



Dear Ministry Agent, Presbytery Member, Lay Preacher,  
Worship leader, Church Council Chairperson and Secretary,  
School and Agency.

Port Phillip West Presbytery has had a Regenerating the Church strategy since 2013.



While this document primarily shapes the life of the presbytery of Port Phillip West, we hope it inspires congregations and faith communities to participate in 'Regenerating the Church.' It is intended as a resource to assist congregations as they develop their local mission.

In 2020 the Mission, Strategy and Education Committee of the Presbytery was charged with reviewing the past strategy and documenting the ongoing strategy for the next 5 years.

This new Regenerating the Church document was presented to Presbytery in Council on August 14<sup>th</sup>. After much discussion the document was received as a draft document.

The M.S.E. committee are eager to have the draft document viewed and discussed by as many people as possible across the Presbytery and to receive feedback.

We ask you to distribute the attached document widely amongst you community members and to facilitate a discussion in a way appropriate for your situation. This may be at Church Council, Congregation Meeting, special meeting etc.

We are interested in your comments including affirmations, concerns, questions, items for clarification etc.

In order for the Ministry, Education and Strategy Committee to consider all responses at the September meeting we ask that all responses be emailed to

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by Monday September 13<sup>th</sup>.

Please take this opportunity to respond to the draft document as we plan and work together in the developing of a 'network of increasingly vibrant, diverse, contextual and disciple-making communities of Christ' in the Presbytery of Port Phillip West.

Rev William Nicholas  
PPW MSE Chair