



## What are the survey forms for?

To aid the council in completing the Ministry Site Profile, three survey forms are included in your packet.

- 1) A Look at Our Congregation
- 2) Pastoral Priorities
- 3) Feelings, Reflections, and Observations

These forms should be photocopied and distributed to as many interested members of the congregation as possible. They can be handed out at Sunday morning worship, included with the congregational newsletter, and/or mailed directly to members. The goal is to get as many responses as possible in order to accurately reflect the views of your congregation when completing your Ministry Site Profile.

Allow ample time for members of the congregation to respond on the survey forms and return them to you. After the deadline date, forward all of the completed forms to the synod office. A member of the synod staff will compile the information; and we will send you a tabulation of the first two forms, and an objective, unbiased summary of the "Reflections" form.

It is our hope that all of these documents will help you as you finalize your Ministry Site Profile and the Seven Reflections on Ministry and Context; giving you a good synopsis of the thoughts and feelings of the congregation relative to pastoral needs and their thoughts on the ministry needs of the congregation.

If you have any questions, concerns, or comments after you read over the summaries, please call the synod office.