

Session Three – Moving Forward Together
REGIONAL MEETINGS
Diocesan Gathering 2010

What is our Vision for the Region?

Region:	VINEYARDS	
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PAST		PRESENT
Where have we Been?		Where are we Now?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Full churches, Latin Masses; ▪ Things are changing; ▪ Concept of sin was much stronger – this often led to faith; ▪ Kept the best for the Lord – clothes, effort, sacrifice on Sunday. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Trying to address issues; ▪ Schools and education related issues are linked; ▪ Question of welcoming gets people in – this is done well in some areas, not so well in others.
FUTURE		
What are our Hopes for the Future? Where Would we Like to Be?		How Are We Going to Get There?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Everyone contributes their talents and gifts to the community – this will get others into the Church; ▪ Do things from the heart, not because we have to; ▪ Be more welcoming; ▪ Must see examples in parents for children to follow. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Biggest need – dramatic structural Church change, new dynamic leaders and to be more determined as a community; ▪ What can we do? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Affirmation wherever possible; ➤ Strengths-based approach; ➤ Live the faith, be proud of it; ➤ Witness as a group