

April 25, 2022

Associates and Sisters,

Your energy and enthusiasm were evident during our April 8 to 10 gathering. As a Chapter Preparation Committee, we hope to encourage more sharing of insights and questions as we move toward Chapter, October 7 to 12, 2022.



One way to continue practicing the skills and attitudes that Lynn Levo presented is through “coffee conversations”. We invite associates and sisters to reflect using the attached information gleaned from our April gathering. Then, initiate three separate visits:

1. With an associate or sister with whom you often share.
2. With an associate or sister with whom you seldom visit.
3. With a sister or associate whom you believe thinks differently than you.

Over coffee or a beverage of your choice, discuss your thoughts and feelings about this new journey we Presentation People are embarking upon using the following questions.

- In light of our mission, what needs call us to respond in the next five years?
- What is one concrete action we might engage to respond to the needs?

Reflect on what you heard in these three conversations. In the form of a phrase or sentence, bring the wisdom you heard during your “coffee conversations” to our July Community Days. This may be different from what your companions bring.

As a Chapter Preparation Committee, we encourage each associate and sister to engage in at least three “coffee conversations” allowing your passion and purpose to surface.

Blessings as you *Embrace the Journey.*

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