

# St. John The Baptist

## Parish Marketing and Ministries Commission Meeting Minutes

**Date:** 1/20/2026

**Attendees:** Rita, Marie, Joseph, Jessica, Melissa, Taylor, Mark, Tessa

**Absent:** John, Sarah

**Guest:** Vicky Wicks

### Opening Prayer

. Welcome to Vicky

#### • Old Business

- Reviewed December meeting
- Wines to Wishes Basket
  - Rita put together a margarita themed basket with a nice variety of themed items

#### • New Business

- Ministry Reach out
  - Marie – Learned that Grandparents Ministry is under DMC not PMM so we wont have her next month for our ministry report
    - Discussed what other ministries are technical not under our commission or are under two commissions simultaneously (Devoted, American Heritage Girls)
  - Which other ministry would we want to invite for February and beyond?
  - Printed out roster sheets
  - Melissa suggested reach out to Teri S. to come in February to talk about soup suppers and the Welcome Desk
- We revisited the discussion of our new mission statement:
  - We looked back at the amendments made at the last meeting and all were in agreement to send it to PLC for final approval
  - Vicky will take it to PLC for us and make sure it is discussed in their next meeting.
- Room Project
  - Overview by Marie
    - Quotes
    - PMM Roadmap
    - Budget of \$1000 per room (not counting paint and blinds)
    - Parish Leadership will set the colors that we would be using (Waiting to get a final color set from Beth R.)
  - John C. volunteered to mockup the room designs on photoshop to see how it looks to our team
  - Discussion on saints and the write up by the door
  - Melissa recommended an artist she knows from the Twin Cities (Christopher Santer)
    - Melissa will reach out to him for more information
    - Melissa also has a friend who art on walls before.
  - Vicky reminded us that PLC wants us to bring more color into the rooms, so color paintings would be what we should be looking towards
  - Discussed accent walls, and which wall it would be in Room 204
  - Should we just have an interior designer come to one of our meetings?
    - PLC is going to meet with one.
      - Vicky said that perhaps some of us can attend/sit in on that meeting
      - It would be great if we brought a list of all our questions to that meeting

- Marie will reach out to Beth to open up discussion on how to meet with the interior designer
- When we have constructed our proposal what will the approval process look like and who will buy the items and implement the changes?
- We will have to have some work done in between meetings
  - We will create a subcommittee
- Room Tour
  - We walked around the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor and looked over the various meeting rooms and then went down to the youth room
  - Layout
  - Help to form more questions
  - What needs to stay in each room
  - What may be added in future
- Items to do until next time
  - Marie will work with Melissa on timeline/schedule
  - Marie will schedule a meeting with Beth R.
  - Marie will email the roadmap plan when asking for volunteers/help
  - Melissa will invite Teri S. to come to our February meeting
- Discussion Question
  - Have you slowed down to the speed of joy?

## **Next Meeting**

- February 24, 2026

## **Closing Thoughts**

## **Closing Prayer**