

2015
YEAR OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

“The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and God’s power will rest on you.” (Lk 1:35)

2015 LEL Goal: “Deepening prayer, healing and transformation through the power of the Holy Spirit for the purpose of evangelization”

July: The Abiding Charisms of the Holy Spirit

Catechesis: Focused teaching on understanding the difference between natural talents and Abiding Charisms paying special attention to the three signs of a charism and the “power” involved with a charism.

Spiritual Reflection: Led reflection on examples of natural talents, natural talents amplified into a charism, and charism.

Small Group: Focused discussion on the requirements of being good and the requirements of being holy.

August: The Manifestation Charisms of the Holy Spirit

Catechesis: The Manifestation Charism overview

Spiritual Reflection: Abiding in prayer prepares a soul to reflect Jesus as an instrument of the Manifestation Charisms in bringing God’s love to the needy world.

Small Group: Surprise brown bag exercise making the connection of similarities and differences to the Manifestation Charisms.

September: The Manifestation Charisms of the Holy Spirit: Power to Know

(Word of Wisdom, Word of Knowledge, Discernment of Spirits)

Spiritual Reflection: Led reflection through Mary’s eyes. Practice surrendering in the Manifestation Charisms, Power in the Spirit to Know (Word of Wisdom, Word of Knowledge, Discernment of Spirits)

Catechesis: Reviewing the difference between the Abiding and Manifestation Charisms. Focused on the Manifestation Charisms: Power in the Spirit to “Know”

Small Group: Reflection and listening to God through scripture