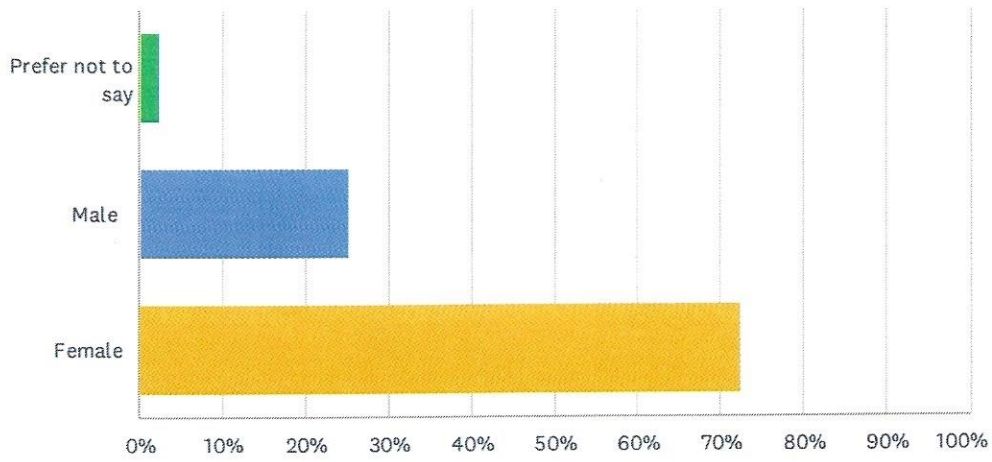


Q1 Gender

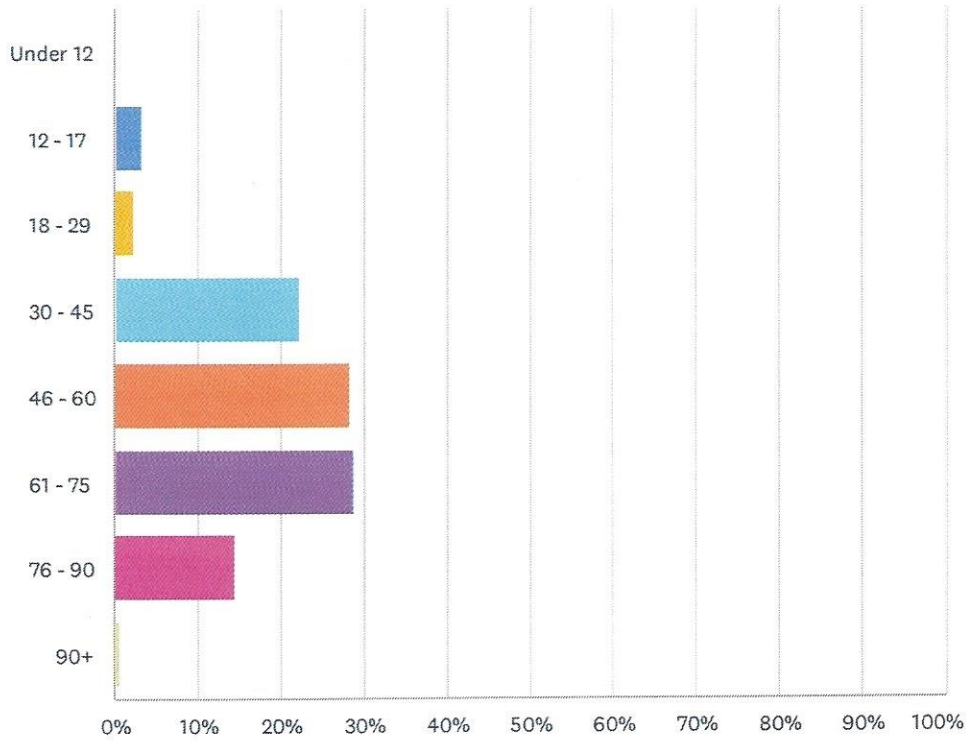
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Prefer not to say	2.34%	10
Male	25.23%	108
Female	72.43%	310
Total Respondents: 428		

Q2 What category below includes your age?

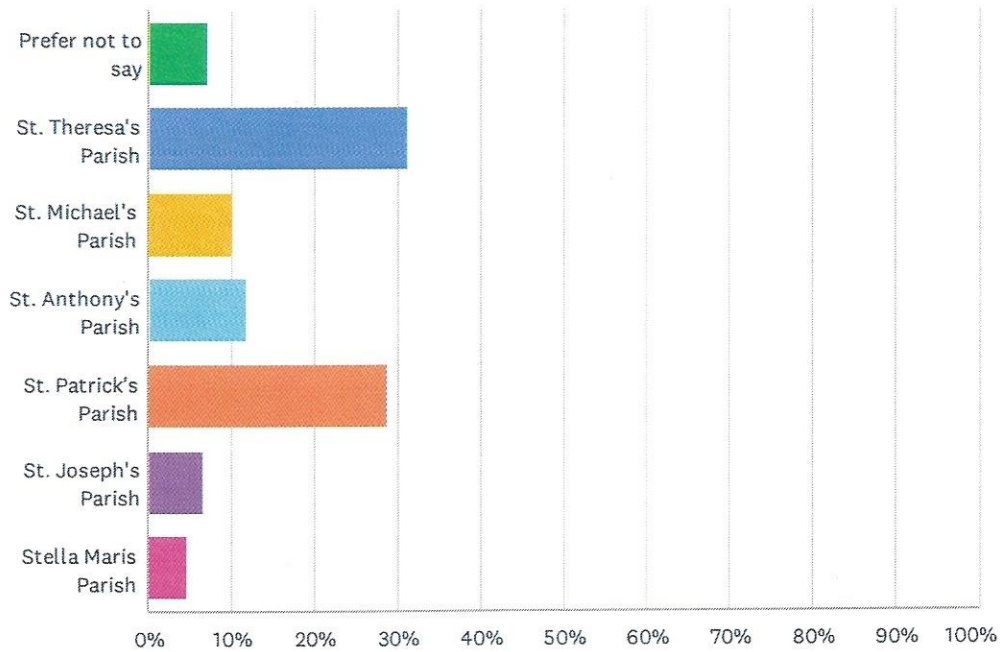
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Under 12	0.00%	0
12 - 17	3.27%	14
18 - 29	2.34%	10
30 - 45	22.20%	95
46 - 60	28.27%	121
61 - 75	28.74%	123
76 - 90	14.49%	62
90+	0.70%	3
Total Respondents: 428		

Q3 What Parish do you belong to?

