

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

**DEANERY: North and East**

**COHORT: 2**

**PARISHES**

St. Simon the Apostle  
St. Michael  
St. Thomas the Apostle

**CITIES**

Indianapolis  
Greenfield  
Fortville

**Saint Simon the Apostle Parish, Saint Michael Parish, Greenfield and Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish, Fortville to be in Partnership**

**Goals:**

1. Develop a coordinated Mass schedule
2. Strengthen training for liturgical and pastoral ministries
3. Design and implement effective lifelong faith formation programs with an emphasis on adult faith formation
4. Plan and implement vocation awareness programs including priesthood, diaconate, vowed religious, sacramental marriage and committed single life
5. Promote good stewardship of human and financial resources
6. Respond pastorally to projected growth in Hancock County

**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.