



St. Joseph Survey - Vision 2020

Planning For The Future

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

During this unprecedented time in history, a unique opportunity has presented itself for us to step back and reassess our life priorities, to begin living with a new awareness and purpose. Our parish of St. Joseph is no different.

In order to make a realistic plan for a strong future as a faith community, we're asking for your help. Please take just a few minutes to fill out this short survey/questionnaire and kindly return by **September 14th**. Your responses will be an important part of pastoral planning, which are:

1. To better respond to the current spiritual and practical needs of our parish community.
2. To provide a solid basis for future pastoral planning, enabling us to create a thriving parish environment and Ministry for us, our children and for all those to come.

You have been randomly selected to participate. The survey is to be anonymous, *so please do not sign the survey*. We're just asking to know a little bit about you, what your interests are, and asking for input on how we're doing. We also ask for your candid comments, critiques and suggestions that you feel will serve to improve St. Joseph parish.

Along with the paper version, the survey is also available online on our parish website — **www.stjosephct.org** where you can easily complete and submit it anonymously online or download to print and mail. Whether you are currently a member, or formerly have been within the past few years, you are all welcome to participate!

You can return the survey by mailing it back to: **St. Joseph Parish, Att: Patrick Bourne/ Survey, 33 West Street, Vernon, CT 06066** and/or by using the enclosed, addressed, stamped envelope.

Thank you again for your cooperation and valuable input, and for being a vital part of this important pastoral planning initiative.

God Bless each of you!

Rev. Bogdan Olzacki, OSPPE, Pastor