

**Saint John the Baptist  
Faith Formation Commission  
April 2018 Minutes  
Room SJH**

<b>Date:</b>	April 17, 2018	<b>Chair</b>	Tom Pomeroy	<b>Staff Liaison</b>	Jessica Balzarini
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Member/Attendee	Present	Member/Attendee	Present
Cheryl P.	X	Mary K ( <i>Staff</i> )	X
Jackie S.	X	Jessica Zingsheim	
Jessica B ( <i>Staff Liaison</i> )	X	Michelle Stori	X
Joni M.	X	Max Robbins	X
Melanie D.		Tom P. ( <i>Chair</i> )	X
Mary Beth L.	X	Jodie W. ( <i>recorder</i> )	X
Adam Rooble ( <i>staff</i> )	X	<b>Guest:</b> Father Paul Shovelain	X

**Minutes**

- I. Opening Prayer – Max R.
- II. Focus Statements –aloud together
- III. Minutes
  - a. Discussion regarding Minutes – not an approval as much as editing. Approval done via email so it can be posted on website sooner.
- IV. Reports
  1. Live Report:
    - i. 2 Program Changes 1. Youth/Confirmation 2. Family Formation
      1. Family Formation Expansion – Mary -*Handout*
      2. Youth Ministry shift – Adam- *Handout*
      3. Confirmation changes – Adam- *Handout*
    2. ODM Department -
      - i. Looking for two new FF Commission Members
        1. Retiring from ODM is Jackie Sawyer and MaryBeth LaRue is moving
        2. Two names were suggested to Jessica Balzarini
      - ii. Current calendaring is about complete for 2018-2019
        1. Adding devoted meeting dates
        2. ODM is working with PTO for All Saints Party and Families Helping Families events.
      - iii. Budgeting process – waiting for final numbers
        1. Received monies for Admin Asst. to have more hours this summer due to expanded summer programming
        2. Additional hours to Sunday School position to fit in with FF Expansion
      - iv. Wish list project still being priced out
      - v.
- V. Calendar of Events:

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- Upcoming Events:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharistic Retreat, ~~April 15 @ 2pm~~ Postponed to Sunday, April 22. Or a home lesson option.
  - Devoted, 1<sup>st</sup> meeting, Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup> 8:00 pm
  - Confirmation at Cathedral, Thursday April 26 at 7:00 p.m.
  - First Eucharist Weekend, April 28 & 29<sup>th</sup> after 4:30pm, 8:30 & 10:30 am Masses
  - Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe, May 5th
  - **May 5 & 6 ODM Commissions Hospitality after each mass**
    - **Volunteers 4:30 pm – Cheryl P,**
    - **Volunteers 8:30 am – Michelle S, Jessica B,**
    - **Volunteers 10:30 am- Tom P, Michelle S, Jessica B**
  - May 9<sup>th</sup> Volunteer Appreciation Dinner 6:30 pm... details to come
  - Charismata, May 11th at 7:30 p.m.

2. New Business: None

3. Old Business:

1. Updates:

i. Max Robbins – Connect Groups

1. Leader's Night – April 11<sup>th</sup> -great turnout, ~25 leaders attended

2. Any parishioner interested in reviewing or joining a group – go to flocknote, look at groups and add your information to be contacted.

ii. Devoted update - 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting is Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 pm in SJH

**4. Action Items:**

1. **Specific Item:** *A request for updates on Youth 365 Monies collected*

i. **Who:** *Jessica will inquire and present at May 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting*

2. **Specific Item:** *Send out the invites to ODM Volunteers for appreciation Dinner ASAP*

i. **Who:** *ODM team*

VI. Prayer Assignments – Max and Jessica

VII. Date of Next Meeting: **May 15th, 2018 – Dinner @ 5:30 p.m., Prayer @ 6:05 p.m.**

a. Closing Prayer: Jessica Balzarini

VIII. Adjourn:

**2017-18 Meeting Dates:**

~~Aug 25, Sept 19, Oct 17, Nov 21, Dec 12, Jan 23, Feb 20, Mar 20, Apr 17, **May 15, June 5**~~