VENCUENTRO



Nacional de Pastoral Hispana/Latina

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Missionary Disciples: Witnesses of God's Love

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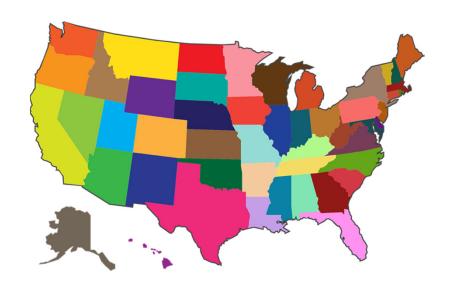


Is a four-year **process** of ecclesial reflection and action

that invites



In the United States



Especially 2nd, 3rd Hispanic/Latino-American generations

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DESCRIPTION

EXPLORING OUR IDENTITIES

1.0

1.5

2.0

2.5

3.0

GENERATIONS

To an intense PROCESS of

MISSIONARY ACTIVITY

CONSULTATION

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

in the spirit of the New Evangelization

IDENTIFICATION OF BEST MINISTERIAL PRACTICES



Calls for

The DEVELOPMENT of



RESOURCES and INITIATIVES



THEME



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History of the Encuentros

I ENCUENTRO (1972)

Led to the creation of the Secretariat for Hispanic Affairs.

II ENCUENTRO (1975-77)

Led to the creation of eight regional offices for Hispanic Affairs.

III ENCUENTRO (1982-85)

Led to the creation of the Standing Committee of Hispanic Affairs, and the promulgation of the National Pastoral Plan for Hispanic Ministry.

ENCUENTRO 2000

The IV Encuentro helped the Church in the United States to recognize and appreciate its cultural diversity, through a "New Pentecost" experience.

The First National Encuentro for Hispanic Youth and Young Adult Ministry (2005-06)

Opened new pastoral avenues in ministry to and with the Hispanic/Latino young church.

HISTORY

GOAL

VENCUENTRO



Discern

the ways in which the Church in the United States can **better** respond to the Hispanic/Latino presence



Strengthen

the ways in which Hispanics/Latinos **respond to the call to the New Evangelization** as missionary disciples serving the entire church

OBJECTIVES



CALL all U.S. CATHOLICS to BECOME AUTHENTIC and JOYFUL MISSIONARY DISCIPLES

who give **WITNESS** to God's Love with a **PROPHETIC VOICE** in a culturally diverse Church.





PROVIDE a RENEWED ECCLESIAL VISION

that develops effective pathways to **INVITE**, **ENGAGE** and **FORM** Hispanic Catholic youth, young adults, and families to live out their baptismal vocation.



3

INVITE all CATHOLIC LEADERS to ENGAGE and ACCOMPANY HISPANIC CATHOLICS

in the **PERIPHERIES** of the Church and society, particularly those who live in **AT-RISK SITUATIONS** and are **NOT ACTIVELY INVOLVED** in their faith community.





IDENTIFY and PROMOTE OPPORTUNITIES for HISPANIC CATHOLIC PASTORAL LEADERS

to **SERVE** at **ALL** ministerial **LEVELS** of the Church and the larger society, and **INCREASE** the number of **PROTAGONISTS** in the New Evangelization



5

STIMULATE a NEW WAVE of FAITH FORMATION and LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES

that **PREPARE** Hispanic Catholics to **SHARE** and **CELEBRATE** the Good News of Jesus Christ and to **BECOME LEAVEN** for the Reign of God in society.

