebrate the Catholic Faith. Measurements:	Leadership day of fasting and prayer.	Week before Pentecost
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Leadership book/article reading "assignments" and discussion.

Add Commission e-mail addresses to spiritual e-mail blast topics.

Create fund to pay for leadership participation in Formation

opportunities

Jun/Jul 2014

Feb 2014

Jun 2014

- Measurements:
 - > 80% participation of leadership members in Annual Leadership Retreat.
 - Outgoing member surveys suggest spiritual growth amoung those who have served.
 - > Increased member participation at various adult faith formation events within the parish