

Strategic Objective 1: Congregational Development

- Assessment process ongoing in all deaneries
- Individual parishes are encouraged to pursue individual initiatives if appropriate upon completion of their assessment process.
- Strategy 1.5, Rationalization, will be discussed with Executive at February meeting. Implementation Team has forwarded letter to Executive in preparation for discussion of rationalization concept, potential outcomes and process as outlined in Strategy 1.5.

Strategic Objective 2: Evangelism

- Bishop in communication with John Bowen re. potential Algoma involvement with a model of parish life with a team approach radiating from a home parish to other parishes.

Strategic Objective 3: Child and Youth Ministry

- Child and Youth Ministry Facilitators involved in planning of upcoming Youth Synod, June 29-July 2. Working relationship with Youth Ministry Committee being clarified.
- Facilitators meeting in March with Jay to review interface with Strategic Plan and discuss future program initiatives.

Strategic Objective 4: Communication

- Rev. Kelly Baetz has accepted leadership role of this Committee.
- Committee has begun to look at use of AV media in worship services and electronic classroom possibilities. Articles in Algoma Anglican forthcoming along with a parish survey.
- Committee also planning to look at relationship between technology, theology and worship.

Strategic Objective 5: Clergy and Lay Development

- Clergy evaluation document has been circulated among clergy.
- Education/support for clergy families to be discussed at Bishop's Council

Strategic Objective 6: Social Action Through Mission

- Beth Hewson inviting Justice Camp participants to join Committee.
- Committee continues to pursue resources for environmentally friendly practices for parishes.
- Further discussion re. outreach and mission concepts and definitions needed.

Strategic Objective 7: Worship

- Worship Committee needs to be reconvened. To be planned.
- Bishop has begun visits to clericus and has provided sermon evaluation resource material.