

Elements of a Parish Profile

Diocese of Central Florida

1. Who are we?

- Average Sunday attendance
- Number of communicants and Baptized Members
- Composition by age, sex, years in parish, socio/economic, etc.
- Mission Statement
- Current programs & groups and hopes for the future
- Financial data (budget outline, pledging outline, etc.)
- Church plant and grounds
- Current staff
- Brief history of the congregation
- Vision for the congregation
- Names of the members of the Vestry Search Committee & Contact person
- Worship information (style, number of services, attendance etc.)
- Music programs, emphasis
- Christian Education
- Outreach (community, diocese, national church, world)

2. What's our community like?

- Location - map of the State, community
- Local economy, industries
- Population of community and county
- Schools
- Recreation

3. What are we looking for in a Rector (Assistant, Vicar etc.)?

- Personal Characteristics
- Ministry skill/experience
- Position description and unique skills sought
- Experience sought
- Unique educational requirements
- Other expectations