

## Example Process Agreement



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It can be useful to agree the how and when for creating a Plan for Growth before you start - a process agreement. Here is an example of what that might look like:

### June 2022

- Attend a Diocesan Launch Event with key church members.
- Who would it help to have there with you?
- Circulate the Growing in God brochures for church members.

### July-August 2022

- Create a working group to oversee this process.
- Who would be best on this?
- Review the Context of your benefice (demographics, maps, plans for new housing etc).
- What has changed in the last three years?
- Run a Listening Event for each parish/congregation, or all together.
- How you will collect feedback from these?

### September 2022

- Draft a Plan for Growth with the Working Group.
- What three priorities will make a significant difference?
- Circulate the draft Plan for Growth to all PCCs.
- Ensure they have a contact person to feed back comments.

### November 2022

- Finalise the Plan for Growth.
- Working Group to weigh the comments received.
- Circulate final version to all PCCs.

### December 2022

- Complete the form online.

More resources are available on our website:  
[www.cofesuffolk.org](http://www.cofesuffolk.org)

#### What help is available?

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