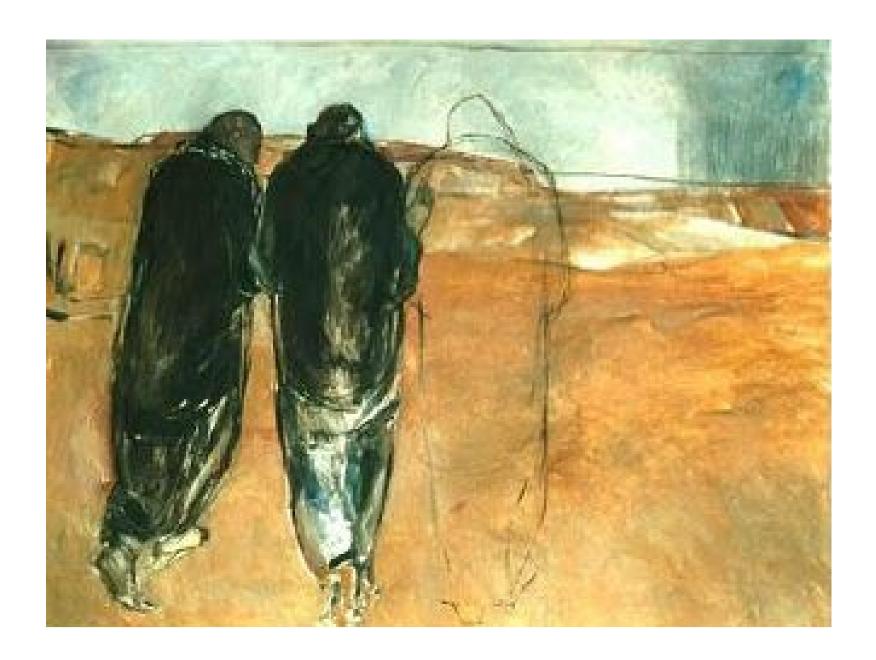


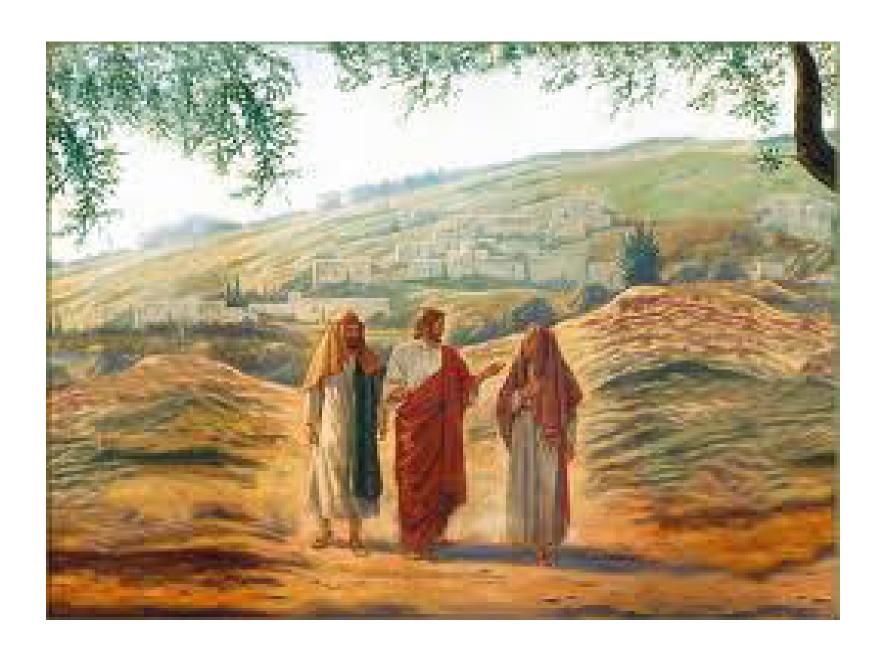
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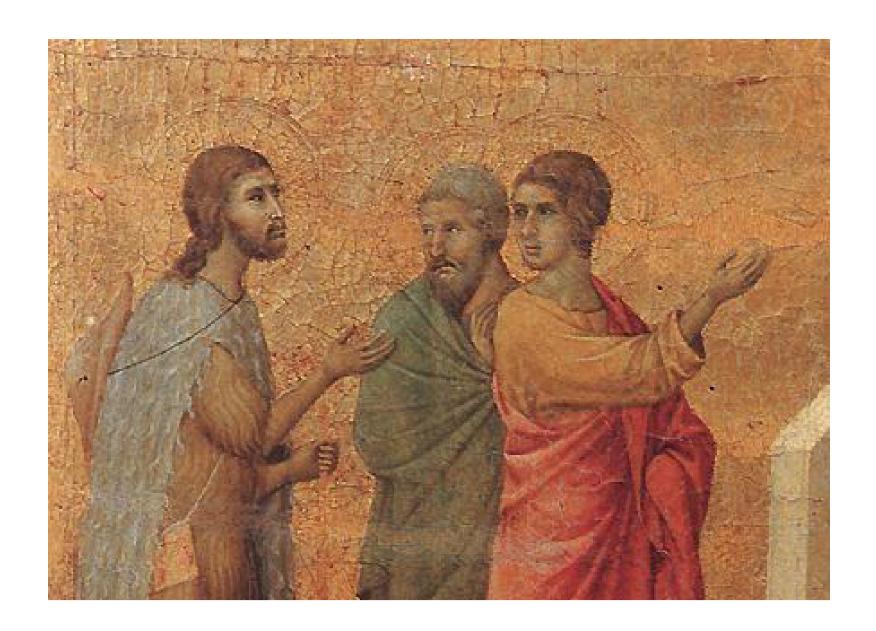


