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***Let Your Hopes and Dreams for the Church Be Heard!***

The Vatican wishes to hear from all the people of God, especially those who are “on the margins” or perhaps those no longer involved with the Church. Here is a chance to share your thoughts and hopes.

After briefly telling us about yourself, for each of the following questions, choose the response that best reflects your personal experience in your parish or your experience of the Church in general. If any statement reminds you of a particular story in your life, please tell us about that in the comment box.

1. Age: \_\_\_ A. 18-40

\_\_\_ B. 41-65

\_\_\_ C. Over 65

1. How often do you go to Church?

\_\_\_ A. Don’t go at all.

\_\_\_ B. Seldom go, perhaps Christmas, Easter or special occasion.

\_\_\_ C. Go regularly.

Comments:

1. Each parish is made up of “journeying companions.” How does your parish community welcome and care for its members?

\_\_\_A. I do not feel welcome in my parish or in the Church at large.

\_\_\_B. I attend Mass regularly to gain its graces but am not involved in the parish as a community.

\_\_\_C. I am deeply involved in my parish community and have many companions on my spiritual journey.

Comments:

1. Prayer and celebrations of the Eucharist are meant to inspire the parish to journey together. Does Sunday Eucharist inspire and inform your spiritual journey?

\_\_\_ A. I never/rarely participate in Eucharist at our parish.

\_\_\_ B. I regularly participate in celebrations of the Eucharist at my parish, but rarely feel inspired.

\_\_\_ C. I am often inspired and guided by the Eucharistic liturgies in my parish.

Comments:

1. Synodality is at the service of the Church’s mission, in which all her members are called to participate. How are you called to be involved in the mission of the Church?

\_\_\_ A. I don’t know what the mission of the Church is.

\_\_\_ B. I rarely feel challenged to be part of the mission of the Church.

\_\_\_ C. Our parish has mission oriented committees which offer programs for parishioners to join.

\_\_\_ D. I feel challenged and am invited to become active not only in parish evangelization efforts, but also in outreach to those in need in our society.

Comments:

1. If you do not currently go to Church, what was your primary reason for leaving?

\_\_\_ A. Church lost the sacredness in its worship.

\_\_\_ B. Parish was not welcoming to its members.

\_\_\_ C. Sexual abuse by clergy and cover-up by bishops

\_\_\_ D. The church’s treatment of LBGTQ, immigrants, women, or other groups of people.

\_\_\_ E. Other (Please describe in comment section)

Comment.

1. What I wish would happen in our parish and/or the Church at large is…..

\_\_\_\_A.    Return to the Latin Mass.

\_\_\_\_B.    Have open-communion at mass with members of other Christian denominations.

\_\_\_\_C.    Open more leadership roles to women.

\_\_\_\_D.    Other:  (please elaborate)

Please elaborate