



February 6, 2014

Dear blessed ministry leaders, facilitators and volunteers,

Hardly a day goes by at Most Precious Blood parish when someone does not propose a new parish activity, such as a parish potluck or a collection of warm clothing for migrants. Through you, the Lord shows his mercy. You make known the love of God in word and deed. In dozens of ministries, you have answered the call to serve.

We would like to encourage the Spirit moving among us in these ways and more. I invite you to bring forward Spirit-inspired ideas that they might bear fruit. Here is how a new proposal may become a reality for the parish:

- Talk to someone in parish leadership, such as parish staff or ministry facilitator. (Note that the pastor is not the go-to person for approval.)
- Write up your proposal on the one-page form, “Proposing a New Idea for MPB.” It guides you with key questions such as what you want to do, who will benefit, how does it reflect Our 2020 Vision of Faith, who will help, and what resources you need.
- The appropriate commission that oversees the relevant ministry will review the proposal.
- The staff liaison to that commission will present the proposal at a staff meeting (staff meets every two weeks).
- If the proposal clearly supports the parish mission, you as part of a ministry can put it into action.

Thank you so much for your willing service in the name of the Lord. We pray to our dear Lord for patience and a spirit of kindness as we labor towards the fulfillment of our parish mission, “...to grow in faith and share Christ’s love through our joyful witness and selfless stewardship.”

In Christ,

Father David



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Idea Proposal Form

So you have an idea for Most Precious Blood! Awesome! Please provide as much detail as possible; attach extra pages as needed. Please return it to parish staff or a ministry leader.

What do you want to do and when?

Who do you want to benefit from this? (Faith Formation parents, youth, general public, etc...)

How does it reflect Our 2020 Vision of Faith? (Reach Wide/Grow Deep/ Share Blessings/ Build Faith)

What do you need to make this happen? (Money, equipment, rooms, volunteers,...)

Who else is interested in helping you with this activity?

Your Name:

Phone Number :

Email Address:

Thank you for your desire to make a difference!

Received by _____ Date _____ Reviewed _____ Date _____

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