

BRAINSTORMING FOR SCHOOL

1. VISION “catch the enthusiasm”
 - promoting school families attending Mass
 - special school Masses
 - connection beyond school

2. Activities with seniors in the parish
 - senior lunch
 - game night
 - senior buddy programs
 - visit senior center (St. Mary of Providence)
 - seniors sharing your experience (e.g. Holocaust survivors)
 - Senior Mass similar to Grandparents Day

3. Connection with Father Jim
 - Having him come into the classroom.
 - Q&A, have kids submit questions and anything can be answered

4. Ministry have Mass with Misericordia
 - 7th & 8th graders – understanding of special needs

5. Alumni
 - Bring them back to school, have them volunteer with children, read and tutor
 - Have teens run Children’s Liturgy on Sunday

6. Evangelization
 - Renewal Weekends
 - Inviting parents to days children go to attend Mass.
 - “Take Your Parents to Church Day”

7. Invite guest priest

8. Events for parish – we need to have childcare

9. Communion
 - Opportunity for education about communion – Parents
 - Bring communities together for communion

10. Communication
 - External Facebook / social media
 - More connection with Alderman’s office