

Parish Family Advisory Council (PFAC) Meeting
Holy Cross | Saint John Vianney | Saint Patrick
June 11, 2025, 6:30pm-8:00pm @ Holy Cross Hall

Handouts:

- Agenda
- PFAC 5 Guiding Principles
- Snapshot of One Parish Plan
- One Parish Plan Introduction
- Church Sacramental & Mass Attendance Data – broken down by church
- Leadership Team & Advisory Council Roster with contact info

Attendees: Fr. David Mulholland, Fr. David Mayovsky, Laura Dougherty, Georgina Rawlings, Maria Pottinger, Cappri Boitano, Norma Briggs, Matt Costanti, Juliana Gagliardi, Mike Lande, Greg Malo, Tim McDaniel, Mark Miller, Ann Navarro, Debbie Orlando, Caroline Peani, Anne Terry, Andrea Tulafono
Absent: Wynter Dait, Allie Rucker

The members of the council were thanked for saying YES to the invitation to be on the council. These invitations had been sent after much discernment about who is right for this council.

1. Opening Prayer – Fr. Mulholland
2. Ice Breaker/Introduction – What is something you would like us to know about you?
3. PFAC 5 Guiding Principles (handout) – Fr. Mulholland
 - This is all about GOD – He is in charge and is what matters most
 - This is about the PEOPLE of God rather than plans and structures
 - Everything needs to be aiming at Salvation
 - Our Mission & Vision call us to live authentically as God’s people
 - Prayer/Communication/Trust
 - o Email Debbie with questions/requests/ideas from parishioners
 - o There needs to be intentional communication between the PFAC and the community
 - o Trust that the Lord is guiding us and mutual trust between council members
4. Snapshot of One Parish Plan (handout) – Laura
 - The PFAC members will be introduced in The Cornerstone
 - In the fall/winter each church will discuss Who are we? And Who, as a family, do we want to become?
5. One Parish Plan Introduction (handout) – Laura
 - This is from the Partners in the Gospel team at the Archdiocese. It is only a guide. Every parish family will look different. It is up to this council to help form and shape this family as to what is best for us and communicate with the greater community. The people of God are to discern this.
6. Church Sacramental & Mass Attendance Data - Laura
 - These are just a few examples of data numbers that have been gathered – it’s not meant to be handed out in it’s current edit
 - There are other numbers (financial, ministries, average age, etc.) that can be added

- Context is needed – each church can write something that will be included when the data is shared with the community in preparation of the Surveys & Listening Sessions

7. Surveys & Listening Sessions

- There are templates that can be customized
- Use the mission statement to create the survey
- Gather demographic data using a survey and more open ended questions in the listening sessions

8. Questions?

- What is the goal of the deliverable? What are the minimum requirements that must happen?
- Could we ask how often do you go to 'this' Mass? (perhaps how often do you go to Mass?)
Where/What time do you go to Mass?
- Are there trends?