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Happy Spring!

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1. News and Ideas

NAFSCC Membership Meeting at NAICE Convention

NAFSCC Board will be hosting the annual membership meeting during the NAICE Convention. Mark your calendars to attend. **NAICE (North American**

Institute for Catholic Evangelization) Conference is July 12-16, 2006, Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio. Register through the USCCB web site Please register ASAP through your diocese or organization and indicate that you belong to NAFSCC in the appropriate spot.

NAFSCC membership meeting is scheduled for July 16 beginning with 8:00 a.m. breakfast. Meeting will be from 8:30 a.m.–12:00 noon at Xavier University in Cincinnati. See attachments in pdf format. One attachment is the working agenda and the other is the brochure with registration form. Send registration to Sr. Patricia Froning, Diocese of Owensboro: pat.froning@pastoral.org.

NAPRC Conference

The National Alliance of Parishes Restructuring into Communities (NAPRC) is holding their annual meeting this summer in Marysville, Michigan. Beginning, Thursday evening, July 27th, and ending Saturday evening, July 29th, the conference features keynote speaker Sister Dianne Bergant, CSA, PhD, a professor of Biblical studies from Catholic Theological Union in Chicago. Her topic will focus on "Unpacking Our Story: Small Church Communities." A variety of workshops related to small communities will also be offered. Host pastor is Father Art Baranowski, well known in the field of community development. Marysville is about an hour north of Detroit. For registration or further information contact Fr. John Krumm at 937-256-3600.

2. Upcoming Events

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NAPRC Conference July 27-29, 2006, St. Christopher Parish, Marysville, Michigan (Archdiocese of Detroit).

SCC Convocation August 9-12, 2007, University of St. Paul, MN

3. Share Your Views

I'm writing in the hope that you and/or other NAFSCC colleagues will be able to

help me. I'm looking for some video or video assisted training resources for SCC facilitators. Would it be possible to canvass the membership for ideas? If not, do you have any suggestions? Please advise. Many thanks. Dan

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What's Going On with SCCs?

If you have any news about you are doing with Small Christian Communities, contact NAFSCC "web person," Carlette Chordas, Diocese of Youngstown: cchordas@youngstowndiocese.org. She will put your ideas and activities on the NAFSCC website: www.nafsc.org.

4. Good News Column

Invitation Extended

We want to hear what you are doing with Small Christian Communities in your dioceses to share with our members. Send in your events and activities to Sr. Marci Blum to be put in the e-newsletter. E-mail: DBQCFL/AF@arch.pvt.k12.ia.us.

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