

Hey St. Clare –
How has the SPIRITUAL TEMPERATURE of
our PARISH CHANGED?

Now it's time to *savor* the results!

MEMBER ENGAGEMENT ITEMS

- **St. Clare Engagement scores are higher than the average of all churches nationally (and Catholic churches as well)!**

The “Grand Mean” is the average of the average scores for each of the 12 Member Engagement survey items:

Grand Mean	St. Clare 2010	National Catholic	National (All Churches)	St. Clare Youth 2010
Engagement	4.00	3.47	3.58	3.76

- **St. Clare is in the top 25% of all surveyed churches!**

The 75th percentile Grand Mean Engagement score for all churches is 3.74. Our score is 4.00! Yes, you've told us that engagement is *very HOT* at St. Clare!

- **SIX of our twelve individual Engagement scores showed meaningful increases!**

Gallup defines meaningful change as a .20 change in an individual mean (up or down). See the other side to see which scores increased.

Coming Next Week: The 9 Spiritual Commitment Items and the 4 Outcome Items (serving, life satisfaction, inviting others, & giving)

Engagement is different than involvement. Engagement is my emotional connection to my parish.

Member Engagement Items

	<i>Averages are on a scale from 1 (strongly disagree) to 5 (strongly agree). For example, 3.99 is closer to strongly agree than strongly disagree.</i>	St. Clare Average 2010	St. Clare Average 2008	Youth Average 2010	Youth Average 2008
E01	As a member of my parish, I know what is expected of me.	4.28	3.99	3.82	3.69
E02	In my parish, my spiritual needs are met.	4.34	4.08	3.87	3.53
E03	In my parish, I regularly have the opportunity to do what I do best.	4.12	3.97	3.50	3.41
E04	In the last month, I have received recognition or praise from someone in my parish.	3.80	3.60	3.71	3.59
E05	The spiritual leaders in my parish seem to care about me as a person.	4.35	4.27	4.31	4.29
E06	There is someone in my parish who encourages my spiritual development.	3.96	3.91	3.94	4.18
E07	As a member of my parish, my opinions seem to count.	4.06	3.89	3.59	3.50
E08	The mission or purpose of my parish makes me feel my participation is important.	4.24	4.04	3.65	3.44
E09	The other members of my parish are committed to spiritual growth.	4.09	4.08	4.29	3.93
E10	Aside from family members, I have a best friend in my parish.	3.40	3.43	3.41	3.56
E11	In the last six months, someone in my parish has talked to me about the progress of my spiritual growth.	2.93	2.56	3.29	2.65
E12	In my parish, I have opportunities to learn and grow.	4.34	4.04	3.75	3.75

**Circled items: Gallup considers a .20 change in item averages a “meaningful” growth or decline.

Engagement is about belonging. And belonging leads to believing!