

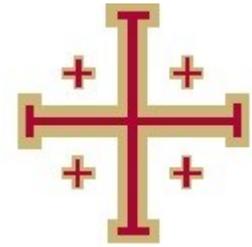
## THE MISSION OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Then Jesus came to them  
and said, "All authority in  
heaven and on earth has been  
given to me. Therefore go and  
make disciples of all nations,  
baptizing them in the name of  
the Father and of the Son  
and of the Holy Spirit,  
and teaching them to  
obey everything I have  
commanded you. And surely  
I am with you always,  
to the very end of the age."*

***(Matt. 28:18-20)***

## St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church

Heavenly Father,  
you love us beyond measure  
and sent your only Son  
to show us  
how to love one another.  
Touch our hearts and minds  
that we may, like our patron,  
Saint Mary Magdalene,  
proclaim the Risen Christ  
in our every word and deed.  
Help us to open our doors  
and welcome all  
who seek you in this place,  
that together  
we may deepen our faith  
and joyfully go forth  
to share the Gospel.  
Through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.



## St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church



### 2016-2017 Vision Statement

*Knowing, Living,  
and Sharing our Faith,  
united in the Love of Christ*





### Goal 1:

## Enhance the Welcome Committee

- June 2016:** Appoint a Welcome Steward to every ministry.
- Dec 2016:** Welcome Stewards collaborate with each other to help with parishioner engagement and retention.
- June 2017:** Ministries develop a structure and organize themselves in a way that fits and supports the vision of the parish.
- Dec 2017:** Track the percentage of parishioners who are registered and engaged.



### Goal 2:

## Streamline the Ministries to Support the Parish Vision

- June 2016:** Create a template for each ministry to use as a guide to produce its informative outline and succession plan.
- Dec 2016:** Each ministry provides template-based input of what they do, how it relates to the parish vision, and high-level procedures to communicate how they accomplish their vision.
- June 2017:** Review each ministry's input and identify opportunities for collaboration or consolidation of ministries with a similar focus in order to provide the greatest benefit to the parish.
- Dec 2017:** Complete coordination and consolidation of ministries.



### Goal 3:

## Develop Small Faith Groups

- June 2016:** Develop and distribute a parish survey to determine preferences for groups and identify potential facilitators.
- Dec 2016:** Form and train leaders to facilitate the faith groups.
- June 2017:** Create groups with similar schedules, locations, or interests through sign-ups.
- Dec 2017:** Have stable and active groups in place.