

Subject: Faith Ministry Board Minutes November 28,2017

Present: Deborah Miller, Bill Carney, Jennifer Williams, Maitland Barnes, Aedan Barnes, Ruth Smith, Lorraine Beamer, Debbie Evans, Tom Griffin, Nan Bush, and Canon Jim Hanisian.

A prayer was given by Chairperson Nan Bush.

STRATEGIC PLAN: Maitland Barnes of the Vestry and Strategic Planning led a discussion of the current concerns and goals of the Youth Program. The main goal of the Youth Committee would be to focus on finding a leader for our children's church program and to learn more of our Diocese resources and youth activities offered.

WEBSITE: Lorraine Beamer discussed the new website benefits.

RENEWAL WORKS: Maitland announced that this important activity in coordination with our new organizational program would begin in January. A spiritual questionnaire will be provided to all communicants. There will be workshops after the completion of the survey.

LIBRARY: Deborah Miller reported she was pleased with the number of books bring checked out of the library.

LABYRINTH: Debbie Evans hopes to have an Old Christmas activity on January 6, 2018 at the Labyrinth.

ADULT ED: Nan reported this is going well with stable attendance in all programs

FAITH QUESTIONS: A box has been placed in the Narthex for questions which will be answered by Clergy.

STEWARDSHIP: Bill Carney reported great response as pledge amounts are up almost 25%.