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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is a recommendation for Evangelical Catholic as a partner in providing Ongoing Formation Workshops for Priests. As the Director of Ongoing Formation for Priests in the Diocese of Phoenix, I am always on the lookout for quality, current, pastoral application to pastoral challenges.

We were fortunate to work with Peter Andrastek who presented *The Parish as A Center of Apostolic Community and Formation*. The priest-participants were engaged with his presentation. He reviewed various theological principles as the foundation for his pastoral application in moving the parish from a “1950’s parish model” to a parish driven by small apostolic communities that share faith, life and fellowship.

I am also grateful for the follow up provided by the team of Evangelical Catholic who provide some guidance and discernment for next steps in what was presented, as well as offering counsel to the priests who desire to take what was presented and begin application in their parish community.

I highly recommend Evangelical Catholic as a Priests Ongoing Formation Resource.

Feel Free to contact me for additional feedback or recommendation regarding Evangelical Catholic.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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