The Diocese of New Jersey
Discerning our Common Call
Charrettes – September 13, 18, 19, 20, 2017
6:00 – 9:00 PM

Agenda

I. Opening Prayer – Prayer for the Diocese/Lord’s Prayer

II. Dwelling in the Word – Mark 6:30-44 – Feeding of the 5000

III. Summary of Key Learning from Bishop’s Forums

IV. Presentation of Core Values

V. Problem Solving (with debriefs after each Brainstorm session)
   1. Table Brainstorm #1
      What do you believe are the essential functions of the Bishop and the Bishop’s staff?
   2. Table Brainstorm #2
      Based on our stated core values, what should we as a diocesan community:
      keep doing,
      start doing,
      stop doing
      do better?
   3. Table Brainstorm #3
      Which of these actions or values would be more effectively supported by resources other than budget dollars?
   4. Table Brainstorm #4
      What resources other than budget dollars would you suggest we tap?

VI. Closing thoughts
   What is your take away from tonight?

VII. Blessing and Dismissal