



# FAITH AT HOME

## Greetings!



"Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies."  
Saint Teresa of Calcutta (Mother Teresa)

## Peace in a Pandemic



Finding Calm in the Midst of a Storm. Join Jack Beers, the co-leader of Dynamic Parish, as he discusses the importance of embracing this moment, turning to God with faith instead of fear, and trying every day to live these four words from the Our Father: "Thy will be done."

## Family Faith Formation Virtual Learning



The worldwide public health storm begun by the coronavirus pandemic has changed all of our lives in ways unimaginable just a few months ago. Like you - we are looking forward to the time when things get back to normal. Our Family Formation team has been hard at work to make sure that there will be a smooth transition to our Fall program.

In the meantime, our priority is to ensure that our parish children continue to know, love, and serve God. I will keep you in my prayers as you and your family stay the course in the current storm.

John Thompson, Dir. Formation & Human Concerns

#### 2020-2021 FAMILY FAITH FORMATION (FFF) PROGRAM

As we look forward to our 2020-2021 program, we want to make your lives easier! All class participants **will be auto-enrolled in the fall Family Faith Formation program**. Traditionally, deposits for the fall program are collected in May. All deposits for the fall FFF classes are being waived until August, 2020. Class fees, schedules and catechist assignments are being figured out over the next few weeks and even months as we look towards a new normal of gathering together.

Watch for messaging from our Formation team mid-July regarding program specifics. For new enrollments, please contact [Ann Rodig](#) or by phone, at (262) 796-3944. If you are new to the program, please take a look at our [Family Faith Formation web page](#) - we would love to have you as we learn to know, love and serve God with us!

Rest assured, we are here for you and exploring all avenues of safe and faith-enriching opportunities. For now, love your family and pray together.

Enjoy the memories of this past year!



### Your Feedback is Requested

What makes our parish community special is our pastors and parish staff's steadfast commitment to constantly seek our parishioner's feedback in order to understand what direction we need to go and how we can shape the future of our church to fit the real needs of our people. With that in mind, we have put together a

survey to help guide us through the transition from the "safer at home" phase we have all been dealing with to our next journey of beginning to gather together once again. We want to know how you are feeling and what you think about how we move forward.

Please take a few minutes to complete [this survey](#). We are so excited to see you soon!




## National Certification

We know this has been tough and challenging the last several months with the coronavirus pandemic. Here is some positive news!

Last month we learned that Dave Baudry's National Conference for Catechetical Leadership (NCCL) certification went through to the next level. This has been a rather extensive process in Catechetical leadership. Dave is the first to be certified in Lay Ecclesial Ministry for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.



A special thanks to Father Edwin Kornath, Pastor, and Mr. John Thompson, Dave's supervisor, and Dr. Jean Marie Weber from Cardinal Stritch University, for all their work and guidance. Several evaluation papers had to be filled out, along with his portfolio of three binders of materials to show evidence of what Dave had done in ministry at St. John Vianney and his earlier years. It will now be going to the next level, the National Level, with five areas of ministry.



"It is always springtime in  
the heart that loves  
God."

ST. JOHN VIANNEY

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### Pass on Faith at Home!

Do you have a friend or know of an SJV Parishioner who would love our Faith at Home series or e-bulletins? Please have them go to the [bottom of our webpage](#) and sign up! Be sure to [follow us on Facebook](#) as well for even more updates!

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