



The Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario
The Anglican Church of Canada

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Announcement

**CALLING & FORMING PRIESTS FOR TOMORROW'S CHURCH:
*PATHWAYS TO PARTNERSHIP***

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I am delighted to be able to announce to the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, that those individuals called by God to assist others in the process of vocational discernment, formation and education, including bishops, diocesan members, and theological educators, will gather June 21 – 23, 2022.

So much has changed in our Church these last years. It is imperative that our province takes the time and expends the energy to do the work that will encourage and excite those whom God is calling to ordained ministry in these new times. It is equally critical for us to ensure that all ordained leaders, called by the Church, are prepared, supported, confident, and excited about the challenges that are before us as we embrace the mission of God in our respective dioceses and regions.

Those gathered will discuss discipleship and vocational discernment, intensive and extended formation and education programmes, life-long learning, and any other matter the Spirit of God lays upon our faithful hearts and minds.

Please begin now to pray for those who will gather with joyful and confident hearts, that the Spirit of God will lead all those involved in formation and education into new things. I remain,

Yours in the Faith of Christ,

The Most Reverend Anne Germond
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