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**THEOLOGICAL REFLECTION GUIDE**

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This Reflection Guide is due the Evening with Field Supervisors:

January 19th, 2026

May 4th, 2026

Note: On 1/19 Attend M.A.M. Evening of Formation & present January Theological Reflection.

On 5/4 Attend M.A.M. Evening of Formation & present May Theological Reflection

(In completing this *Guide* please note that it is **not** meant to be a *word for word* report or an **exhaustive** description of the many elements of the event. It is simply a starting point for discussion. It is most helpful to give the completed guide to your supervisor ahead of time so that it may be read prior to your sitting down together to review it.)

**A. The Event**

* Briefly describe the pastoral event or encounter for which you are offering this reflection.
* Why is this event or encounter significant to you?
* Upon reflection and prayer, how do you now understand/see the situation? Would you do things differently? How?

**B. Theological Elements of Learning**

*Theological* – What does this event/issue reveal to me about my understanding and application of the teaching and theology of the Church? What Church teaching, Tradition, or experience have I used to inform my actions in this event and since?

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