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# Missionary Leadership:



## The 5 Paradigm Shifts Needed to Renew Parishes

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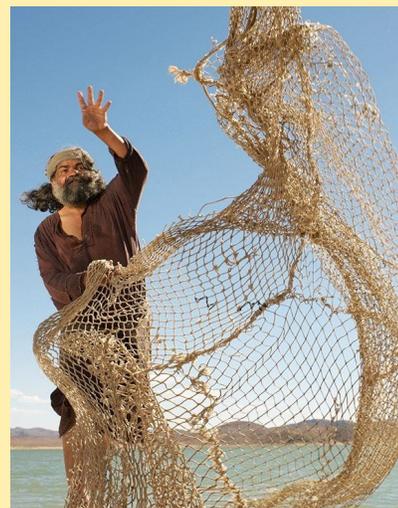
Thursday, January 18, 2018  
Blanchette Catholic Center  
9:30 am—4 pm

*Does your parish struggle to build and sustain a community of discipleship and mission? Join Deacon Keith Strohm, Executive Director of M3 Ministries, to explore 5 critical shifts we need to make in our attitudes and approaches to ministry and parish life if we want to see lasting renewal and transformation in our faith communities.*

### *The 5 Paradigms are:*

- 1. From Institutional to Intentional*
- 2. From Engagement to Encounter*
- 3. From Maintenance to Mission*
- 4. From Programs to People*
- 5. From Avoidance to Accountability*

*This will not be an information-based seminar, but a workshop designed to give you practical tools to shift parish culture and create pastoral plans that bear lasting fruit.*



### **WHO IS INVITED?**

Pastors, staff members, key ministry leaders, parish council and commission members, and all interested ministers. (Ideally, come as a parish team.)

## Here are just a few of the take-aways from this workshop experience:

- An understanding of the 5 Key Paradigm Shifts Critical to Parish Renewal
- Tools to discover the current *cultural norms* in the parish
- A process to evaluate and fine-tune parish activities and ministry in light of the 5 Key Paradigms
- An opportunity to establish simple, concrete next-steps for your parish to continue this process back at the parish

*The question is not whether we will be able to make these shifts in our communities, but rather whether or not we have the will and desire to live differently as Catholic parishes in the 21st century. Keith Strohm*

**\*\* Pastors are strongly encouraged to attend with key leadership team members \*\***

**Deacon Keith Strohm** is the former Director of the Office for the New Evangelization and a deacon for the Archdiocese of Chicago. A well-known international speaker and conference keynote, he has helped tens of thousands of men and women hear the Gospel message and encounter the mercy, love and power of Jesus Christ. Deacon Keith has extensive experience in creating and sustaining processes and programs of evangelization and formation at the group, parish and diocesan level that focus on the making, maturation and missioning of disciples of Jesus Christ.

He is also the Executive Director of M3 Ministries ([www.m3catholic.com](http://www.m3catholic.com)) and a long-time teacher and collaborator with the Catherine of Siena Institute. He is a co-author, along with six other collaborators, with Sherry Weddell for the book *Becoming a Parish of Intentional Disciples*--a follow-up to the bestselling book, *Forming Intentional Disciples*. His latest book, *Jesus: The Story You Thought You Knew*, is available now from Our Sunday Visitor. You can follow him on Twitter (@KeithStrohm).

***Please register by no later than January 12th***

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