

John Paul 2 Youth Group
Parent Meeting June 3, 2015
Minutes

First Parent meeting was held June 3,2015 at St. Benidict's school.

Attendance:

Fr. Matt Baum
Christine Babik
Mary Casto
Trish Zier
Beth Amsdell
Kristy Sorg
Jen Blough

- Fr. Matt opened the meeting going over past year activities and Budget
- talked about the plan going forward ...Renewing the vision for Youth Ministry
- asked for thoughts and new ideas

After Discussion – Looking for a focus on more Service & Social activities on a more regular schedule.

- Fr. Matt made suggestion of more joint Junior-Senior High activities.
 - Kristy made suggestion that older and younger students could be "buddy" up at some events
 - idea was brought up about car show
 - swing dance workshop
 - youth group should have t-shirts
- Potential Service Activities were discussed – open to ideas
- discussed doing more service events esp at Golden Living and Harmony House(playing bingo and also personal care items.)
 - asked if one person would pick activity and run that activity
 - doing cookie trays during the holidays
 - hooverville with a soup and bread sale, also talked about pre-orders on the food items
 - would like to do events at other locations..ie. St Clements, the Picnic grove,
 - Need for better communications about events, especially to other parishes.
 - Need for a schedule for the fall set ahead of time.

Social activities were discussed

- planning slinky action zone lock in for the middle school students – was popular with the high school
- discussed adult clearances who needs them and when they are needed .
- going to try to have a parent meeting monthly, next meeting is Wednesday , July 1 ,2015 @ 7pm in Music Room.