



OPEN MINDEDNESS & ADAPTABILITY

Resources needed:

- Pens
- Laptop with access to projector and speakers
- A4 or A3 paper
- Mapping sheet to accompany- SEE THINK DO

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit...

Lord, give me
The words to comfort,
The hands to serve,
The ears to listen.
Let all my works be for love alone.
Let me be Your light. Amen

• Play Open mindedness and adaptability video reflection





The first thing SVP members do is look to see what the poverty and need is in the area local to them. They think about what is concerning them. So that's what we are going to ask you to do. You now have 5 minutes to think about the area we live in.

Think about where are there people who might need support and extra care? Where is the loneliness? Where are the local projects helping people already? Where are the problem areas? What is within a mile of where we are now?

(Give 5 minutes for the groups to put together a list of situations, groups of people etc - have a wander round and offer support and some ideas if they need it).

Part Two- THINK



The second thing SVP members do is to think about how Jesus inspires us to take action and help people. Then they think about the gifts and resources they have and come up with a plan to make a positive change in their local community.

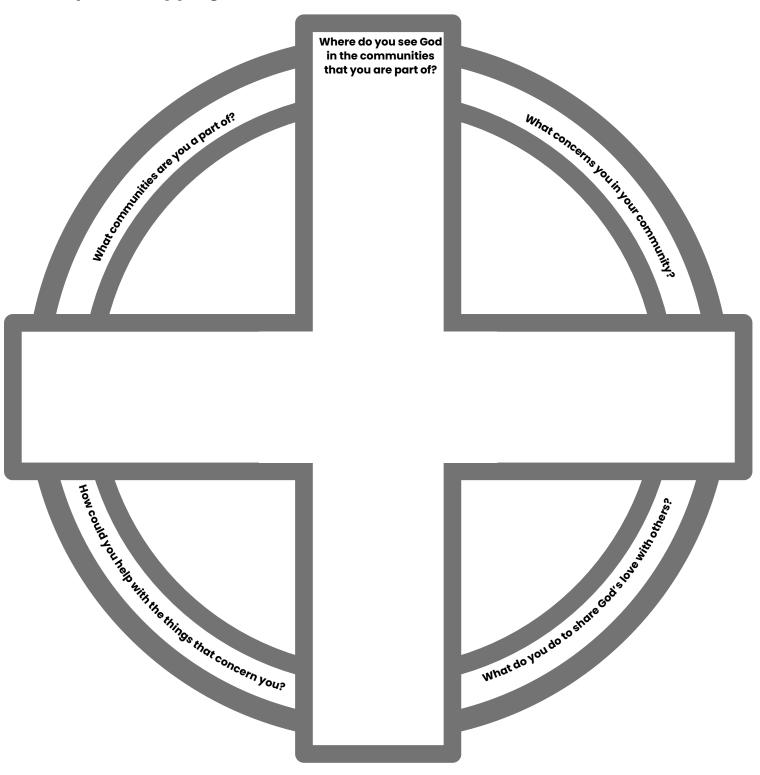
So that's the second part of your challenge. You now have 20 minutes to put together an idea for an action that you believe the CathSoc/Parish/ Chaplaincy could do to support a group in the local community. We will give you a sheet to help guide you but it's over to you.

- Remember to keep it within the realms of possibility.
- Give it a personal touch.
- Make it significant for a person or group in the community.



After 20 mins allow each group to present their ideas. It would be great if one idea could then been taken forward either during the next month/term and made reality with the support of the Chaplain/Priest/Parish volunteers but driven by young adults.

Example of mapping sheet



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MAPPING

