

COMMUNIQUÉ No. 55 – JANUARY 18, 2022
IMPORTANT REMINDER - DIOCESAN SYNODAL PROCESS

**To members of pastoral teams,
To priests, deacons, PCLs, LPAs,
To the faithful active in their communities,
To members of religious communities,
To Archdiocesan staff,**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I draw your attention to some forthcoming meetings that will enable us to move forward together in our synodal process of missionary transformation. Thank you for thinking of putting them on your agenda!

1. Getting familiar with the synodal process: make it a date!

Let's crack open the **Diocesan Guide** and **Toolkit** together. A presentation will be held **on Thursday, January 20**, for all who are interested in organizing reflection and discussion groups focusing on our diocesan synodal process.

In addition to a brief presentation and context, most of the time of the meeting will be devoted to a **question-and-answer period and sharing** with Mgr Alain Faubert and Mr. Jean-Louis Paya, coordinator of our diocesan synodal process.

To attend, please register:

- **12:15 to 1:15 p.m. - in French** - register [here](#)
- **1:30 to 2:30 p.m. - in English** - register [here](#)

A Zoom link will be sent to participants upon registration.

2. Integrating the synodal process for today and for the future: formation meetings between February 1st and 10

Let us train ourselves in our synodal process with two practical exercises. The first session will give you a concrete experience of spiritual conversation, which allows the members of a group to pay attention together to the invitations of the Holy Spirit.

The second session will be devoted to the animation of a meeting in your community, starting from the diocesan guide and using the approach of spiritual conversation.

These formations will help us to walk better together now but also to remain permanently in the synodal spirit.

In French, in English, several dates are proposed between February 1st and 10th. Online registration, at the bottom of the page [here](#).

Together on a mission!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "+ Alain Faubert". The signature is written in a cursive style.

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