

# V ENCUENTRO REGIONAL STATISTICAL SUMMARY

## Region 11

### GEOGRAPHY

Region XI includes the states of California, Hawaii, and Nevada; the Archdioceses of Los Angeles and San Francisco; and the Dioceses of Fresno, Honolulu, Las Vegas, Monterey, Oakland, Orange, Reno, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Jose, Santa Rosa, and Stockton.



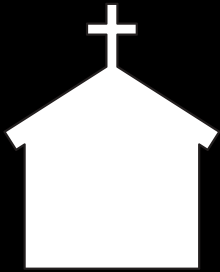
### PASTORAL PROFILE OF HISPANIC/LATINO MINISTRY

#### Diocesan personnel dedicated to Hispanic ministry in the Region:

- In offices of Hispanic Ministry: **13**
- Responsible for *Pastoral Juvenil Hispana*: **6**
- In ethnic/multicultural or other specialized offices: **5**
- Office personnel assisting these leaders: **7**

#### Estimated Hispanic Catholic population:

- **3,867,000** immigrant Hispanic Catholics
- **5,184,000** Hispanic Catholics born in the U.S.
- **66%** of the Catholics in the Region are Hispanic/Latino



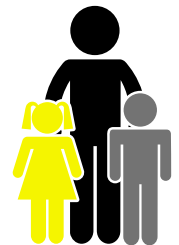
#### Parishes with Hispanic/Latino Ministry: **762**

##### Masses in Spanish:

- Weekly Masses: **1,786**
- Once-a-month Masses: **10**
- Average attendance per Mass: **459** (9.1% of all Hispanic Catholics)

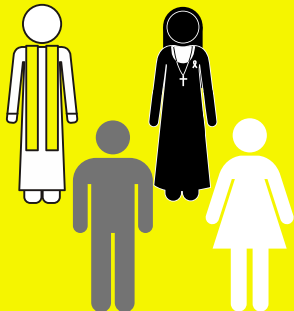
#### Among Children from 0-17 years old

- **73%** are Hispanics/Latinos born in the U.S.
- **5%** are immigrant Hispanics/Latinos
- In K-8 Catholic schools, **35.5%** are Hispanics/Latinos
- In Catholic high schools, **27.7%** are Hispanics/Latinos



#### Hispanic/Latino ecclesial ministers serving in the Region:

- Immigrant priests: **510**
- U.S.-born priests: **175**
- Religious sisters and brothers: **618**
- Deacons: **460**
- Lay ecclesial ministers: **1,754**



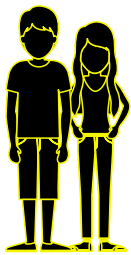
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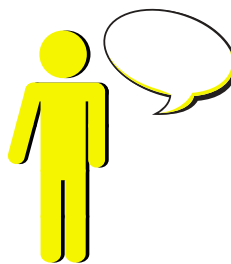
### THE V ENCUENTRO IN REGION XI

- Sent **676** delegates to the National *Encuentro*, including **5 ENAVE/ERAVE** and **15 bishops**.
- The Regional *Encuentro* was celebrated with **1303 delegates** and **22 bishops**.
- **14 Diocesan Encuentros** were celebrated, with total attendance of **5,452**.
- **314 parishes/organizations** conducted the five sessions and **284** held a Parish *Encuentro*.
- **6,459 leaders** from **442 parishes** received training for the V *Encuentro* in **225 trainings**.

### Main areas of new outreach in parishes through the V Encuentro:



Hispanic/Latino young adults



English-speaking  
Hispanics/Latinos



People incarcerated  
or detained

### Called to Make the Kingdom of God Present Where We Live



The process of the V Encounter in Region XI gave us the opportunity to create a greater awareness in the ecclesial community of what it means to be a missionary disciple. The ecclesiology of the V Encuentro helped us all to recognize ourselves as ecclesial ministers with different roles and responsibilities, but all of us walking together responding to the call to make present the Kingdom of God in the place where we live, work, study, and fulfill ourselves as people and as a community.

The diocesan directors promoted an experience of pastoral de conjunto among the dioceses and among the various ministries and organizations. The presence of 22 Bishops from California, Nevada and Hawaii at the Regional Encuentro was a testimony to the unity of the Church in Region XI and gave an extraordinary impetus in the process, as the participants felt accompanied, listened to, and affirmed as Church.



### THE V ENCUENTRO OF HISPANIC/LATINO MINISTRY

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