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Dear Sisters Leaders,

Warm greetings from the DSC office in Miami Shores!

As promised, please find attached the process that the DSC Visioning and Planning Committee has designed to engage your communities. Our hope is to help you invite your communities to co-create a future as “Preachers of Hope in Times Such as These.”

The proposed process consists of three distinct movements:

A. Personal Reflection or Sister-to-Sister Reflection

B. Congregational Gathering with a Focus on the Congregation’s Changing Reality

C. Congregational Gathering with a Focus on Potential Possibilities Going Forward

The attached 8-page document is divided into 4 sessions:

\* Introduction (Page 1)

\* Local Process – Includes 3 Movements (Pages 2-5)

\* Additional Possibilities (Page 6)

\* Worksheet for Movement 1: Personal or Sister-to-Sister Reflection (Page 7)

\* Resources: Link to prayers and materials – October Leadership Meeting (Page 8)

Also attached is the letter we sent you on November 8th, which includes a summary of our time together and the final report with all the documents used during the October 2024 meeting.

A glossary with the definition of terms is currently being reviewed and will be sent to you as soon as the revision is completed.

In the meantime, please use this link to schedule a Zoom meeting where we can introduce the overall local process and answer any questions you may have.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Blessings,

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