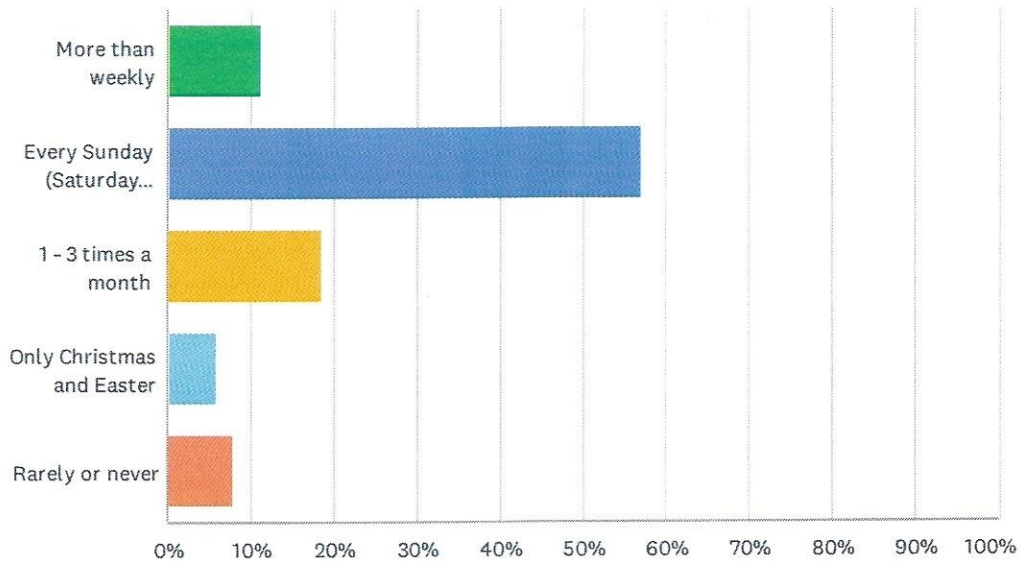
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Prefer not to say	7.01%	30
St. Theresa's Parish	31.07%	133
St. Michael's Parish	10.28%	44
St. Anthony's Parish	11.68%	50
St. Patrick's Parish	28.74%	123
St. Joseph's Parish	6.54%	28
Stella Maris Parish	4.67%	20
Total Respondents: 428		

Q4 Prior to the pandemic, how often did you attend Mass?

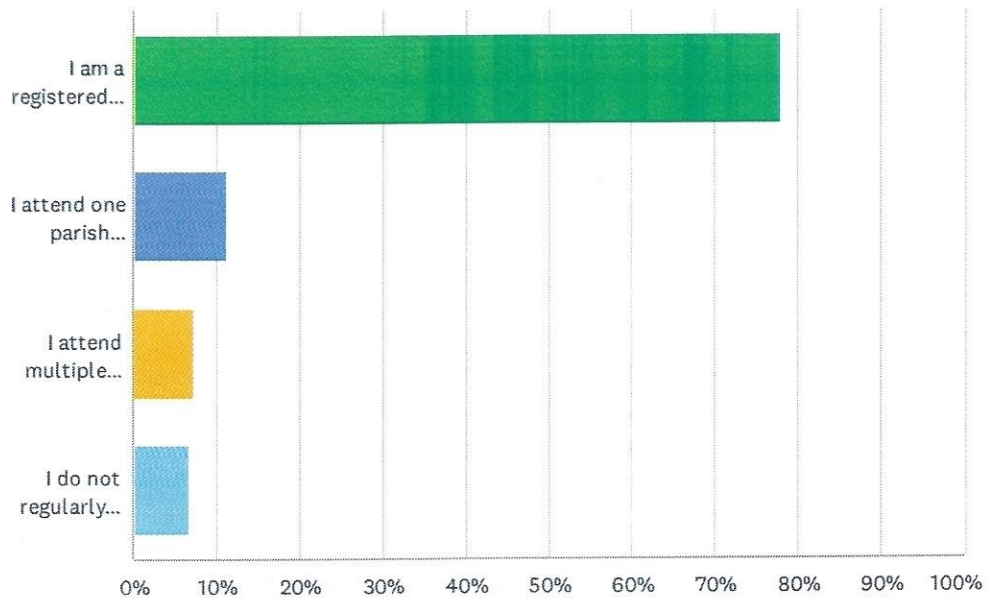
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than weekly	10.98%	47
Every Sunday (Saturday Vigil)	57.01%	244
1 - 3 times a month	18.46%	79
Only Christmas and Easter	5.84%	25
Rarely or never	7.94%	34
Total Respondents: 428		

Q5 What best describes your relationship with your local parish?

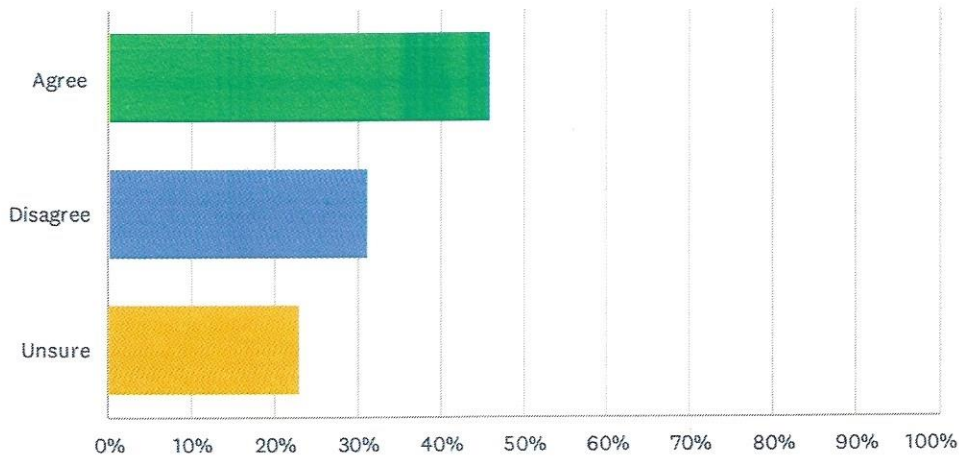
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
I am a registered member of my local parish	77.80%	333
I attend one parish regularly but am not registered	10.98%	47
I attend multiple parishes	7.24%	31
I do not regularly attend a parish	6.54%	28
Total Respondents: 428		

Q6 The Catholic doctrine does limit the Church’s ability to listen to those with differing views.

