

Adult All Parish Committee

May 1, 2017 – 7:00 pm

Attending: Alice Corle, Mary Johnson, Ron Johnson, Carol Siegfried, LaDonna Snyder, Pastor Weinhold

Chairpersons: Betsy Littlefield, Sue Prescott

Topic	Discussion	Actions/Decisions/Notes
Welcome and Gathering Prayer	Led by Pastor Weinhold	Noted.
Reflection on Recent All-Parish Events:		
Fastnacht Dinner February 28, 2017	Follows the Community Dinner. Members of Council served. Rick Smith provided entertainment. Betsy noted that this dinner always goes well. We have plenty of help for both the Community Dinner Portion and the Fastnacht. 70 attended this year.	Noted.
All-Parish Easter Breakfast April 16, 2017	LaDonna noted that they set up more tables this year. Over 100 attended. Betsy and LaDonna noted that the event needs to be coordinated better so that there is help with set up, serving, and clean up. They also recommended revising the food list so that there is not as much left over.	Recommend that we have a sign-up sheet for set up, serving, and clean up. Revise the food list to eliminate so many leftovers.
Easter Celebration in Song April 23, 2017	Janet Raines coordinated refreshments with help from Jennifer Klavuhn and Alice Corle. We enjoyed a visit from the Anderson Youth Choir. Plenty of food – able to use the leftovers from the Ladies Tea. 115 attended, including the 30 members of the Anderson Area Youth Choir.	Noted.
Upcoming All-Parish Events:		
Confirmation Sunday/ End of Year Ministries Celebration May 21, 2017	Refreshments coordinated by Children & Youth. Bishop Michael will be with us to celebrate Confirmation of Dalton Crawford (late service) and offer Blessing of the Children. The reception will be to honor Dalton's Confirmation and to thank all of the volunteers within our parish.	Noted.
Warming up for Hot Summer Nights July 3, 2017 5:00 – 6:00 pm	Tied in with Adult Night Out. Those attending will bring food and beverages to the Parish House to enjoy before Hot Summer Nights. Alice will coordinate having plates, cups, napkins available, and then clean up when finished.	Noted.
Summer Scavenger Hunt	Ron and Mary will get photos and organize coordinators.	Date changed to July 18 so event does not conflict with

July 18, 2017	LaDonna and Jennifer will coordinate the ice cream social that follows. Sign-up sheet will be posted in Trinity Hall.	Fair Week.
Summer Wind Down Picnic August 20, 2017	Held at the Elks, beginning at 1:00 pm. Betsy will contact Linda Vensel about reserving the Elks and Sherri Growden about leading the games. The committee provides meat. Friends and families bring covered dishes to share.	Will need a coordinator for this event.
Sunday Morning Coffee Coordinators	The new arrangement works well. Coffee and hot water are available every Sunday morning throughout the academic year. Refreshments are provided as parishioners sign up.	Noted.
Adult Fellowship Ministry Groups – Updates and Plans:		
Young Adult Nights	The most recent gathering was NyKo’s Restaurant in Johnstown for sushi. The next event is planned for June 9 at the home of Laura and Jeremy Vent.	Noted.
Adult Night Out	Typically meet three times per year. Warm up to Hot Summer Nights is planned for July 3.	Noted.
Senior Adult Fellowship Ministry	Next gathering will be on May 18 at noon at the Landmark Restaurant.	Noted.
Book Club	Pat noted (via email) that the group is growing and doing quite well. Average 10 attendees with lively discussions and various points of view. In February they changed the format to include “choose your own book”, resulting in several books to be considered in 2018.	Noted.
Women of Trinity	LaDonna reported that the Winter Retreat was held on February 25 at the Springs. It was awesome day for those who attended. The Spring Tea was a huge success, with an estimate of \$700 raised by the event. Everyone pitched in to help prepare and clean up. The next event will be May 11 at Shawnee. Hiking begins at 4:30. Fried chicken dinner at 6:00 pm. The group will plan next year’s calendar after dinner.	Noted.
Knitting & Crocheting Ministry – “Chicks with Sticks”	Carol noted that the group includes 4 “regulars”. Knitters are currently learning to crochet. Everyone is welcome. They meet in the Fireside Room of the Parish House. The group enjoys great fellowship and fun.	Noted.
Trinity Hikers	Pastor Weinhold noted that the last hike was on April 30 through Ridgetop Orchards. This was the steepest include that they have hiked so far. The next hike will be the 6 to 10 Trail sometime this summer. The group will also consider Blue Knob trails.	Noted.

Adult Learning & Faith-Formation Events:		
Sunday Morning Adult Forum	Pastor Weinhold noted that Adult Forum is winding down for the year. They are concluding with the Rites of Baptism, Marriage, and Funeral.	Noted.
Mid-Week Bible Study	Pastor Weinhold noted this will gathering will end on May 17. They study the previous week's lectionary. This group good attendance with new faces and great discussion.	Noted.
Other Discussion		
Family Festival 50 th Anniversary Ad Hoc Committee	<p>Pastor Weinhold noted that a committee formed from several members from churches of the Greater Bedford Lutheran Parish is planning the 50th Anniversary of the Family Festival.</p> <p>Past Vicars and Pastors are invited to share memories.</p> <p>The other churches are invited to join the Cantata, Children's Pageant, and preparing food tables. The event will include displays of each church's history.</p> <p>The next meeting will be November 6.</p>	Scheduled for December 17, 2017.
Next meeting of Adult All Parish Committee will be Monday, July 17, 2017 at 7:00 pm.		