

The Year of (Re)gathering: Seven areas of focus

1. Deepen our knowledge and relationship with the land we gather on

Wonderings:

- What opportunities are there to learn about the stories of the land we are gathering on?
- What is our relationship with the land and with the Indigenous peoples who are keepers of important knowledge of the land?
- Which of TRC 94 Calls to Actions are St. Dunstan's being invited to focus on

2. Strengthen relationships and a sense of mission among existing parishioners (i.e. those already gathered)

Wonderings:

- A Homecoming event to invite people who feel adrift to rediscover community at St. Dunstan's
- What opportunities are there to enhance the relationship among our diverse membership?

3. Get to know our neighbours (old and new) in the growing municipalities where we live and work to discover common grounds and longings

Wonderings:

- Who are our neighbours?
- What opportunities can we develop to meet and get to know our neighbours both inside and outside of our building?

4. Explore opportunities to share our abundance with neighbours

Wonderings:

- What will it take to have a regular sit-down community meal where our neighbours may be part of?

5. Strengthen the sense of community among those who participated in the Centre for Spiritual Renewal

Wonderings:

- What are some ways we can invite participants of the Centre to participate in the mission of the parish?

6. Revamp newcomer ministry and formation opportunities (Anglican 101, Confirmation / Reception classes)

Wonderings:

- How can we better support people who are new to St. Dunstan's to follow Christ and learn about the Anglican approach?

7. Identify strategic community partnership opportunities.

Wonderings:

- Who in the wider church/community we may develop strategic partnership with to further the mission of St. Dunstan's?