



October “A Time to Listen” Meetings w/ Bishop McElroy

Bishop McElroy will be hosting a series of “Listening Sessions” in October as a result of the crisis we face as a church due to the sexual abuse of minors and other vulnerable adults by clergy, and the failure of bishops to adequately protect those entrusted to their care. The purpose of the town hall meetings is to hear the input of the Catholic faithful regarding meaningful reform of the church, to hear from those who have been abused or their family members, to allow the people to hear from their bishop directly regarding safeguards in place here in the Diocese of San Diego, and, perhaps most importantly, simply to pray for God’s guidance every step of the way.

The schedule of Listening Sessions:

- Monday, October 1 Mission Deanery – Our Mother of Confidence Parish, 7:00 pm
- Wednesday, October 3 Cathedral Deanery, St. Joseph Cathedral, 7:00 pm
- **Thursday, October 4** **El Cajon Deanery, Our Lady of Grace - Moloney Center, 7:00 pm**
- Friday, October 5 South Bay Deanery, Saint Charles Parish, 7:00 pm
- Saturday, October 6 Imperial Valley Deanery, Saint Mary Parish, El Centro, 9:00 am
- Wednesday, October 17 Oceanside Deanery, Church of the Nativity, 7:00 pm
- Thursday, October 18 Escondido Deanery, St. Gabriel Parish - Msgr. Charles Dollen Hall, 7:00 pm