

Catholic Faith Advisory Committee

Monday, October 17, 2011 At 5:00 p.m. CEC Boardroom

The Board Vision Statement:

Lighting the Way ~ Rejoicing in Our Journey

The Board Mission Statement:

Walking together in Christ's light with parish and family, we are called to build an inclusive Catholic learning community and to serve as partners in the formation of life-long learners by:

- Living our faith
- Promoting educational achievement and innovation
- Fostering stewardship, leadership and social justice

From the Board website:

The Catholic Faith Advisory Committee works to promote the gospel values of Jesus Christ in the education and formation of the students of the St. Clair Catholic District School Board. The Committee also seeks to encourage and enhance the spiritual development of all of the partners in Catholic education, by establishing close ties with the Diocese of London, through the Sarnia and Chatham-Kent Deaneries. The Committee reports directly to the Board, through its Chair.

Agenda

Chair: Dr. Frank Leddy

- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. Opening Prayer
- 3. Introductory Remarks
- 4. Approval of Minutes of April 18, 2011
- 5. Approval of the Agenda
- 6. Role of the CFAC
 - Role of CFAC: Review of Board website statement
 - Role of CFAC: Terms of Reference (attachment)
 - Board mission statement: Role of CFAC
 - Board goals: Role of CFAC
 - Pastoral Plan: Role of CFAC
 - Other elements?
- 7. "We Believe" Statements
- 8. Possible Resources to Guide Our Work:
 - Auditing our Catholic Schools (Kostoff)
 - Assessment and Evaluation of Catholicity of a Catholic School
 - Ongoing Adult Faith Formation Successful Practices (ICE)
 - The Catholic School on the Threshold of the Third Millennium (CCE)
 - Build Bethlehem Everywhere
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- 9. Lighting Our Way Award
- 10. Updates from the Faith Ambassadors and Secondary School Chaplains
- 11. Updates (no more than 5 minutes per section)
 - King's College
 - Catholic Curriculum Cooperative
 - When Faith Meets Pedagogy Conference (October 27 and 28)
 - Deanery Meetings
- 12. Other
- 13. Next Meeting Date and Focus: January 23, 2012