

Neighbourhood

“Notice and Pray” Walk

- 1.What activities, smells, and sounds do you notice in your neighbourhood?
- 2.What do you notice about the architecture/age of the houses or apartment complexes? How much renovation or rebuilding is going on?
- 3.What do you notice about the front gardens or entrance ways? Does your neighbourhood feel like a cared-for place?
- 4.Does your neighbourhood have a feeling of permanence or change?
- 5.What public spaces are provided for children, teenagers or adults? Are they being used?
- 6.If there is a local park, does it feel like an inviting place? Who is there?
- 7.Do you pass any churches or religious buildings? What does their design or appearance communicate to you?
- 8.How many people did you pass walking? What age, race, and gender are they?
- 9.Are there places in your neighbourhood that you wouldn't go to? Why?

- Where are the places of **life, hope, beauty, or community** in your neighbourhood?
- What evidence of **struggle, despair, neglect, and alienation** do you see?
- What **sense of connection** do you feel to your neighbourhood as you walk through it?
- In what ways do you **sense God's presence**?