

# PARISH FAMILY GROUPS PROJECT

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**Purpose:** To deliver a 2 year project based on the creation of Family Groups in Parishes in several locations across the Diocese. This project operates within the Marriage & Family Life dimension of the Diocesan Pastoral Team.

Key tasks and responsibilities include:-

- Identifying suitable parishes and planning with parish priests.
- Preparing and delivering briefings for newly formed groups.
- Providing active support for the groups during the life of the project.
- Developing evaluation tools and monitoring groups.

**MFL 5a Parish Family Groups: An introduction 1 hour**

Intended for: Parish team.

An introduction to the concept of parish family groups and their benefit within parish life.

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**MFL 5b Parish Family Groups: Forming and maintaining groups 2 hours**

Intended for: Those interested in establishing parish family groups.

This session explores the setting up of parish family groups. It covers their aims, activities and structures.

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**?? MFL 5c Parish Family Groups Day of Reflection Full day**

Intended for: Those currently involved in parish family groups.

An annual diocesan day including input from a presenter, with an opportunity for personal development and time for reflection. A different theme is the focus each year.

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