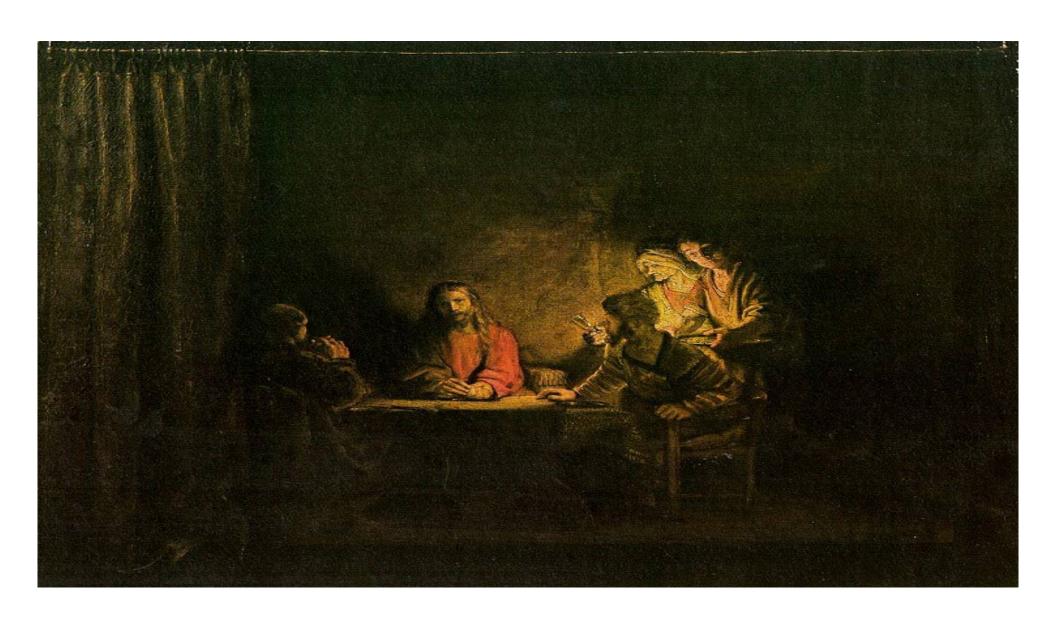


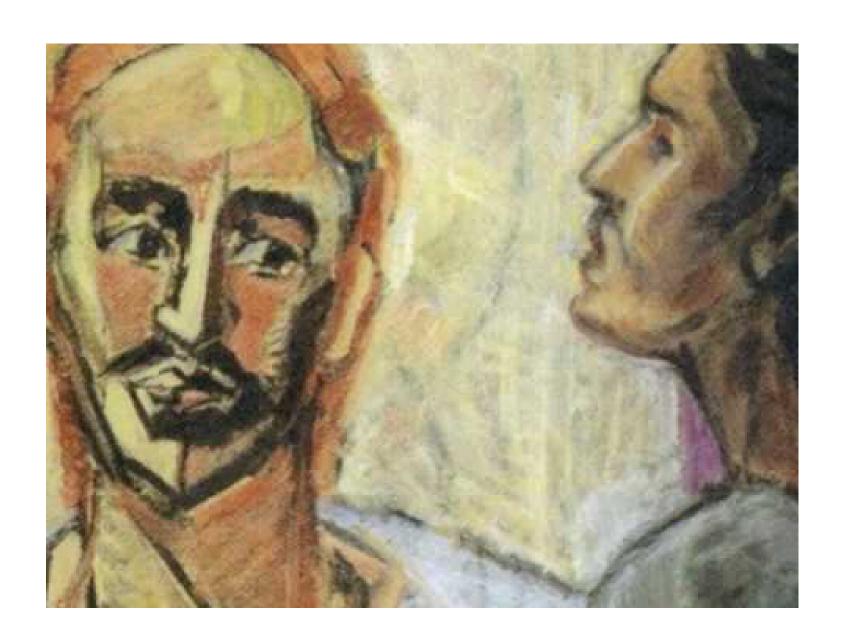






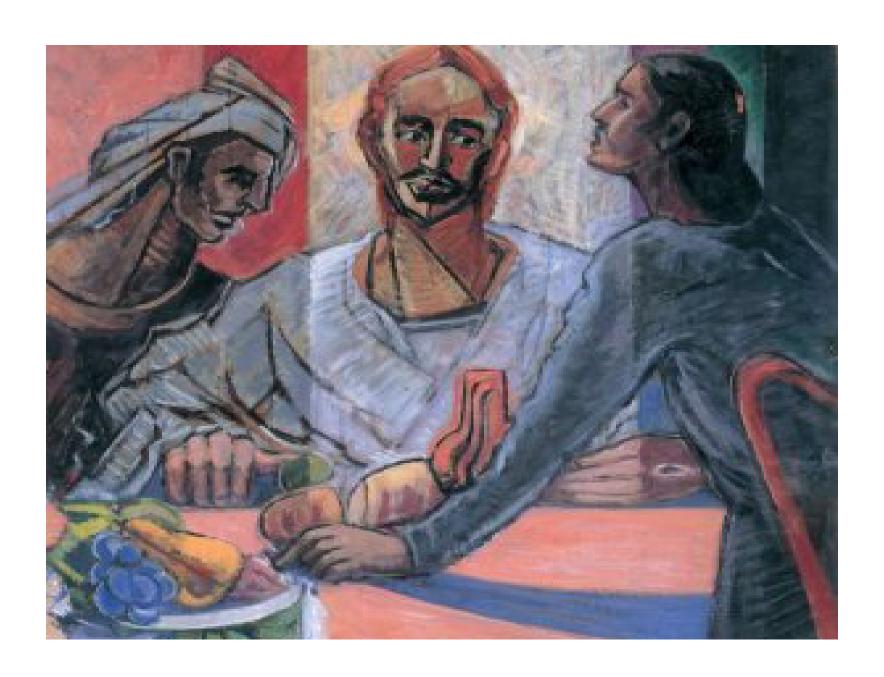


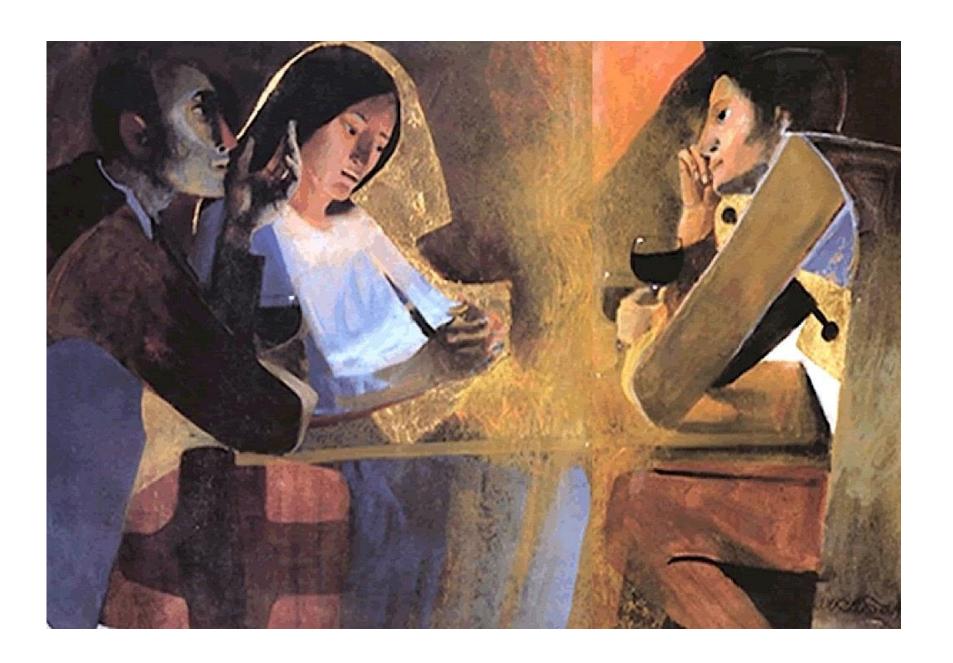


















WHO PARTICIPATES?

All Leaders

in arch/dioceses,
parishes,
lay ecclesial movements
and other Catholic
organizations
and institutions







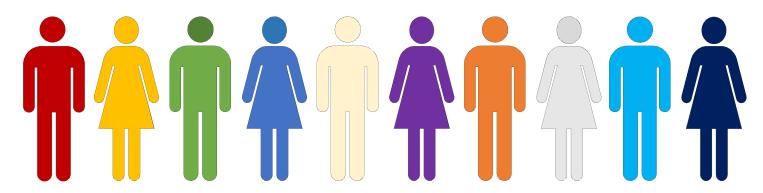
PARTICULARLY THOSE LIVING IN

THE PERIPHERIES

Through the Missionary Process of Evangelization and Consultation



Participation will involve over 175+ dioceses, thousands of parishes, parish leaders, educators, members of lay ecclesial movements, regional and national organization members, feedback from lay Catholics and those in the peripheries.



We anticipate the participation of over 1,000,000 Catholics in a span of 4 years.

All ministries are expected to be represented.





V ENCUENTRO NACIONAL

3,000 delegates from arch/dioceses and other Catholic organizations. September 20-23, 2018 – Grapevine, Texas



Episcopal Regional Encuentros

January - June, 2018



Arch/Diocesan Encuentros

July – December, 2017



Parish Encuentros

January –June 2017

Reflection and Evaluation

January - June, 2019



Development and Distribution of Proceedings and Related Resources

July – December, 2019



Continuing the Mission

In episcopal regions, arch/dioceses, parishes and other Catholic organizations on recommendations and resources. *January – December*, 2020



THEMES FOR THE PARISH 5-WEEK PROCESS



- 1 Called to a loving encounter with Jesus
- 2 With words and actions: Do it!
- 3 Walking together with Jesus
- 4 Bearing fruits of new life
- 5 Celebrating the joy of being missionary disciples

The five-week process concludes with the celebration of a parish Encuentro



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Datos Básicos

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