

Core Reflections

1. How do I view the gifts of God present around me, in others, and in creation?
2. What gifts has God blessed or bestowed upon me?
3. Where in my life have I experienced the presence of God?
4. What personal encounter with Jesus Christ has made my faith non-negotiable?
5. When was a time I listened to God through prayer, and when I felt that God listened to me?
6. In what ways have I experienced the presence of the Spirit in my ministry?
7. How does liturgy relate to my personal spirituality? How does it nourish it?
8. What keeps me coming back to the Eucharist?
9. What are the ways I seek, acquire, and extend reconciliation and forgiveness in my life?
10. How do I attempt to live the Paschal Mystery in my daily life?
11. How does my life reflect the call of Jesus as a disciple?
12. How have I attempted to be food for the hungry, or allowed others to feed me?
13. Am I enthusiastic about my faith, and does this enthusiasm show with others, particularly the teenagers?
14. What do I feel about the "personal conversion" that evangelization calls for? What meaning does this have in my life?
15. What aspects of my life help me "put on the mind of Christ?"
16. How have I personally experienced the power of the Gospel?
17. How have the sacraments led to change in my life?
18. How has my faith confronted the visions and values of society?
19. How is my faith made real, in terms of service to the poor, the marginalized, and the least loved?