

MULTI-PARISH MINISTRY INSTITUTE



Team of 12
Attend all three
sessions

Sept. 11, Nov. 13, 2018 7 Jan. 15, 2019
10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Sept. 13, Nov. 15, 2018 7 Jan. 17, 2019
4:00-8:30 p.m.

Cousins Center, Milwaukee



The Institute will assist all the remaining parishes, which will form into multi-parish communities, to develop the organization and ministries to carry out the mission of Jesus more effectively.

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FORMING MULTI-PARISH COMMUNITIES

Overview of the Institute

The Multi-Parish Ministry Institute is designed to assist parishes that will be working together in the future under the leadership of one pastor. The Institute was developed in response to the need for greater formation and support of parishes as they begin the clustering process, which was called for in the diocesan 2020 Plan.

The Institute will bring together parishes in three cohorts over the next three years. Over a three-session curriculum, the parishes will:

- Learn how to collaborate from successful parish practitioners and the best practices of other parishes;
- Focus on mission in order to discover and plan to carry out mission more effectively;
- Study with experts in ministry areas and plan improvements, as well as new ministry initiatives;
- Develop a new vision of leadership and organization for the multi-parish community and a ministry plan;
- Engage other leadership and parishioners in a follow-up process.

Each clustering group of parishes will select a team of 12 members. The team will be comprised of two parish representatives with familiarity and expertise in these six areas of mission: leadership & organization, finances & facilities, worship, evangelization & formation, human concerns, and stewardship. The team will participate in large group activities and will also have opportunities to discuss and work together as a team. Breakout sessions in each of the six areas will allow the team members to interact with a facilitator and guest presenters from around the diocese.

Facilitators

The large group sessions will be facilitated by the Very Reverend Tim Kitzke, Vicar General; and Mark Kemmeter, Director of the Office for Planning and Councils. Other facilitators will also likely be called upon to present to the large group.

The mission sessions will be facilitated by those named below:

Area of Mission	Facilitators
Leadership & Organization	Fr. Tim Kitzke and Mark Kemmeter
Finances & Facilities	Jim Piotrowski
Worship	Dean Daniels
Evangelization & Formation	Randy Nohl
Human Concerns and Pastoral Care	Susan McNeil
Stewardship	Barb Vite