

*Corpus Christi faith formation
Commission meeting minutes
At the coffee house...NOVEMBER 28, 2018*

- **CALLED TO ORDER:** Jeff Arthurton at 6:34pm
- **ATTENDANCE:** Present....Mary Dierich, Susan Vogl, Mary Pinter, Jeff Arthurton, Michael Wright, Nancy Ruh, Janet Matuszewski, Stephanie Gerds, Absent...Janie Ouillette, Shelby Bailey, & Cathy McFarland
- **OPENING PRAYER:** Jeff Arthurton, December 2nd Reading: Gospel Luke,
- **OUR FAITH FORMATION:** Discussion about being in the present, living in the moment.
- **Minutes approved from October 10th**
- **Review of Parish Council Minutes (See feedback note below)**
- **REPORTS:**

Faith Formation....

- ❖ **Student Faith Formation**
 - Filled aide positions
 - CGS Sunday session cancelled due to too few students
 - 5th Grade moved from Tuesday night to Monday night because of basketball season
- ❖ **Youth Ministry**
 - Trunk or Treat well attended considering rain
 - Middle School visited Close to Home Nursing Home which was well received
 - A few high schoolers meet sporadically
 - Coffee House bonfire was fun. Good attendance. Now have a sign out front. Corpus Christi hosts again on December 14th.
- ❖ **RCIA**
 - No update
- ❖ **Sacramental Prep**
 - First Reconciliation was very nice. Different format worked well. There were 5 priests and 17 families.
 - Bishop Hurley wants to do all confirmations. Waiting for word.
- ❖ **Young Adult**
 - No update
- ❖ **CAFÉ Series**
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- **Girlfriends & God (GG) starts at 5:30 with food and fellowship with sessions starting at 6:00 first Thursday of the month. All women welcome.**
- **Men's Fellowship Groups continue first Saturday at 8:30am and third Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm. All men welcome.**
- **EPIC: A Journey Through Church History is a 20-week video study that begin September 5th at 6:00. Meets most Wednesdays.**
- **Book Study next discussion is "Unbroken," by Laura Hillenbrand. Will meet on Wednesday, January 2, 2019 at 1:30 in the Education library.**
- **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:**
 - ❖ **Advent by Candlelight is Friday, November 30th. 14 tables reserved with about 110 women.**
 - ❖ **We may be a host parish for confirmation, more to come.**
 - ❖ **First Eucharist tentative date is May 5th.**
- **FEEDBACK:**
 - ❖ **Concerns of congregation repeating names while read by lector during petitions: a lot of names, pronunciations can be hard for lectors to get through. (Dare to Dream)**
 - ❖ **Need to have sponsors or orientation process for better connection/communication for newcomers**
- **NEXT MEETING: January 9th, 2018**
- **PARISH COUNCIL REPORTER NEXT MEETING: Michael Wright**
- **ADJOURNED: 7:38pm**

**Respectfully Submitted,
Susan Vogl-Secretary
Faith Formation Commission**