Creation Care Mission (CCM) Meeting Minutes for October 17, 2019

In attendance: Wayne Kudick, Becky Nash, Tom O'Grady

- Meeting opened with Ignatian Examen prayer led by Becky.
- Discussed that more work ahead to complete a CCM resource guide for the parish. Talked about Egg Harbor and Ephraim being Green Tier communities and how Stella Maris could plug into that as a "business" entity in the community. Discussed that it may be good to re-publish the list of things parishioners can do in their own homes to go green. Wayne said that he or Pat may be able to find what was published earlier and we could consider publishing again.
- Everyone was reminded to schedule their St. Francis Pledge discussions with committees. CSR is complete and three more are scheduled in November and December.
- Group discussed the "Paris to Pittsburgh" movie screening. It was decided to have a screening with dialogue over coffee and pastry after the 11/24 SB 10:00 Mass. 11/17 is an alternate date. Wayne will check with DC Civility Project to see if there is a neural facilitator to help lead the discussion. Wayne will also draft a bulletin article about the screening for the 11/10 and 11/17 weekends. An announcement should be written for the weekend of the screening on 11/24.
- Wayne said that he offered to share the Stella Maris Green Purchase Policy to participants of a Learning in Retirement session he attended.
- At our next meeting, we will discuss the opportunity to publish CCM articles monthly starting January 2020. Sometimes the articles can highlight green progress we are making in the parish. We could come up with a list of topics for the year and assign writers.
- The group discussed integrating Ignatian Examen and Laudato Si into a small group Lenten series. It could come in the form of:
 - An augment to Monday morning prayer
 - A special Lenten prayer group among the other Faith Formation groups
 - On the heels of a week-day Mass dedicated to Ignatian Spirituality of Creation
 Becky will talk to Mark Kunstman to see how this might be integrated in the Faith Formation
 small prayer groups during Lent.
- Group discussed some of the early plans for EDED to be held at the Kress center the weekend of April 25, 2020. Wayne is looking to have 5XP hosted on the 50th anniversary of Earth Day, 4/21 at Bjorklunden.
- All read the Examen closing prayer.

Next Meeting date: **Thursday, November 14, 2019 at 9:00 in Sister Bay.** Future meeting Thursday, 12/5/2019 at 9:00 in Sister Bay.

2020 Thursdays: 1/2, 2/6, 3/5, 4/2, 5/7, 6/4, 7/2, 8/6, 9/3, 10/1, 11/5, 12/3