



Listening Session Summary Form – for use after completion of your listening session.
Use as much space or additional sheets to capture observations as you need!

1. Listening session number and date: _____

Where we have been and where we are going, invited by the Holy Spirit.

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| 2. What were common or important themes that emerged from this listening session? |
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| 3. Which particular stories or real-life experiences were shared related to the way our church currently journeys together? (Give examples with identifying information, but without names – e.g., a young Hispanic woman shared a story of her faith in God increasing as a result of her First Communion or a middle-aged African American man saw his faith grow through participation in a faith-sharing group.) |
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| 4. What dreams, desires, and aspirations for our Church were expressed by participants? |
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| 5. What challenges or opportunities do these reflections pose as we journey together? |
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| 6. What did participants share related to the question of “what steps does the Holy Spirit invite us to take in order to grow in our journeying together”? |
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Synod Consultation Participation

Describe who participated in the session by answering the questions below. Please feel free to roughly estimate:

11. How many total people participated in this sessions? _____

12. How many session participants were from each of the following age groups?

| Age group | # of participants |
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| 0-13 (children and early adolescents) | |
| 14-17 (high school youth) | |
| 18-23 (emerging adults) | |
| 24 to 30s (young adult) | |
| 40s to 60s (middle age) | |
| 65 and up (elders) | |

13. How many participants were from each of the following ethnic, race, or culture groups?

| Ethnic, race, or culture group | # of participants |
|--|-------------------|
| African American/Black/African | |
| Caucasian/White | |
| Chinese | |
| Filipino | |
| Hispanic/Latino | |
| Japanese | |
| Korean | |
| Native American/American Indian/Alaskan Native | |
| Pacific Islander or Native Hawaiian | |
| Vietnamese | |
| Multi-Racial | |
| Other/Unknown | |

14. How many participants were from each of the following gender groups?

| Gender group | # of participants |
|--------------|-------------------|
| Female | |
| Male | |

15. What other groups were unique or notable in their participation? (Describe and list the number of participants).