Dec. 5, 2018

Dear St. John the Evangelist Courageous Conversation Participants:

Thank you for your participation and for sharing your thoughts, feelings, and insights in our Courageous Conversations on Nov. 15th and Nov. 17th at St. John the Evangelist. Your role and shared vulnerability was a gift to everyone present while also providing encouragement and hope. Thank you.

Dr. Dobie Moser, our facilitator, has compiled the notes from all of the tables from both conversation sessions. As promised, he has organized them so that all of the responses for each question or prompt are listed so that you can see what the other participants shared in both sessions.

Please take the time to read these responses and pray that God will guide us individually, as a parish, as a diocese, and as the universal Catholic Church.

These responses will also be shared with Bishop Dewayne for his awareness, reflection, prayer, and leadership. Please join us in praying for him and for leaders at every level of the Catholic Church.

Dobie passes on his apologies for the slight delay in getting these to you. Upon returning from his time with us here, their youngest daughter was hospitalized shortly after thanksgiving. He thanks you for your patience and asks for your prayers. You may contact him if you like at DobieMoser@gmail.com.

Peace be with you.