**Youth Minister Weekly Virtual Meeting Notes**

**January 11, 2021**

**Announcements:**

Middle School Catholic Fest – Will happen, virtually. March 7th. Male and Female Speaker. Sacrifice beads will be made as a service project for the Prison Ministry.

Carlee Darnell, from St. Pius in Conyers, is now the YM at St. Peter Chanel.

Leigh Anne Butrum, from St. Brigid, is now the YM at St. Jude.

Ashley & Andrew Estes are the new Youth Ministry Coordinators at Prince of Peace.

Ash Wednesday – Currently being discussed this week if they will put ashes on the forehead or possibly sprinkle them on top of the head.

**Creche Journey**

St. Monica - I missed the Creche journey. Is it still available virtually for us to take a peek?

Elaine – I’m not sure, but you could look at the McGrath Institute of Church Life to see if you can still view them: <https://mcgrath.nd.edu/events/creche-exhibit/> or article: <https://mcgrath.nd.edu/news/mcgrath-institute-offers-digital-creche-calendar-for-advent-and-christmas-seasons/>

This was my favorite thing I did for Advent.

**Adult Studies**

St. Gabriel: Not YM, but just curious if any of your Parishes are doing any Bible studies/spiritual enrichment for adults? I know Holy Trinity is doing virtual studies....

St Peter Chanel: we have a couple virtual series about to start https://stpeterchanel.org/faith-formation-education/adult-education/bible-studies

St. Mary’s (Rome): we are still doing Walking with Purpose Women's Bible Study with Zoom groups.

Saint Jude: We offer several series for adults...all via Zoom. Here is a link to our website for more information: <https://judeatl.com/education/adult-ed/>

Holy Trinity: We are starting a consecration to St. Joseph virtual starting Feb. 15. All our adult studies are virtual. Advent mission was virtual, as will our Lenten mission be virtual

Prince of Peace: We’ve got virtual and social distant connect groups at PoP for adults...with a church subscription for formed and word on fire for each group to use as they’re led. popfb.org/connect