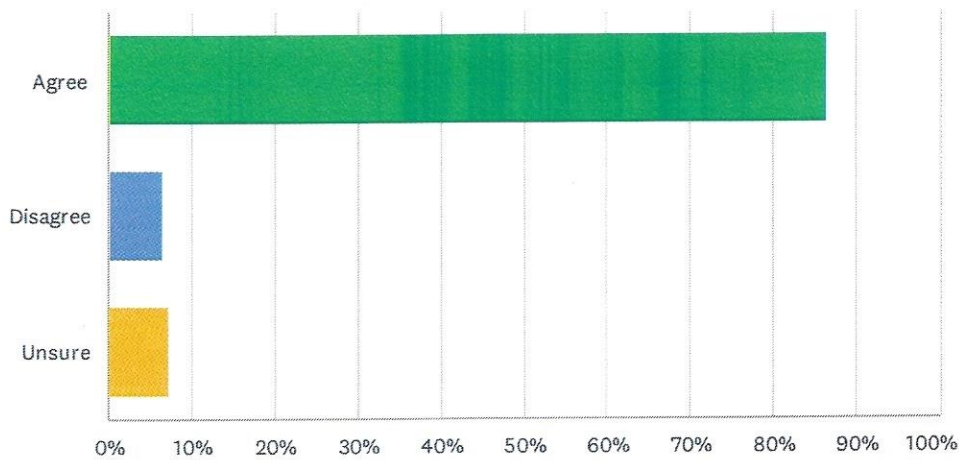
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	45.77%	195
Disagree	31.22%	133
Unsure	23.00%	98
TOTAL		426

Q7 The Eucharist is the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, not just a symbol.

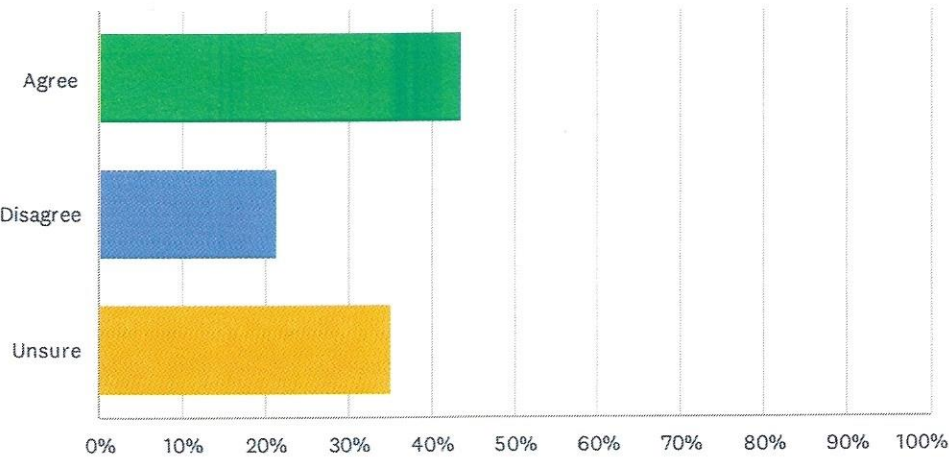
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	86.42%	369
Disagree	6.32%	27
Unsure	7.26%	31
TOTAL		427

Q8 More input from the laity is required in the process of electing bishops and ordaining priests.

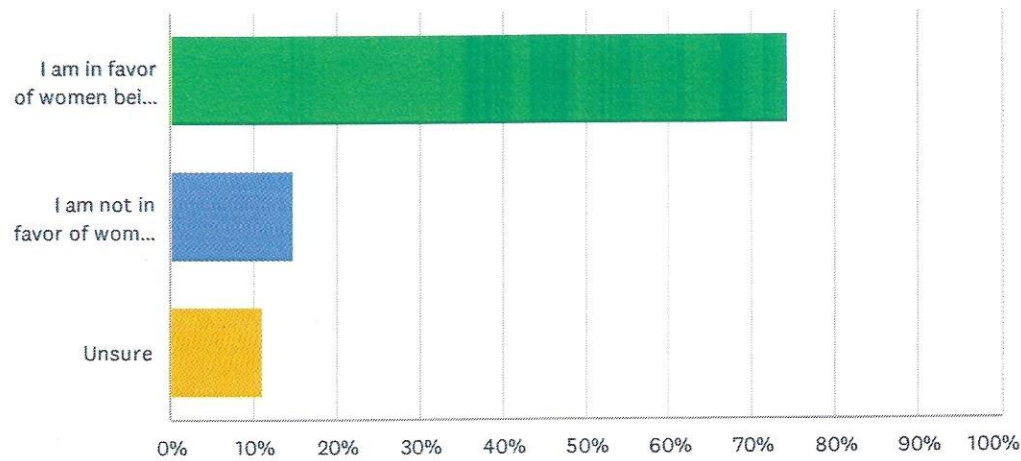
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	43.46%	186
Disagree	21.26%	91
Unsure	35.28%	151
TOTAL		428

Q9 Pope Francis has revealed that the commission set up to examine the role of women in the early Church did not reach agreement on the question of women deacons. He has indicated he would like the people's opinion.

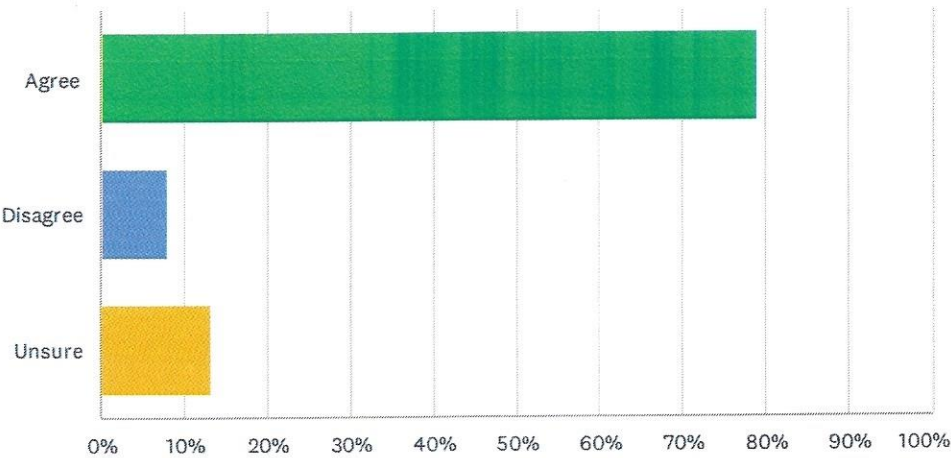
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
I am in favor of women being ordained deacons	74.30%	318
I am not in favor of women being ordained deacons	14.72%	63
Unsure	10.98%	47
TOTAL		428

Q10 Human life must be respected from conception to natural death.

