V ENCUENTRO

Nacional de Pastoral Hispana/Latina
V ENCUESTRO
Missionary Disciples: Witnesses of God’s Love

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

**All** Catholic

In the United States

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

1.0  1.5  2.0  2.5  3.0

GENERATIONS

DIVERSITY
To an intense PROCESS of

MISSIONARY ACTIVITY
CONSULTATION
LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT
IDENTIFICATION OF BEST MINISTERIAL PRACTICES

in the spirit of the New Evangelization
Starts at
Calls for The DEVELOPMENT of RESOURCES and INITIATIVES
Missionary Disciples: Witnesses of God’s Love
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.
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.
GOAL
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.
that develops effective pathways to **INVITE, ENGAGE** and **FORM** Hispanic Catholic youth, young adults, and families to live out their baptismal vocation.
IN VITE 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
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.
SPIRITUALITY
WHO PARTICIPATES?

All Leaders

in arch/dioceses, parishes, lay ecclesial movements and other Catholic organizations and institutions
Encountering HISPANIC/LATINO CATHOLICS are invited to participate by Encounter.

HISPANIC/LATINO CATHOLICS
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.
Website
www.vencuentro.org

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V National Encuentro
of Hispanic/Latino Ministry
V Encuentro Resources

Below you will find important resources for the Fifth National Encuentro of Hispanic/Latino Ministry.

General Information about the V Encuentro

- Fact Sheet (English)
- PowerPoint- Intro to the V Encuentro (English)
- Datos Básicos (Spanish)
- PowerPoint- Intro al V Encuentro (Spanish)
- Bookmark (English)
- Prayer Card (English)
- Marcapáginas (Spanish)
- Tarjeta de Oración (Spanish)
QUESTIONS?