

## Keeping with the Momentum

The following document is presented as a road map for the months ahead. So far as is possible it would be helpful if all deaneries were able to be at the same stage of the process. It is also important that the discussion keeps moving forward. Thank you for your support and understanding.

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<b>Part One</b>		
	Deanery Pastoral Councils Formed	
	Co-chairs Appointed	
Target Date	<b>First Progress report sent to Steering Group</b>	18 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Part Two</b>		
	<p><b>Provisional List of Pastoral Areas Agreed</b></p> <p>It is hoped that by the end of the summer a Provisional List of Pastoral Areas is agreed for each deanery and that deaneries are therefore ready for the next part of the discussion, which will look at closer collaboration between parishes and opportunities for evangelisation.</p> <p>A Provisional List of Pastoral Areas should be sent to the Steering Group by 25<sup>th</sup> August.</p>	
Target Date	<b>Second (short) Progress Report sent to Steering Group</b>	25 <sup>th</sup> August

Part Three		
	<p><b>Thinking as a Pastoral Area</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where are the opportunities for evangelisation?</li> <li>• Are there some initiatives on evangelisation that could be taken forward very soon?</li>   <li>• What would a revised Mass schedule look like in your Pastoral Area?</li>   <li>• Where might your Pastoral Area increase collaboration?</li> <li>• What might we do better if we collaborated more closely?</li>   <li>• What is your vision for Collaboration and Evangelisation?</li> <li>• Are there practical steps you might consider that might bring this about?</li> </ul> <p>Deaneries should send a short report on this discussion to the Steering Group by October 9<sup>th</sup>.</p>	
	<b>Third Progress Report sent to Steering Group</b>	<b>9th October</b>

<b>Part Four</b>		
	<p><b>Thinking as a Deanery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Each deanery should form a working subgroup (Dean, Co Chair(s) one person from each Pastoral Area) to examine the distribution of resources (priests, buildings, parishes) across the deanery.</li> <li>• This group should be made up of equal numbers of priests and lay people.</li>   <li>• How many parishes are needed to serve the mission of Evangelisation?</li> <li>• How should the allocated number of priests be distributed across these parishes? This discussion needs to reflect the distribution of priests as suggested previously.</li>   <li>• How many buildings are needed to serve the Church’s mission of evangelisation?</li> </ul> <p>Working groups should prepare to present draft proposals to the Deanery and to the Archdiocesan Steering Group for further discussion.</p>	
Target Date	<b>Fourth Progress Report sent to Steering Group</b>	30th November