ARCHDIOCESE OF INDIANAPOLIS CONNECTED IN THE SPIRIT INDIANAPOLIS DEANERIES May 21, 2014

DEANERY: East/West COHORT: 4

PARISHESCITIESSt. RitaIndianapolisHoly AngelsIndianapolis

Saint Rita Parish and Church of the Holy Angels Parish to be in a Linked relationship with one pastor

Goals:

- 1. Collaborate with other Christian Churches to bring Christ's Life and Hope to the St. Rita and Holy Angels neighborhoods
- 2. Develop engaging evangelization programs and processes creating warm and welcoming parishes who effectively proclaim the Gospel
- 3. Enhance the voice of the Black Catholic Community in the city of Indianapolis and the Archdiocese
- 4. Incorporate the gifts of the Black Catholic Community into the Mission of the Archdiocese
- 5. Develop a coordinated Mass schedule
- 6. Strengthen training for liturgical and pastoral ministries
- 7. Design and implement effective lifelong faith formation programs with an emphasis on adult faith formation
- 8. Plan and implement vocation awareness programs including priesthood, diaconate, vowed religious, sacramental marriage and committed single life
- 9. Support and Promote Holy Angels School, Cardinal Ritter High School and Scecina Memorial High School
- 10. Promote good stewardship of human and financial resources

Rationale:

These goals are based on the goals and criteria of *Connected in the Spirit* established by the Archbishop, the parish studies and Parish, Cohort and Archdiocesan data as well as the parish responses to the Preliminary Recommendations.