

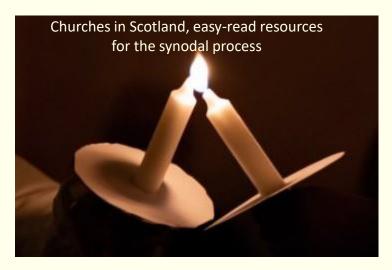


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And we, though many throughout the earth we are one body in the one Lord







'How can the Church listen to your experience better?

<mark>Please tell us</mark>'

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In the Church and in society, we are side by side on the same road.

Listening is the first step, but this means having an open mind and heart: welcoming everyone: people with and without learning disabilities





All are invited to be strong – and to speak with courage

Be bold in what you say and do.

Speak with the Holy Spirit in you

Speak the truth in love – as Jesus does.



How do we journey together? We are on the way of Jesus if we listen to the Word of God, and celebrate the **Eucharist**.







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Nothing about us, without us.

To listen together is at the core of the Church's mission.

Everyone is called to take part. No one is left outside.

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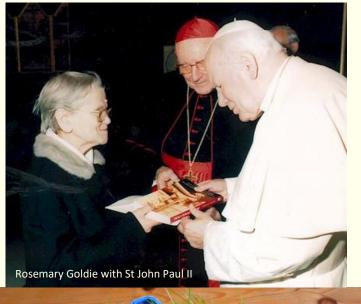
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Be a group who listens: include the experience of each person, and of each group of people.

Keep listening! Keep going: include times of silence and let people speak about what has been hard for them.







Some Christians are part of the Catholic Church. **Others belong to difference** churches. We all share the same baptism. Make space for difference in your listening group – this is part of our journey together.





A Church who is led by the Holy Spirit is one where everyone takes part.

No one is afraid of people who are different – and everyone does their bit to take responsibility

We are partners in a common mission.

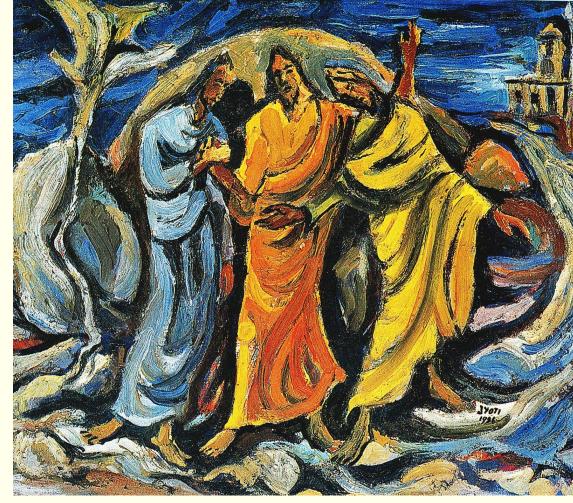




Let's journey together.

The Spirit will lead us to new choices and decisions We can become one in the Spirit – if we listen to each other: even when we seem to disagree.

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The spirit of journeying together means leaving home and welcoming other people who are different.

Each meeting changes who I am as a human person. And it changes who we are as Christians, as families, and as communities.

On the road to Emmaus: Jyoti Sahi





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What do you want the church to hear, as we journey together ?

Churches in Scotland, easy-read resources for the synodal process

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