

Great Work!

Long Range Goals at St. Peter's Church Ranked in Order of Priority

Welcomes all People—

12 goals

1. Offer a wide variety of events that appeal to intergenerational population
2. Analyze Mass experience for different groups—families, seniors, minorities
3. Support the newcomers group—St. Pete's Meet N Greet (mentor program)
4. Form Mass Greeters group and include training
5. FOCUS group for young families
6. FOCUS group for elderly
7. Ecumenical outreach
8. FOCUS group for disabled
9. FOCUS group for different ethnicities
10. Offer babysitting/nursery service consistently
11. Exit interviews for departing parishioners/
Contact non-participating Catholics
12. FOCUS group for singles

Cherishes the Eucharist

13 goals

1. Offer educational opportunities to understand and learn about the Mass
2. Increase resources for young families at Mass
3. Form Caregiver program
4. Increase Eucharistic adoration
5. Expand prayer partners program
6. Form Grief program
7. Offer Liturgy of the Word for Children at both Sunday morning Masses (9:00 & 11:00)

8. FOCUS group for music
9. Youth/Family Mass or Prayer Service once per month
10. Increase rosary opportunities
11. Develop a child care group
12. Form a new musical group for Saturday 4:30 PM Mass
13. Recruit cantors

Fosters Faith Formation for All Ages

6 goals

1. Educate parishioners of all ages about the Eucharist and Catholic teaching
2. Keep youth and family programs strong
3. Consistent and on-going adult faith formation for increased spiritual development—e.g. small groups like Renew Again/Evangelization, Men's/Women's retreats
4. Develop Peer Ministry for post-Confirmation connecting kids of different ages
5. Develop a Bible study focused on the Holy Spirit, Liturgy changes
6. Grow volunteer teams for faith formation

Serves in Justice and Charity

6 goals

1. Internal outreach: confidentially identify parishioners in need and match them to parishioners who can help—e.g. expand Angel Tree gift program/Back to School Drive to those in need within our parish
2. Parish project—e.g. Habitat for Humanity house (some can help build, some can cook and bake, others can pray); expand Loaves & Fishes; help our own elderly with home needs like painting the outside of their home
3. Define and educate social justice for parishioners
4. Continue and expand charitable collections and drives
5. Continue outreach outside our parish
6. Speakers once/quarter

Thanks to all who ranked the goals!

