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Day of reflection

Black Catholics identify priorities

By Teresa A. Parsons
 Leadership, family life, education and evangelization are among the priorities black Catholics in the Diocese of Rochester want the National Black Catholic Congress to address this spring.

Those were at least some of the conclusions nearly 50 parishioners, clergy and religious reached by the end of a diocesan Day of Reflection at St. Anthony of Padua Church Saturday, December 6.

Rochester's diocesan Office of Black Ministries sponsored the gathering to nominate 10 delegates and choose five agenda items for them to bring to the nationwide congress at The Catholic University of America in Washington, May 21-24. Members of the diocesan coordinating committee plan to announce in early January the names of delegates and agenda items that were chosen.

Noting that the first national gathering of black Catholics in the United States took place in 1889, Saturday's keynote speaker, Sister Patricia Haley, SCN, reminded participants that they are part of a movement that has gone on for "many a year."

"We come together as black Catholics recognizing all that the Lord has done for us as a people," she said, recalling a litany of heroes from Rosa Parks, who sparked the beginning of the civil rights movement by refusing to stand on an half-empty Alabama bus, to South Africa's Bishop Desmond Tutu; from the first black American to be ordained a priest to today's black Catholic bishops.

But Sister Patricia also reminded the group that today's world is sorely in need of leaders to transform it.

"We need to examine what is happening in our diocese. We need to see if our diocese is responding to the needs of the people," she said. "It's easier to jump up and down and shout fire in South Africa because we aren't there... But we are 30 million in this country, and yet we sit and we lament, and we let folk do whatever they want to us."

A member of the national coordinating team organizing the National Black Catholic Congress, Sister Patricia lives in Philadelphia. In addition to her involvement with numerous parishes and organizations there, she works as the program coordinator for the Religious Vocation and Formation Program of the National Black Sisters Conference.

To begin the process of discerning issues

for the congress' agenda, small groups of participants in the diocesan Day-of Reflection looked back at the influence of the Church in their lives, both positive and negative.

Among those who have remained active in the Church over the years, some credited a strong sense of community in predominantly black parishes. A personal determination to live as Catholics sustained others, regardless of whether or not they found themselves welcomed by a community.

In each of four discussion groups, participants called for renewed efforts to involve black youths in Church activities and to reach out to the unchurched, as well as those Catholics not affiliated with any parish.

Competition from other denominations, a lack of black Catholic role models locally, and a limited presence in the diocesan structure have inhibited evangelization, according to some groups.

During a brief forum with Bishop Matthew H. Clark, participants in the Day of Reflection urged him to require that all diocesan ministers have some exposure to black theology and ministry. They also asked for greater diocesan efforts to recruit and raise up black priests, religious and lay leaders, both from the local community and from outside the diocese.

"It's you who need to tell me how to develop black leadership, and I'll do my best to support that," Bishop Clark responded. "We will all be the stronger in our efforts when we all take responsibility for vocations. We're all part of this. Unless we all make our contributions, we diminish the contributions of others."

From their discussions, each of the four distilled a list of five proposed agenda items for the national congress. Each group also nominated several people as potential members of the diocesan delegation.

Organizers finally compiled all four groups' suggestions into a single list. At the end of the day-long meeting, each individual voted for five of 19 proposed agenda items. Those five items that receive the most votes will be presented at the national congress by the delegates who were nominated, subject to approval by the diocesan coordinating team and Bishop Clark.

In the meantime, Sister Patricia urged participants to go home and make history.

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