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Name
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Dear _____,

On _____ (*date*) Bishop _____ (*name*) wrote to all the priests of the diocese and indicated that the presbyterate would be have a convocation on _____ (*date*). As you are aware, the title of this gathering is *Priestly Life and Vocation Summit: Fishers of Men*. The purpose of this gathering is look at our own priestly life and share with our brother priest the most powerful elements of our priesthood. This gathering will then be directed to how we as priests can invite men to consider priesthood as a possible vocation for them.

In planning for this event, I would like to ask you to participate in the preparation for this gathering. We are asking priests to be a part of an interview answering a number of questions about the priesthood. The responses to these questions will be transcribed and possibly used at the *Priestly Life and Vocation Summit: Fishers of Men* gathering.

In the hopes that you will be willing to participate in this preparation process, you will be contacted in the near future in order to arrange a time that would be suitable to your schedule. The questions have been enclosed in order to give you some sense of the direction of the questions and offer you an opportunity to reflect on some responses.

Thank you in advance for your consideration and please call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely in Christ,

Vocation Director