

Bridging the Gap: Faith Formation for Special Needs

Newsletter Update

August 1, 2017

- ❖ **August 26 Father Denzil Vithanage will celebrate a Regional Diocesan Liturgy for families with special needs at St. Michael's in Mt. Pleasant. Please publicize this.**

- ❖ **October 14, 10:00 – 2:00 at St. Pau's Meeting Room in the Chancery will a Catechist / Family Formation Day for Special Needs presented by myself.**

- ❖ **Advent Social for Families with Special Needs will be held open to the diocese at St. Patrick Church in Lufkin on – lunch, visit from St. Nicholas, and activities. 10-2 Saturday December 2, 2017.**

- ❖ **A Special Thanks to Our Sunday Visitor who gave the Diocese of Tyler a grant of \$5000 for special needs activities in 2018.**

- ❖ **Additionally, St. Therese in Canton donated \$100 toward our special needs efforts. God bless you for your generosity.**



Coming in 2018: January Diocesan Regional Deanery Mass Marshall and Lenten Social Day for families with special needs Marshall.

####Flyers with additional information are available on the diocesan website

Please advertise these events to your families in your parishes for those with disabilities.

Blessings,

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