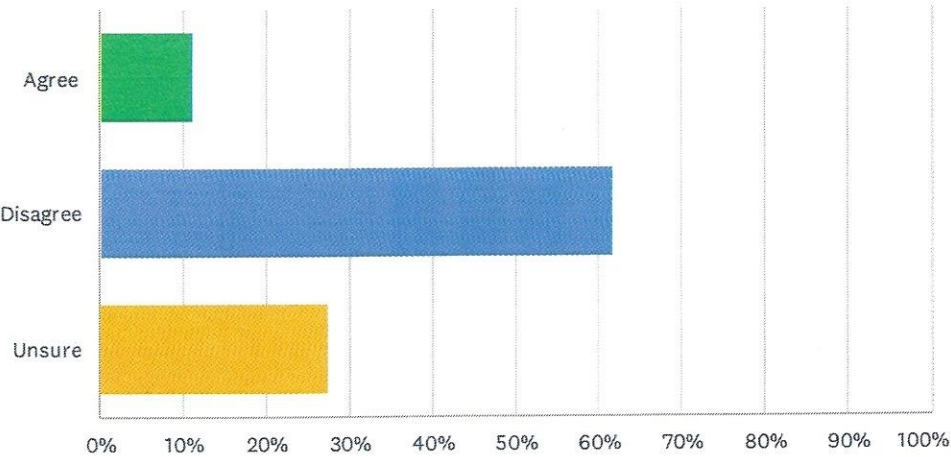
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	78.87%	336
Disagree	7.98%	34
Unsure	13.15%	56
TOTAL		426

Q11 The Catholic Church has handled the sexual abuse crisis appropriately.

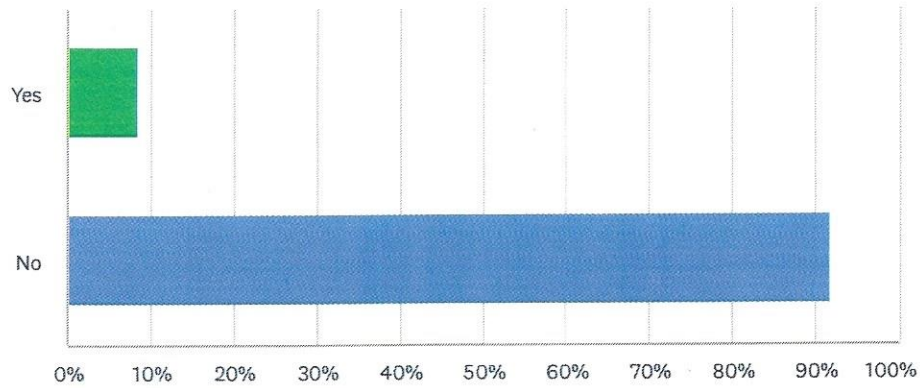
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	11.01%	47
Disagree	61.59%	263
Unsure	27.40%	117
TOTAL		427

Q12 Has the sexual abuse scandal in the church caused you to stop practicing your faith?

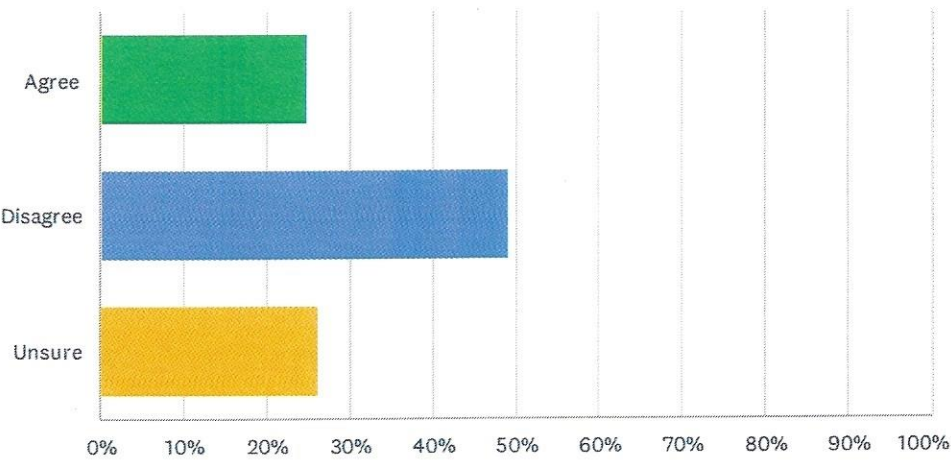
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	8.24%	35
No	91.76%	390
TOTAL		425

Q13 The mandatory celibacy of the clergy should be maintained.

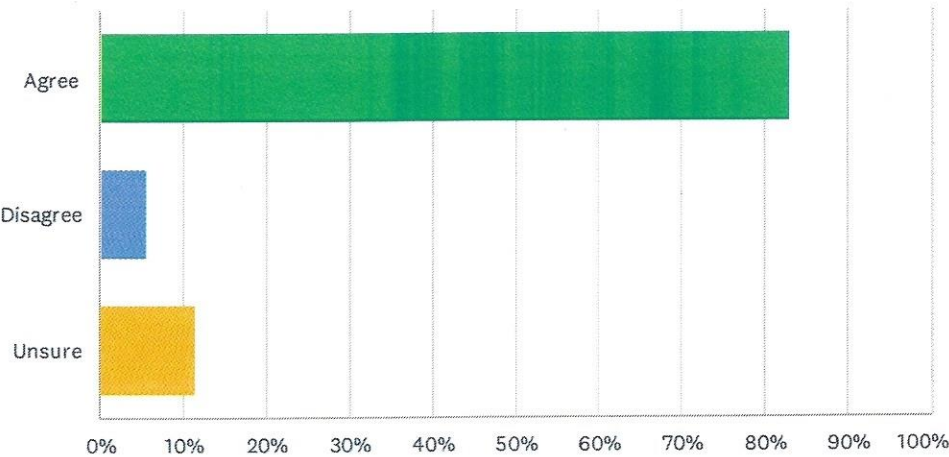
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	24.65%	105
Disagree	49.06%	209
Unsure	26.29%	112
TOTAL		426

Q14 Divorced persons who have remarried should ordinarily be permitted to receive Holy Communion.

