

**2010 Parish Pastoral Plan
Region 12
Final Proposal**

Parish	Current Priests/PLC	Current Deacons	Final Regional Proposal	Proposed Priest/PLC	Proposed Deacons
Holy Cross Parish, Auburn Sacred Heart Parish, Virden St. Patrick Parish, Girard	1		Holy Cross Parish, Auburn; St. Patrick Parish, Girard and Sacred Heart Parish, Virden would form a pastoral unit and core committee	1	
St. Joseph the Worker Parish, Chatham	1	1	St. Joseph Parish, Chatham would continue to be served by one priest and one deacon NOTE: The parish should continue the planning process already begun to meet the expected demands of a growing Chatham population. In addition, St. Joseph the Worker Parish planning process needs to take into account the vitality of neighboring parishes as well, which should be monitored for potential collaboration Ongoing planning and collaboration: The committee feels it is imperative that it continue its regional collaboration efforts post the planning process	1	1
Sacred Heart of Mary Parish, New Berlin Visitation of the BVM Parish, Alexander Sacred Heart Parish, Franklin St. Sebastian Parish, Waverly	1		Sacred Heart of Mary Parish, New Berlin; Visitation Parish, Alexander; Sacred Heart Parish, Franklin; and St. Sebastian Parish, Waverly should continue as a pastoral unit	1	

TOTALS

3 Priests

1 Deacon

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Current Parishes – 8

Proposed Parishes - 8

NOTE: The planning proposal for this region has been initiated.

Note:

The priest statistics and proposed assignments used for the 2010 Parish Pastoral Plan included only diocesan priests and not religious priests. As long as religious orders are able to continue to supply pastoral assistance to our parishes, we are extremely grateful and welcome the religious priests who serve in the parishes of our Diocese.

*New deacon assignments for parishes according to the 2010 Parish Pastoral Plan are based on deacon availability.

Pastoral Unit – when two or more parishes are served by one pastor. The parishes remain essentially separate but may collaborate with some programs and ministries.