



Fanning the Flame

A Diocesan Wide 125th Anniversary Journey of Faith



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In addition to **signing up**, you are also always welcome to contact us through the website or the following contact information, with questions, ideas and offers to help!

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