

Dear Parish Member,

We are writing to you about an initiative to bring back a theater group to St. John's. Over the last several months we've met with the parish leadership and the Vestry to secure their approval. In honor of St. John's, we thought an appropriate name would be The Revelation Theater Group.

We're so excited to invite you to an initial meeting to hear what this is all about, dream together what this could be for St. John's, and brainstorm what play we'd love to share with St. John's and Stamford.

Date: Sunday, June 27th

Time: Immediately after the 10:15 am mass

Place: St. Francis' Garden

Theater provides unique opportunities for the young and not so young to explore hidden talents. For anyone who has participated in community theater, you know it is a joyful experience. As one parish leader observed, it's also a safe place for young people to try out new skills without fear, so true!

We're also excited to better understand ourselves and our society through exploring a variety of themes and genres. Nothing is better than learning about yourself as you laugh! As we gain more experience, we can add musicals and dramas.

Finally, we have faith that an active theater group may draw new audience members to our church. Between behind the scenes functions, roles to play, tickets to sell, refreshments to offer, and most importantly theater to enjoy, there are so many possibilities to invite people to participate!

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Many thanks in advance for your time; we look forward to working alongside you to bring back theater to St. John's!