



# Parish Priorities

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## Continue the Path of Synodal Listening

- Create a listening plan that would have three listening sessions per year
- Establish a plan to have listening sessions with those not yet reached
- Contact all newly registered Parishioners to gather their input on their needs within 6 months of registration
- Have at least 2 listening sessions with those who no longer participate regularly or are inactive
- Engage a professional consultant to help us review and improve our Parish communications

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## Accompany Parishioners on their Faith Journey

- Organize a once per month “donuts after Mass” program from October-June that occasionally includes an educational/faith element.
- Create at least 2 new opportunities for parishioners to gather to share faith stories and learn more about our faith.
- Begin a new Adult Faith Education program.
- Identify at least 4 parishioners to host a meal with a priest and 10 other parishioners.
- Send a group of key leaders to participate in the “Schools of Missionary Discipleship” session to help equip them to share their story

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## Be a More Welcoming and Inclusive Parish

- Find ways to influence the broader Church to be more welcoming toward all who feel excluded or marginalized, including women, divorced persons, the LGBTQ+ community, and persons of color.
- Plan at least 3 new regular community building events for all parishioners and the community.
- Sponsor an outside speaker series of interest to attract wider attendance of Parishioners, if possible, in collaboration with other Parishes.
- Develop specific programming (movie nights, speakers, etc.) that reaches out to those feeling excluded.