



## BISHOP OF HAMILTON

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### ENDORSEMENT

The work of Flourishing Congregations Institute will contribute to a better understanding of the milieu that we find ourselves in as Christians in Canada, called to evangelize the culture. The research that they will conduct will provide meaningful data that may help Christian denominations not only in their own pastoral planning but also in bridging the gap between denominations through greater exchange of shared experiences in facing together the emerging realities in the Canadian pastoral landscape.

I invite the Pastors in the Diocese of Hamilton to consider having their parishioners participate in this national survey.

Sincerely in Christ and Mary Immaculate,

(Most Rev.) Douglas Crosby, OMI  
Bishop of Hamilton

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