



## **Expression of Interest to attend Plenary Council as a Delegate of the Archdiocese of Brisbane**

The Archdiocese of Brisbane is seeking expressions of interest from potential delegates to participate in the two sessions of Plenary Council 2020. To be considered as a delegate you must be available for the following dates:

1. Preparation and formation day for delegates: Thursday 5:00pm June 25<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 12.00pm June 27<sup>th</sup> 2020 (in Brisbane).
2. Plenary Council General Assembly 1: Sunday 2.00pm October 4<sup>th</sup> 2020 to Sunday 12.00pm October 11<sup>th</sup> 2020 (in Adelaide).
3. Plenary Council General Assembly 2: Monday 12.00pm June 28<sup>th</sup> 2021 to Saturday 12.00pm July 3<sup>rd</sup> 2021 (in Sydney).

Delegates to the Council will contribute toward the renewal of the Church via discussion of the Plenary Council Agenda, which is currently being developed.

Among the distinguishing characteristics of the delegates to be called will be:

- A demonstrated commitment to leadership in the Church and/or ministries (e.g. An active parish ministries leader, Catholic Education staff member/parent/student, Catholic Social Services worker or ecclesial movement leader, etc.);
- A commitment to living of the Gospel through both actions and prayer;
- An awareness of 'the bigger picture' of Catholic faith, community and works in context of contemporary Australian society;
- Previous participation and/or leadership of listening and dialogue, or listening and discernment encounters with the delegate's community, workplace or family as part of the preparatory process toward the Plenary Council.

Title:

First name:

Middle name/s:

Last name:

Date of Birth:





Sex:

Email Address:

Mobile Number:

Alternative contact phone number:

Home Address (physical):

Postal Address (if different):

Emergency contact name:

Emergency contact number:

Relationship to you:

I am available to attend both sessions of the Plenary Council: Y/N

Church Involvement: Parish / Agency / School / Ministry:

*If applicable*

[Work] Organisation:

[Work] Position:

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## ***Statement of Interest:***

[Write a maximum of 300 words to explain the reasons for your expression of interest in being called to be a delegate to the Plenary Council].

In order to be included in the selection process, expressions of interest should be sent to [aomail@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:aomail@bne.catholic.net.au) by 12.00 pm on Monday, 10 February 2020.

If you have questions, or if you require further information, please contact Eric Robinson, Plenary Council Co-ordinator for the Archdiocese of Brisbane via email at [robinsone@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:robinsone@bne.catholic.net.au) or by telephoning 07 3324 3440.

Delegates will be notified of the outcome of their expression of interest by Easter of 2020.