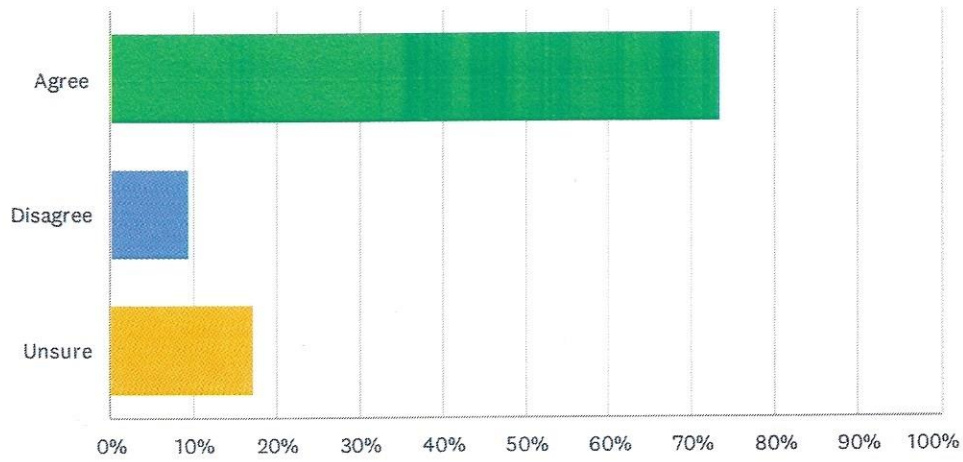
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	82.86%	353
Disagree	5.63%	24
Unsure	11.50%	49
TOTAL		426

Q15 Divorced persons should be permitted to remarry in the Church.

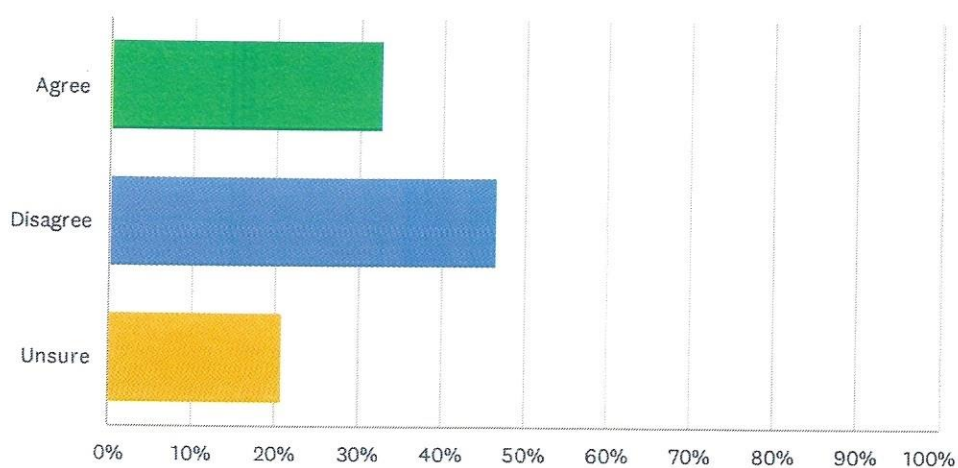
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	73.30%	313
Disagree	9.37%	40
Unsure	17.33%	74
TOTAL		427

Q16 The Church should permit same sex marriages.

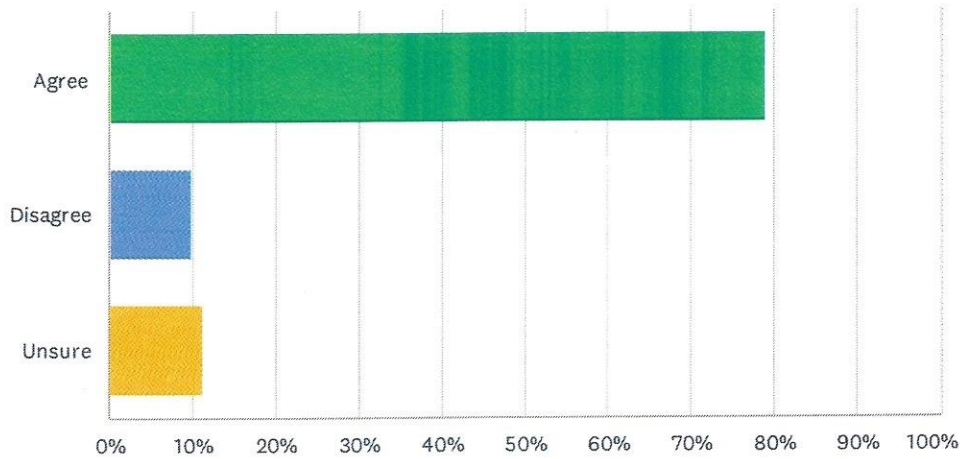
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	32.63%	139
Disagree	46.48%	198
Unsure	20.89%	89
TOTAL		426

Q17 In vitro-fertilization (IVF) should be allowed for Catholic couples who experience infertility.

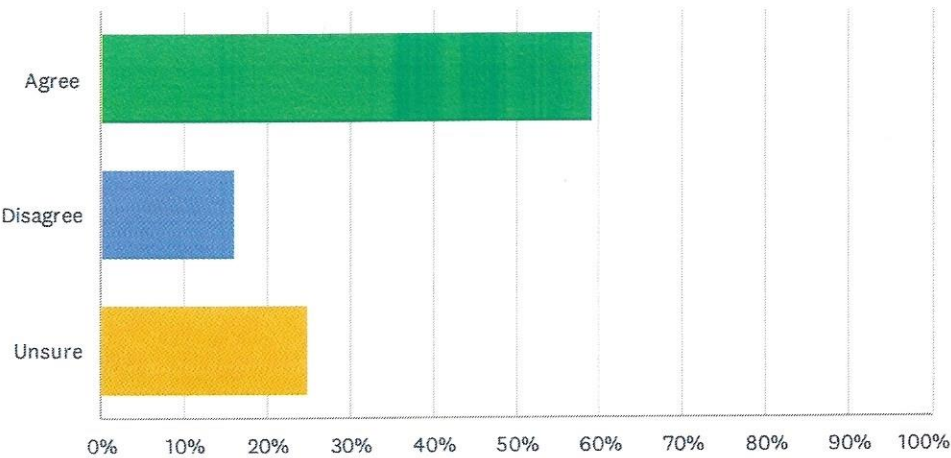
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	78.92%	337
Disagree	9.84%	42
Unsure	11.24%	48
TOTAL		427

Q18 In my parish, I can speak my thoughts freely and honestly.

