What to Expect at the Parish Synod Leadership Consultation

Parish Synod Leadership Teams will meet in each parish to discuss and give feedback on Draft Synod Propositions.

- **68,000+** Fall Consultation Feedback Forms Categorized
- **46,000+** of Your "Best Ideas"

Work from Fall Consultation Brought Forward

Parish Team holds a 75 minute structured discussion for each Focus Area:

**Discussion in Each Topic:**

**Part 1**
- What is the Holy Spirit calling us to prioritize?
- How might the specific wording of the propositions be improved?

**Part 2**
- How might one of the propositions be brought to life in your parish?

**Focus Area 1**
Forming parishes that are in the service of evangelization
- **Topic 1A:** Welcoming parishes
- **Topic 1B:** Collaboration in parish ministry
- **Topic 1C:** The Liturgy experience
- **Topic 1D:** Sharing the Gospel in word and deed

**Focus Area 2**
Forming missionary disciples who know Jesus’s love and respond to His call
- **Topic 2A:** Encounter and life-long formation
- **Topic 2B:** The universal call to holiness

**Focus Area 3**
Forming youth and young adults in and for a Church that is always young
- **Topic 3A:** Helping the young know and love Jesus (birth – grade 6)
- **Topic 3B:** Youth ministry (grades 6-12)
- **Topic 3C:** Young adult ministry (ages 18-35)

Generated into 3 Focus Areas
- 9 Topics
- 50+ Draft Synod Propositions

Based upon the feedback, the draft Synod Propositions will be revised for the Synod Assembly.