Perhaps the simplest definition of Spirituality you will ever hear is “living life in the Holy Spirit of God.” Whether it is the letters of St. Paul, the Catechism, or St. Ignatius of Loyola’s *Spiritual Exercises*, our faith tradition consistently tells us that the aim of the Christian life is to draw close to God as revealed to us in Jesus Christ. Of course, that does not happen without some effort and attention. We would like to provide some opportunities for faith formation and spiritual enrichment, but we do not want to assume what you need or want. So please share with us what you would like to see in this regard.

1. What areas/subjects would you be interested in learning about? (Please check your selections. If you wish to number them to express your preference/priority, feel free to do so.)

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| * Scripture * General Intro to Bible/Timeline * Old Testament books * New Testament books * Specific book: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | * Saints * Particular saint: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * Particular saint: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * Particular saint: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| * Bible Study | * Roman Catholic social teaching |
| * Small group Bible Study | * Mary |
| * The Sacraments | * Church History |
| * Church Doctrine | * Catechism |
| * Half Day of Reflection/Mini-Retreat | * Doctors of the Church |
| * Catholic novelists * Flannery O’Connor * Walker Percy * Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | * Other (please specify): |

1. Assuming that our meetings will probably happen in the parish hall, what time period(s) would you prefer? If a particular day/time is best, please specify. (Please check that all apply.)

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| * Weekday mornings | * Sunday mornings |
| * Weekday afternoons | * Sunday afternoon/evening |
| * Weekday evenings | * Other (please specify) |

Please prayerfully consider your choices over the next few days and email your completed form to Deacon Dave at *davew@charlestondiocese.org* or return the completed form next Sunday. If you have education/background you would like to share as part of the adult faith formation team, please contact Deacon Dave at *davew@charlestondiocese.org*.