

## *Survey about Adult Faith Formation Opportunities at Saint Raphael Church*

Goal 3 in our Parish Plan is to “deepen faith formation and spiritual wholeness.” This means that Saint Raphael Parish strives to offer and promote relevant adult religious education opportunities for both parish members and the wider community.

As we look at how we can work towards this goal, we would like to get **your input** regarding the topics that you would be interested in learning about and exploring to deepen and develop your own faith life.

Following is a list of suggested topics for discussion in a parish forum. Please mark all those which interest you and which you might attend.

- Forming individual conscience on moral issues
- Progress in technology and bioethics
- Science and religion - a “new” theology
- Current theological disputes - what can be changed?
- End-of-life care - unsettled questions
- Catholic biblical scholarship – what Jesus really said and did.
- Relations between Catholics and Jews - what we hold in common
- The role of women in the Church in ancient and modern times.
- Process for selection of bishops in ancient and modern times
- How to pray - exploring different forms of prayer
- The new Roman Missal and the future of liturgy
- The evolution of Catholic doctrine - how past teachings have changed

Are there any other topics that you might suggest?

Other comments:

*If you have any questions about the survey or are interested in helping put together adult faith formation programs, contact Bob Rowden at 454-5579 or [robt.rowden@comcast.net](mailto:robt.rowden@comcast.net)*

**Please deposit the completed survey in the collection basket at Mass or return to the Rectory (1104 Fifth Avenue San Rafael 94901 or fax to 415-454-8193).**