

# On Mission for The Church Alive

Update on Parish Models

May 13 & 14, 2017

# Initial Proposals – October 2016

## Model 1 - Parish B

- St. Mary of the Assumption
  - All Saints
  - St. Joseph (O'Hara Twp.)
  - St. Juan Diego
  - St. Scholastica
- 3 campuses

## Model 2 - Parish B

- St. Mary of the Assumption
  - St. Bonaventure
  - St. Ursula
- 2 campuses

## Model 3 - Parish A

- St. Mary of the Assumption
  - St. Bonaventure
  - St. Ursula
  - Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary
  - St. Athanasius
  - St. Mary
  - Sacred Heart
  - St. Sebastian
  - St. Teresa
- 5 campuses

Model 1: broad geography would challenge community initiatives  
Model 2: geographic alignment & some prior collaborations  
Model 3: extreme geographic scope makes this a non-starter.

# Parish Consultations Feedback November 2016

## Model A

- St. Mary of the Assumption
- St. Catherine of Sweden
- St. Richard

## Model B

- St. Mary of the Assumption
- St. Catherine of Sweden
- St. Ursula

## Model C

- St. Mary of the Assumption
- St. Catherine of Sweden
- St. Ursula
- St. Richard

Three alternative models developed and submitted based on feedback from November 2016 Parish Consultation sessions.

# District Consultation Proposal – April 2017

## Parish Grouping

St. Mary of the Assumption

St. Bonaventure

St. Ursula

All Saints (Etna)

Holy Spirit (Millvale)

St. Nicholas (Millvale)

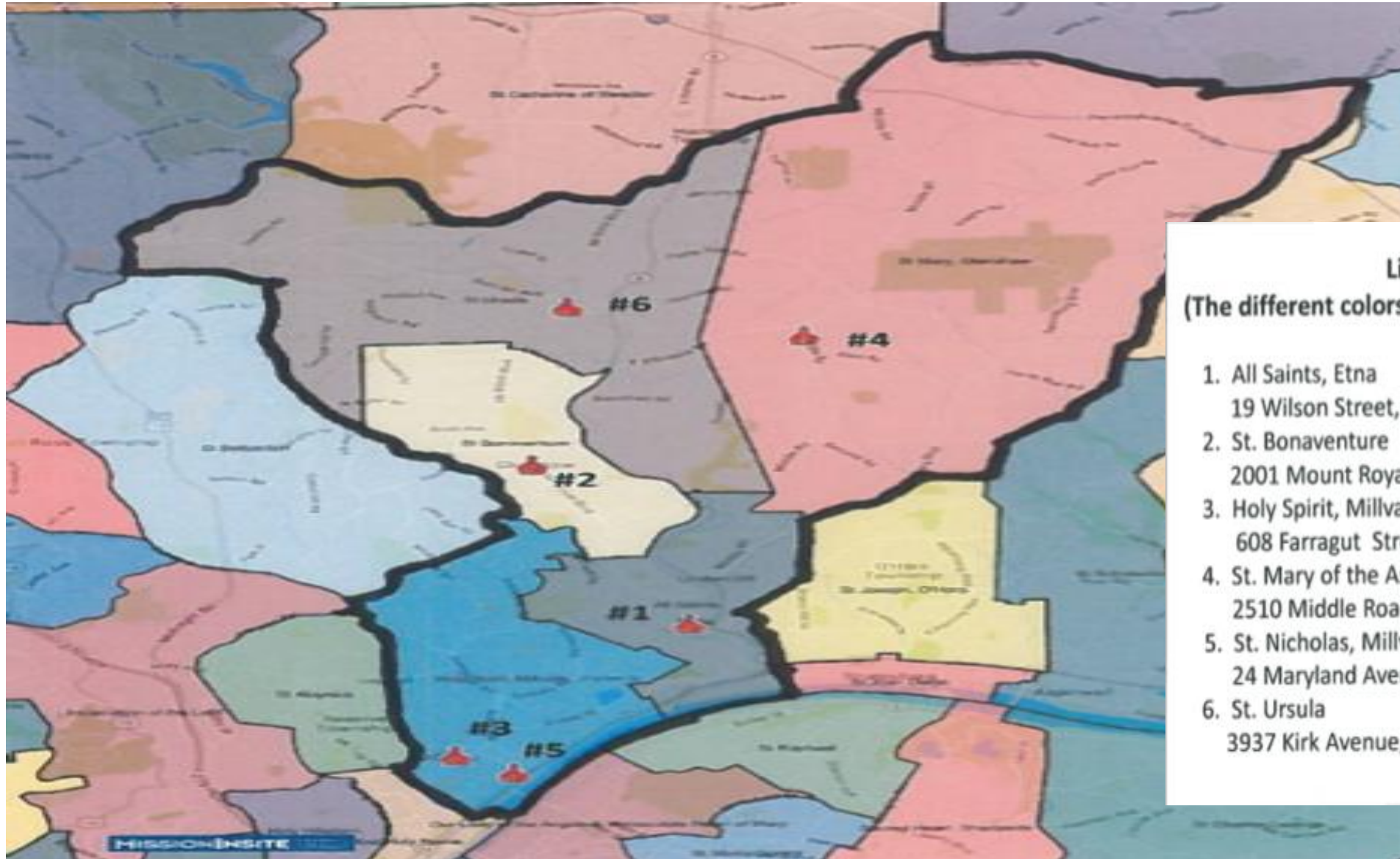
*Six (6) campuses migrating to three (3) campuses*

Strengths: Number of Weekly Mass goers (4,600) represents a sustainable base;  
Pooling of Resources

Challenges: How to build a “total” community, not just “sub-communities”; Impact of geographic dispersion on activities, particularly youth activities.

Alternatives: a grouping that utilizes clusters and affinities not represented by the proposed grouping. Etna/Millvale/Shaler. Glenshaw/Allison Park/Gibsonia

# Parish Grouping – Geographic View



## Listing of Campuses (The different colors show the current parish territories.)

1. All Saints, Etna  
19 Wilson Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15223
2. St. Bonaventure  
2001 Mount Royal Boulevard, Glenshaw, PA 15116
3. Holy Spirit, Millvale  
608 Farragut Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15209
4. St. Mary of the Assumption, Glenshaw  
2510 Middle Road, Glenshaw, PA 15116
5. St. Nicholas, Millvale  
24 Maryland Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15209
6. St. Ursula  
3937 Kirk Avenue, Allison Park, PA 15101

# Your Feedback Is Needed

1. What are the strengths of the Parish Grouping?
2. Is this Parish Grouping the best relationship of parishes? Why or Why not?
3. What alternative would you propose to make the Parish Grouping better?
4. What are your concerns/suggestions related to implementation for this Parish Grouping?

# Next Steps

1. Pray
2. Provide your feedback using:
  - The survey forms found in the pews
  - An online survey found on the Parish website
3. Respond no later than May 21.

**Your Feedback is Essential**