

"The Power, The People, The Program"

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and University

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES RETREAT 1994

Reflections on the recent Ethnographic Study on the Priesthood

History

Salvatore  
4/15 - 7/20 - 1994

Methodology

- taps 10-30 yr. ordained  
Cohort

Findings

9. NCEA = 5-9 yr. ord.

Recommendations to seminaries

PA = recognized  
as "alive" and "successful"

Process Questions

Demographic - 35 PA  
aw PhD - 2/yr  
aw age 47 grad  
only 2 = Div. +  
all - raised in  
centr.  
31/35 - alby  
1st yr. = 12 - few 40's  
PhD  
Lanette/10/06

- ① What gives life to your PhD
- ② What feel de Contradictions in Ch. Today (long)
- ③ How see role of Man in American Society
- ④ What advice to Seminars Today.

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Blackburn: What gives life  
study (orthopedic (NEET/Self))  
 216 Discuss

Q: Transition between  
 Cohorts (59 to 55)  
 Cohort?

Advice to Sammie

- 1) DISC ← Ch. Voc  
 Int. Voc
- 2) Stability / Calgary
- 3) any on life of Priest / Not life in Sum
- 4) Variety of role models in Sum.

Chry Assistant  
 How collaborate  
mean  
 then Q12  
 "IMMERSED IN MYSTERY"  
 (role of Sum  
 in all)

- 5) Dr. Shipin / apprenticeships
- 6) Postgrad year
- 7) Speak to culture { Hispanic  
 Blacks  
 At and/or

- 8) Need to be kind to
- 9) Learn: "Respectful + Nice" to People

Transition

→ Most happy to be leaving

(9. 5-9 2 12 or one = Major Trans)

→ Communicate!  
 → what helps!

when in transition (Chry. Naval Eng)  
 SS / Road! / Person / Transition / Parent - (in area → Trans)

Key: What don't want to do = call of bad!