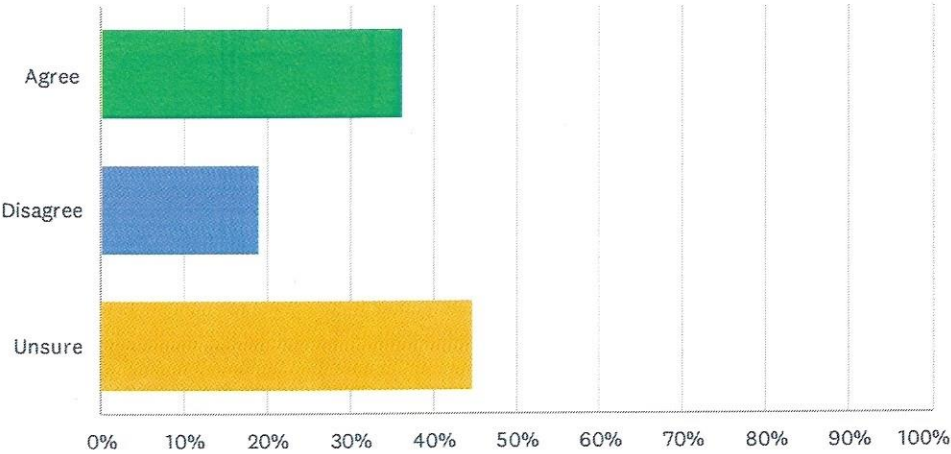
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	59.15%	252
Disagree	15.96%	68
Unsure	24.88%	106
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Q19 In my parish/diocese, input is gathered from parishioners and is considered.

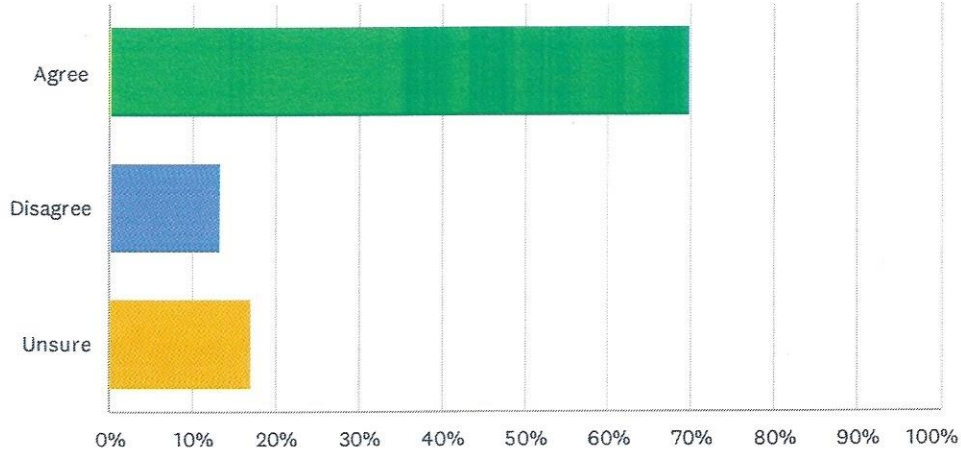
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	36.15%	154
Disagree	19.01%	81
Unsure	44.84%	191
TOTAL		426

Q20 My parish offers engaging liturgies and encourages people to serve in ministries.

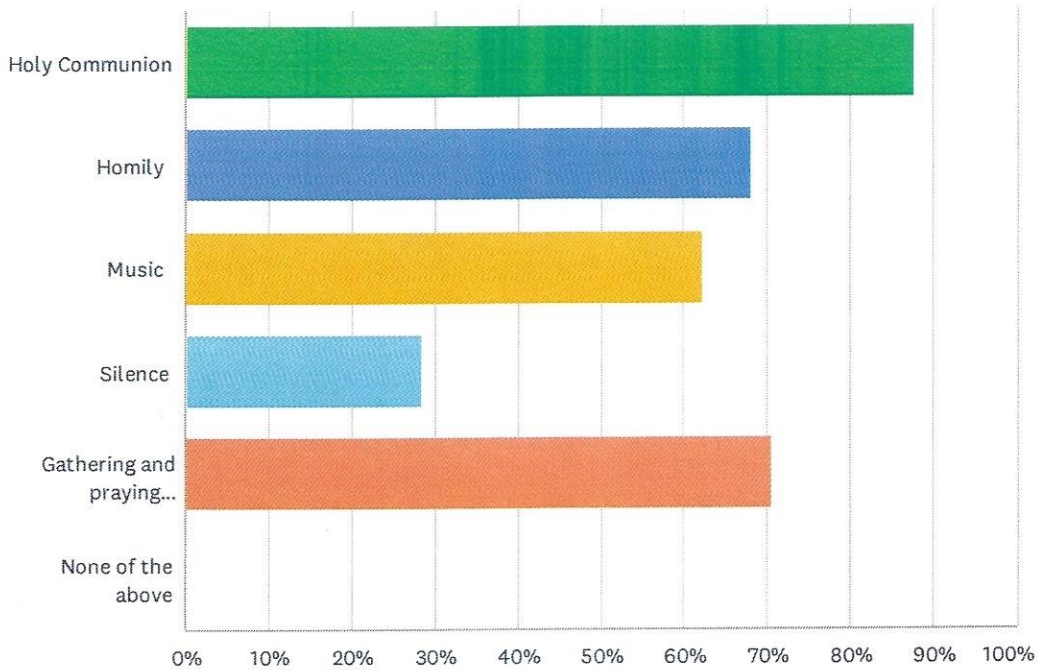
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	69.79%	298
Disagree	13.11%	56
Unsure	17.10%	73
TOTAL		427

Q21 What elements of the Mass are most important to you? More than one answer may be selected.

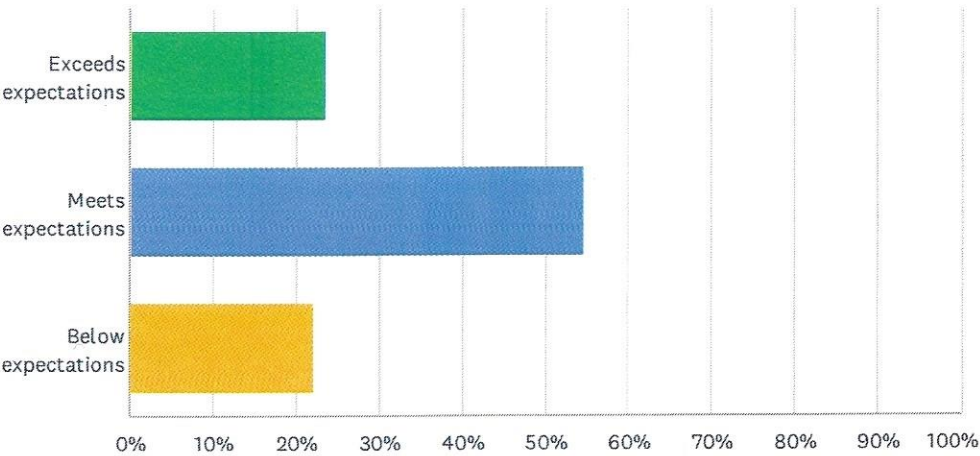
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Holy Communion	87.59%	374
Homily	67.92%	290
Music	62.30%	266
Silence	28.34%	121
Gathering and praying together as a faith community	70.49%	301
None of the above	0.23%	1
Total Respondents: 427		

