2016 Diocesan Representatives Conference

**Desired Outcomes**

* Renewed Enthusiasm
* ABM’s Strategic Plan for next 5 years
* Update on new projects and / or Partners
* Mission achievement stories
* Hear about ministry in in other dioceses
* Share about ministry in our place
* To encourage one another
* To talk about cross-cultural mission in Australia and how ABM is/can be involved
* Friends of ABM
* New strategies
* To learn more about the role of the diocesan representatives
* To get to know the reps better
* The call to ABM where are the next priorities in its life and mission
* How does ABM compete with the demands of so many N.G.O.’s
* Diocesan specific e-mail communication to supporters
* Youth Ambassadors
* Perth ABM entry in Anglican Directory
* Ideas to encourage membership of the Auxiliary
* Diocesan specific ABM strategies
* How is the organisation fairing? Money? Supporters?
* Enjoy fellowship
* Promoting “transformational” Church-to-Church stories
* How do we grow ABM market share
* Highlight success stories
* Share needs
* Get to know other Reps
* To hear what other dioceses are doing for ABM
* Generally just to observe and see what role I can play in our Diocese to work with ABM
* Thank you for increased communication ☺
* Fundraising ideas that work
* Hear of strategies in other Dioceses
* What role foes ABM have in perhaps “standing in the breach” subsequent to the closure/ending of the NHMF?
* Reduction of AustralianAID funding?
* Encouragement
* Stories: Projects. People.
* Possibilities
* What new things could happen in Dioceses particularly in the area of fundraising?
* ABM role in PNG given the political climate and reduced funding through AustralianAID
* Communications strategy
* How to better build on relationships between Bishops and ABM
* Get update on ABM nationally and internationally
* Publicity for diocesan media
* Must be stories and not just adverts
* New ABM directions? Strategic direction
* Spreading the word of ABM to rural and outback communities
* How effective is the use of social media in gaining support for ABM?
* Is evangelism a dirty word in the mission world?
* What’s new in ABM
* Impacts – government funding cuts
* The challenges confronting ABM: finances?
* A global context: changing nature of the Church and World
* Understand what ABM is doing and what needs to be disseminated to diocese