

ARCHDIOCESE OF INDIANAPOLIS
CONNECTED IN THE SPIRIT
INDIANAPOLIS DEANERIES
May 21, 2014

DEANERY: South

COHORT: 11

PARISHES

Sacred Heart
St. Patrick
Good Shepherd
Holy Name of Jesus

CITIES

Indianapolis
Indianapolis
Indianapolis
Beech Grove

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Indianapolis and Saint Patrick Parish, Indianapolis to remain in a Linked relationship with one pastor

Good Shepherd Parish, Indianapolis and Church of the Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish, Beech Grove to be in a Linked relationship with one pastor

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Indianapolis; Saint Patrick Parish, Indianapolis; Good Shepherd Parish, Indianapolis and Church of the Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish, Beech Grove to be in Partnership

Goals:

1. Develop a coordinated Mass schedule for Holy Name Parish and Good Shepherd Parish
2. Strengthen training for liturgical and pastoral ministries
3. Develop engaging evangelization programs and processes creating warm and welcoming parishes who effectively proclaim the Gospel
4. Design and implement effective lifelong faith formation programs with an emphasis on adult faith formation
5. Plan and implement vocation awareness programs including priesthood, diaconate, vowed religious, sacramental marriage and committed single life
6. Recognize the gifts of the people from various cultural and ethnic backgrounds and reach out to meet their needs in coordination with the Office of Multicultural Ministries
7. Promote good stewardship of human and financial resources
8. Take active steps to coordinate RCIA, Youth Ministry Programs, Social Outreach, SVDP activities and programs, and Adult Religious Education Programs in the Linked Parishes and where possible as Partnership parishes
9. Continue support and promotion of Central Catholic School, Holy Name School, and Roncalli High School

Rationale:

These goals are based on the goals and criteria of *Connected in the Spirit* established by the Archbishop, the parish studies and Parish, Cohort and Archdiocesan data as well as the Response to the Preliminary Recommendations.

