



Synod Small Group Options at St. Bridget's

- 1. PARISH HOSTED OPEN INVITE GROUPS:** Join our parish Synod small groups starting on Tuesday evenings, September 21st or Wednesday mornings September 22nd. Come with your own small group, or the parish will place you in one. Come by yourself or with a friend(s). Registration is appreciated but not required. If you are not able to attend one of these sessions, other small group offerings hosted by parishioners may be developed on another day & time.
- 2. EXISTING GROUP:** If your existing adult formation group (i.e. Bible Studies, Watchmen, etc.) chooses to participate in the Synod process, you are invited to use the Synod small group materials this fall and provide feedback from your discussions on the Synod focus areas. The materials will be 6 sessions/weeks for 2 hours and should be completed between September 19 and November 14, 2021. Please note that your small group facilitator, and another member who agrees to be the scribe, should attend one of the trainings offered by the Archdiocese in late August and early September. Many on-line and in person training options will be available.
- 3. PARISHIONER INITIATED GROUP:** Parishioners are invited to plan their own small group (i.e. with their friends, neighbors, coworkers, etc.) of 4-8 people. Your group is invited to participate in someone's home, through the parish hosted small groups in the parish hall or reserve a space at St. Bridget's. All materials will be provided for the 6 sessions/weeks for 2 hours and should be completed between September 19 and November 14, 2021. You are asked to pick one person from your group to be a facilitator and one to be a scribe. The facilitator and scribe are required to attend a simple training at the end of August/beginning of September. Many on-line and in person training options will be available.
- 4. COMMON INTEREST GROUP:** Sign up for a common interest group -Singles, young couples, parents of children in school, church volunteer group, seniors, Mom/Dad group. You choose! Be creative! All materials will be provided for the 6 sessions/weeks for 2 hours and should be completed between September 19 and November 14, 2021. A facilitator and a scribe will be recruited for this group. They are required to attend a simple training at the end of August/beginning of September. Many on-line and in person training options will be available.

Questions?

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