

# Seeking a Venue for Presentations

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## **POLICY:**

It will be the policy of Assumption Parish to decline parishioners or non-parishioners who contact the parish wanting to find a venue for an educational presentation they feel would benefit parishioners.

## **REASON FOR POLICY:**

In order that Assumption Parish continues to focus on the spiritual life of the parish, provide programming derived/elicited from within its membership, and avoid promoting the cause or financial gain of particular parishioners or non-parishioners, we have set this policy in place.

## **DESCRIPTION:**

Although these speakers and topics may be excellent in and of themselves, we ask that community venues be sought out for such presentations. We do not feel it is appropriate to promote, either for the financial gain or exposure, one individual's cause or purpose over another's. If a ministry coordinator desires a presentation for those within their ministry, the **policy for inviting outside speakers must be followed**.

A member of the staff or clergy may extend an invitation to a group or an individual to speak to the entire parish if it is determined by the staff or clergy that this speaker would further the mission of Assumption Parish. Assumption Parish will continue to make decisions based upon its mission and commitments.