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MEMORANDUM

To: All Parishes
All Clergy

From: Archbishop Richard Gagnon

Date: March 12, 2021

Re: Catechism & Parish Meetings

Questions have been raised about the possibility of hosting Catechism classes and Parish Meetings. The protocols which apply to our parish gatherings apply equally in these situations. What this means:

1. for *catechism classes* the amount of people who can gather is 25% capacity of the room or 100 persons whichever is less;
2. for *parish meetings* (Parish Council, Parish Finance Council, Knights of Columbus, Catholic Women's League, Couples for Christ, etc.) the amount of people who can gather is 25% capacity of the room or 100 persons whichever is less.

Obviously, social distancing, the use of masks and sanitizing protocols need to be followed.

I hope that this is helpful.