

# PARISH LIBRARY

**CAPABILITIES AND RESOURCES NEEDED**

- \*Need support of school staff to respect shared area
- \*Volunteer commitment to staff library on Sundays
- \*Easy checkout system of materials
- \*Volunteers to maintain and catalog material

**POTENTIAL APPROACHES**

- \*Address and communicate space limitations w/shared area
- \*Ask for donations of money/materials from parishioners to increase library resources
- \*Provide staff support to assist with check out and answer questions
- \*Have open between 8:00am and 10:30am
- \*Mass for parishioner convenience

**DESIRED STATE**

- \*Welcoming to all
- \*Clean/organized environment
- \*User friendly
- \*Large variety of resource items (videos, dvd's, books, etc)

**CURRENT REALITY**

- \*Shared space in the school. Hard to keep it organized and clean. Sometimes viewed as extra closet/storage area
- \*Time consuming
- \*Parishioners viewpoint that they know everything about ~~their faith~~
- reason to further educate themselves

**TARGET GROUPS**

- \*All parishioners

**EXPECTED RESULTS**

- \*Educate parishioners on their faith
- \*Convenience of area used and time offered will increase useage
- \*Communication with parishioners needs concerning their faith education

**PURPOSE**

- \*To provide access to resources that can help increase and encourage parishioners to learn more about their faith
- \*To provide resources to help parents/grandparents share faith lessons with children