Q22 The preaching in my parish

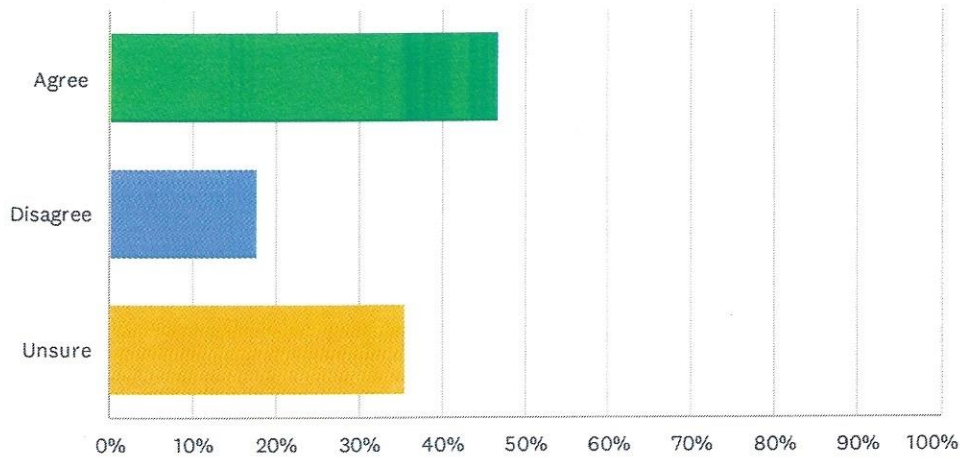
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Exceeds expectations	23.35%	99
Meets expectations	54.48%	231
Below expectations	22.17%	94
TOTAL		424

Q23 The CCD Program is fulfilling its role, i.e. bringing students closer to God and to one another.

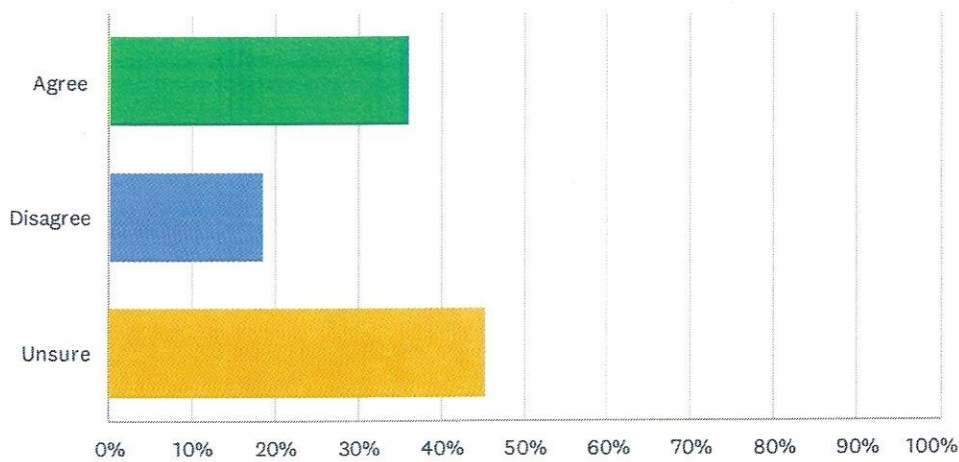
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	46.71%	199
Disagree	17.61%	75
Unsure	35.68%	152
TOTAL		426

Q24 My parish actively promotes the care of the environment.

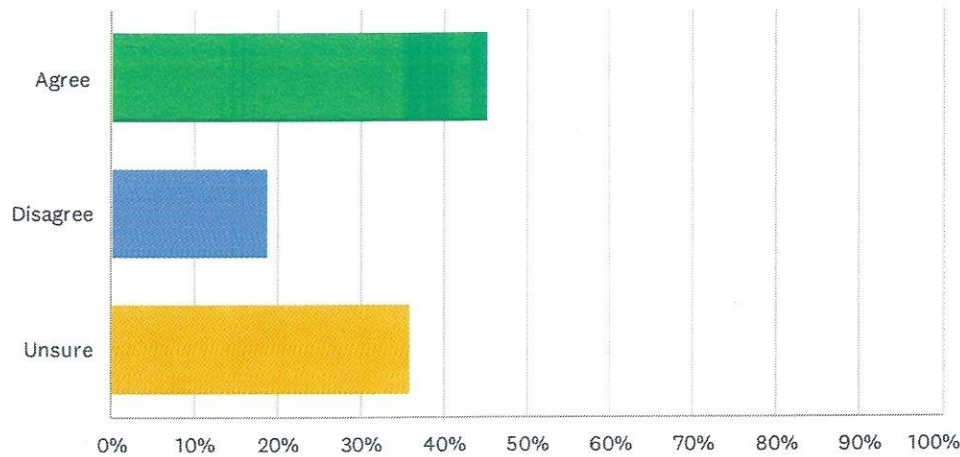
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	36.02%	152
Disagree	18.48%	78
Unsure	45.50%	192
TOTAL		422

Q25 My parish participates in respectful dialogue and sharing of ideas that have to do with race, religion and the environment.

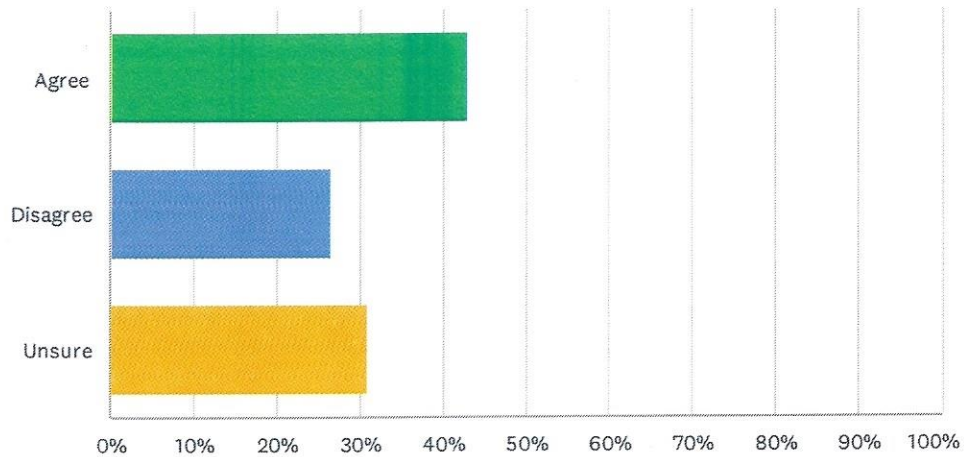
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	45.18%	192
Disagree	18.82%	80
Unsure	36.00%	153
TOTAL		425

Q26 My parish has many activities and opportunities that allow parishioners and newcomers to feel welcome and involved in the faith community.

