



Synod on Synodality

Listening Session – Participant Reflection Questions/Notes

1. Listening

Listening is the first step, but it requires an open mind and heart, without prejudice.

- How is God speaking to us through voices we sometimes ignore?
- What facilitates or inhibits our listening?
- What are some limitations in our ability to listen, especially to views other than our own?
- What space is there for the voice of minorities, especially people who experience poverty, marginalization, or social exclusion?

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2. Dialogue in Church and Society

Dialogue requires perseverance and patience, but it also enables mutual understanding.

- What are the places and means of dialogue within our local Church?
- How are conflicts, difficulties, or divergences of vision addressed?
- What particular issues in the Church and society do we need to pay more attention to?
- How does the Church dialogue with and learn from other sectors of our overall society?

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Final Reflection Question

As we conclude this time of listening and sharing personal views, experiences, and dreams for our Church:

- What is the Holy Spirit saying to us in this conversation today?

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