



## APPLICATION TOOL 12

### Sample Survey: Parents of Teenagers

Please indicate your *interest* in the following topics.

	<u>Rating</u> *		
1. How to communicate better with my teenager.	N	S	M
2. How to help my teen develop healthy concepts of right and wrong.	N	S	M
3. How to help my teen learn and practice the Christian faith.	N	S	M
4. More about how to talk with my teen about sexuality.	N	S	M
5. How to effectively discipline my teen.	N	S	M
6. More about the development and life issues of my teenager.	N	S	M
7. Participating in a support group where parents talk with other parents about common issues and concerns of being a parent.	N	S	M
8. Participating in service projects with my teens or with other adults.	N	S	M
9. How to deal with conflict in family relationships.	N	S	M
10. How to promote the faith of my teenager.	N	S	M
11. How to share faith at home through rituals and traditions, faith conversations, prayer, and devotions.	N	S	M

\*Rating: None, Some, Much

**12.** Which of the following would improve your home life?  
(Rank them from 1 - most important to 5 - least important.)

- to talk more openly with my teenager
- to spend more time together as a family
- to get along better with my teenager
- to share more responsibilities at home
- to learn how to set boundaries and rules with my teenager
- other:

**13.** Which of the following do you believe your family really needs to work on?  
(Check all that apply.)

- communication
- fun times
- religious life
- discipline
- other:
- privacy
- trust
- expectations of family members
- getting along together

**14.** To the best of your knowledge, how well does the church's current programming meet your family's needs?

- very well
- okay
- don't know
- good
- poorly

**15.** When is the best time for you to attend activities and workshops?

- weekdays during the day (which days: \_\_\_\_\_)
- weekday evening (which days: \_\_\_\_\_)
- Saturday
- Sunday morning
- Sunday afternoon
- Sunday evening

If you could ask for one thing from the church to help your family, what would it be?