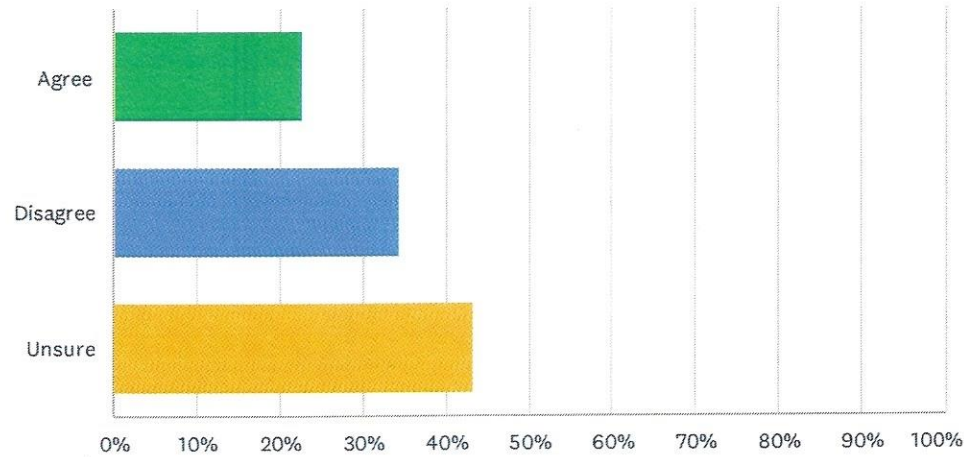
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	42.82%	182
Disagree	26.35%	112
Unsure	30.82%	131
TOTAL		425

Q27 My parish reaches out to those who are not active or have become less active in the parish.

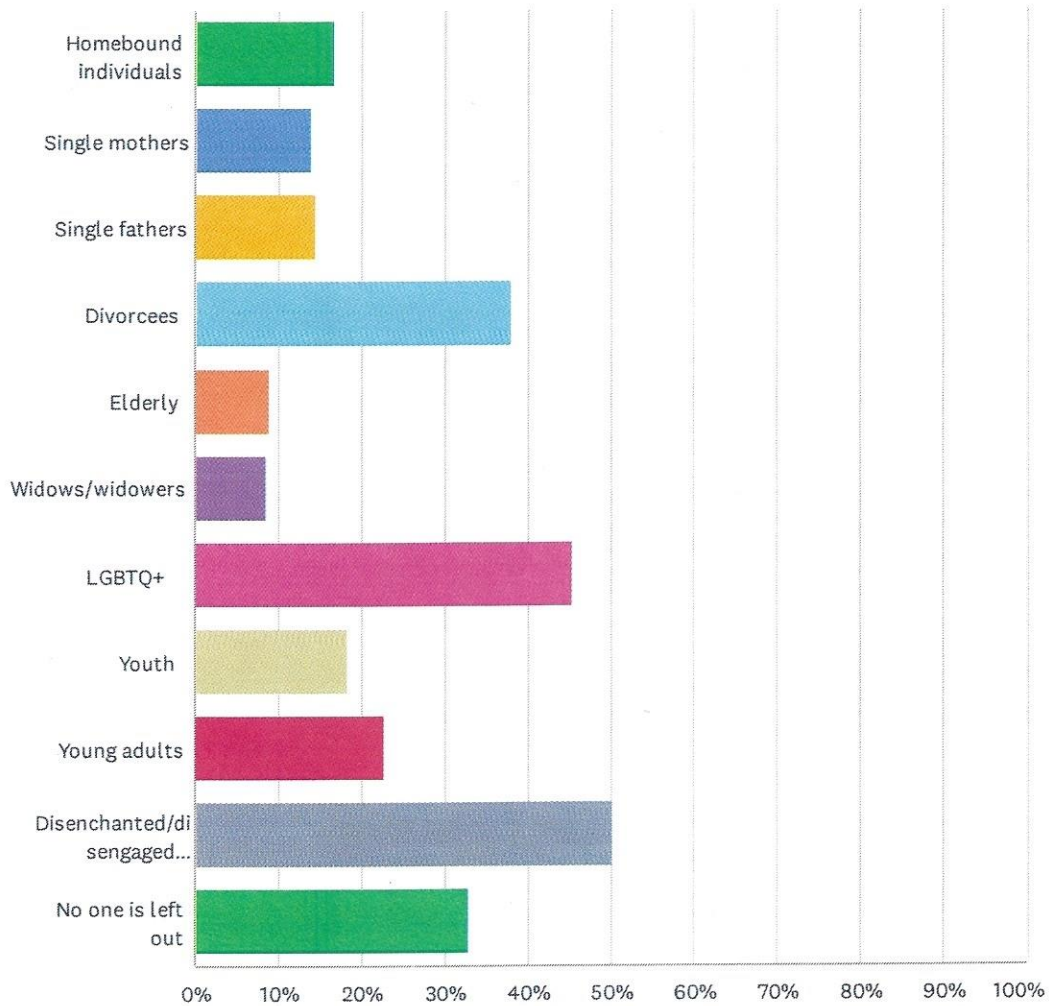
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Agree	22.54%	96
Disagree	34.27%	146
Unsure	43.19%	184
TOTAL		426

Q28 What individuals or groups, if any, do you believe the parish/diocese does not include? More than one answer may be selected.

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Homebound individuals	16.63%	68
Single mothers	13.94%	57
Single fathers	14.43%	59
Divorcees	37.90%	155
Elderly	9.05%	37
Widows/widowers	8.56%	35
LGBTQ+	45.48%	186
Youth	18.34%	75
Young adults	22.74%	93
Disenchanted/disengaged Catholics	50.12%	205
No one is left out	32.76%	134
Total Respondents: 409		