Adult Faith Formation Minutes of 8/19/2025 meeting

Attending- Sharon Brabson, Deacon Peery Duderstaad, Jan Liss, Angela Packard

Opening- prayer by Angela

Entrust Alumni- Planned the agenda for the next gathering on Thursday, Sept.11 at 9AM at the SB site; Angela will guide the group through discussion of the Accompaniment Listening handout, Sharon will guide them through Share Prayer followed by discussion of successes/challenges and hear from Kahlshauer's about their WI ministry (if they attend).

Sharon will place short bulletin blurb 8/31 and mention in 9/7 FF bulletin article and bring a baked good.

Jan will place announcements, send two email invitations to all Alumni, bring handouts and baked good and juice..

Angela will place on parish calendar.

Catechism Study- Angela suggested inviting parishioners to the monthly Sunday 9AM-10:30 youth/parent FF session which will be discussing parts of the Catechism, beginning on 10/12 with a discussion on Heaven. The group agreed this was a good way to test the interest in the parish for similar presentations. Sharon will mention briefly in the Sept. FF Buuletin article and again in the October article.

Eucharistic Adoration- Deacon Dave has agreed to do a presentation Eucharistic Adoration. Set a tentative date of Wed. Oct. 22 in the afternoon. Sharon will confirm date with Deacon and place it on parish calendar.

Prayer Walk/Labyrinth- Deacon Peery spoke with Kim at Spa at Sacred Ground in north Ephraim and she is fine with a prearranged group coming to walk the labyrinth; her phone # is 920-421-3868. Sharon, Angela and Jan will visit the labyrinth on 9/4 following their Entrust small group. Could even still plan an event for parishioners there this fall.

Loaves and Fishes speakers- Though attendance at the meal is increasing, speaker attendance is not so Angela has decided to no longer plan speakers for the event. We had often thought of planning some speaker events for the parish, so possibly this was a good test for that.

Monsignor Jim Shea 9/20 talk- Talk, at the SB site, is titled "Loving the Church". Angela has arranged this event with social hour from 9-9:40, talk from 9:45-10:45 followed by Q&A. Sharon will ask some CCW members to provide baked goods, Jan will bring juice and fruit and Angela will ask Sharon Slomski to bake an item.

New Business- Will set our October meeting for planning our yearly calendar (to include Morning of Reflection, Entrust Alumni small group studies, and other events.)

Tony Gischia mentioned that it may be good to periodically publicize how parishioners can view Chosen episodes, now that they are readily available on-line, streaming etc.

Closing prayer by Sharon

Next Meeting: Tuesday Sept. 23 at 6:30 PM via zoom.

Respectfully submitted – Jan Liss 8/19/25