

Synod 2023 Conversations on Mission

Please complete after answering the Pre-Gathering Snapshot Tool Surveys

Adult Faith Formation

What strikes you about faith formation in your/our parish? What are we doing as a parish that is currently deepening your own faith? What are our discipleship strengths? What are our growing edges in faith forming? What do we see little of in this community?

How might we strengthen the spiritual practices we are currently doing? What might deepen our spiritual rhythms, connect us more strongly to continuing in Jesus' word? What practices might we add or explore that would invite our parish into the growing edges of our discipleship walk? What might we add to our spiritual practices that could engage friends or people in the neighbourhood asking questions about our faith?

Reshaping Parish Culture

What struck you about the culture of your parish? How does your parish culture currently enhance ministry and mission? Are there any noteworthy ways in which the parish culture gets in the way of ministry and mission?

What might we add to or change about our current practices that would deepen our spiritual rhythms and our ability to engage with God's mission? What practices might we start that would speak into our growing edges for transforming parish life? Which of these change-oriented calls might need more prayer and listening time so that people are ready to move forward?

Fullness of Life

What struck you about the community engagement culture in the parish? What are we doing that is currently deepening your own connection to God in the world? What are our community engagement strengths? Where are our growing edges in community engagement?

What might God be calling us to add to our current practices that would restore our community relationships and enable us to better know our neighbours? What practices might we start that would speak into our growing edges? How might we practice becoming more aware of God in our daily lives, and in the neighbourhood? What might we do that could create space in which we could listen deeply to people in the neighbourhood?

Prioritizing the Mission Action Plan

Which Adult Faith Formation idea or initiative excited you personally the most? Which Adult Faith Formation idea or initiative do you think might have the most impact in your parish and why?

Which Reshaping Parish Culture idea or initiative really spoke to boundaries you personally would like to see expanded? Which Reshaping Parish Culture idea or initiative do you think might have the most impact in your parish, and why?

Which Fullness of Life idea or initiative really engaged you personally? Which Fullness of Life idea or initiative do you think might have the most impact in your parish's neighbourhood?