



## **COHORT 13 MISSION, VISION, AND VALUES STATEMENT**

### **COMMON MISSION STATEMENT**

The parishes of St. Michael, St. Gabriel, and St. Monica, will optimize our spiritual, human, physical, and financial resources, developing staffs and parishioners that work cooperatively to provide lifelong formation, evangelization, liturgy, and outreach, while building unity among our multicultural communities.

### **VALUES**

**AS A COHORT WE ARE COMMITTED TO OPERATING OUT OF THE FOLLOWING VALUES OR GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR ACTION:**

COHORT 13 VALUES:

- 1) Fulfilling our calling to serve God and his people while acting as good stewards of human and financial resources
- 2) Building the kingdom of God by increasing our focus on youth, young adults, and strong families
- 3) Providing life-long opportunities for catechetical and spiritual formation
- 4) Valuing and growing the faith and gifts of all parishioners and cultures
- 5) In keeping with Catholic Social Teachings, work together to create disciples and serve the needs of others, especially the marginalized
- 6) Working organically and patiently, allowing this to emerge progressively through our conversations and communal work

### **VISION**

**AS A COHORT WE HOLD THE FOLLOWING VISION WHICH WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE ACCOMPLISHED IN THE NEXT FIVE YEARS.**

As disciples of Jesus Christ, our partnership seeks to identify new ways to reach our common goals of meeting the catechetical and spiritual needs of our people and providing evangelization and outreach opportunities to put that faith into action. We seek to increase communication and cooperation between our parishes in order to more efficiently and effectively use resources, knowledge, and people.