

## COMMUNICATION IN MINISTRY WORKSHEET-Jan.7, 2020

### Introduction to the course

1. General description of what we will be doing this session.
2. Statement of Purpose for this session
3. "Leveling the playing field"

**Part I** – Present the fundamentals of communication along with large group interaction

*Reflection: What do you want to not forget from this section?*

### Activity:

**Groups of three:** Scenario: You are in a rush grocery shopping. A parishioner stops you and is adamantly opposed to the new directive that only the priest or the deacon can go to the tabernacle during the Communion Rite. How would you handle that scenario?

One person is the parishioner, one is the EM shopper, one is a recorder

**Part II** – Present: What's behind the curtain?

*Reflection: What struck you during Part II?*

### Break

**Part III** – And what about technology?

- Texting? Instagram? Twitter? Facebook? Emails? Emoticams?

*Reflection: Hear anything new in Part IV?*

**Part IV** – Closing activity

Go back into the same group and address the three areas we addressed in Part III. (Psychology, Theology, Spirituality) What was going on behind the curtain in your small group?

**For next month:** Bring your Bibles and be observant of yourself and others in the various conversations that you have----at home, at work, in your neighborhood, at the store, at Church.