

Questions for Diocesan Consultation on Bishop Peter's pastoral plan IV "Into the Future"

These are the central questions that the whole diocese is being asked to consider in its Synodal Gatherings in response to this Pastoral Plan. Priests are asked to submit responses to the questions 'for parishes' below, following their parish meetings. These need only be words and phrases that have arisen from the meetings.

- What is the mission of our parish?
- How is the ongoing formation of adults undertaken in our parish or deanery, and what would help individuals in their ongoing formation?
- Do we have in place a Finance Committee and Pastoral Council which promote the co-responsibility of priest and people for the mission of the Church?
- How do we promote stewardship of time, talent and treasure amongst the faithful?
- What is the mission of the Diocese of Wrexham in 2026?
- Which parishes are struggling to maintain the cost of mission and ministry, and how can this be resolved?
- How many incardinated priests will we have in ten years, and what are the implications of this for those roles ideally held by Diocesan clergy?
- How am I nourishing my own life of prayer and worship?
- Do I pray regularly for vocations and for the grace to discern my calling from the Lord?
- Do I see the work of ongoing formation as a vital element of my life, and are there ways I can grow as a disciple?
- How do I use my time, talent and treasure to serve the life of my parish?
- How can I engage in the process of consultation with a spirit of goodwill and patience, mindful of the question: 'What must I do to enable some other person or family to get to Mass?'