



For the People of our Parish

The Area Catholic Community of Mayhew Lake, Sauk Rapids, Sartell, and St. Stephen

Updates for the virtual meeting via Zoom on Tuesday, March 31st, 2020

- A oneinchristacc@gmail.com e-mail account has been created for our ACC. It is an account whereby all parishioners can use it to contact our ACC planning council with questions or comments.
- A oneinchristacc.org website is currently under development. Ultimately, our hope is that this website will contain information relating to our ACC as well as the Sunday bulletins for each of the four parishes within our One In Christ ACC.
- The "Progressive Supper", as a "community building event" has been tabled due to COVID-19 concerns.
- Our ACC plan that was submitted to the diocese and Bishop Kettler last winter has been reviewed and returned to us with feedback, recommendations, and expectations. The following are the first three we will address.
 - First - that we have some sort of joint bulletin. Discussions relating to format, frequency, and method of availability are now under way and will be spearheaded by a "bulletin team".
 - Secondly - that our ACC activity needs to include more "outreach" focus. The RCIA team will start by revising the plan to include methods for "keeping families engaged between Baptism and First Communion".
 - Thirdly - That we have a Mass schedule that has staggered Mass times. The Mass time subcommittee will meet to discuss and develop a revised proposal.

Next meeting: If held in person, it will be Tuesday, May 5th, 2020, @ 7:00pm at St. Francis Xavier Church in Sartell. If not in person, it will be a virtual meeting for that same time.