



New England
Region

The Death of Sunday School and the Future of Faith Formation

Discussion Questions for Staff Teams

1. What thoughts and feelings are you sitting with as you reflect back on The Death of Sunday School and the Future of Faith Formation? Can you say something about your personal or professional experiences that may relate to your having those thoughts and feelings?
2. What pieces of information – or ways of looking at information – were new to you?
3. What insights did you gain from this paper?
4. Do you have uncertainties about any of the assumptions and views you have held in the past? Can you say something about both the certainties and uncertainties you bring to this conversation?
5. What are your views, hopes, and fears regarding the future of faith formation? What is the "heart of the matter" for you?
6. As a staff team, are we willing to explore this further? What do we need from one another to do that?
7. How can this conversation be continued in our congregation?