



## Meaning of the Households of Faith logo



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of  
Faith

The logo incorporates the archdiocesan colours since this is a lasting initiative, a way of being and is for the long term throughout all the archdiocese.

In the centre is a cross and open book, leading us to focus on the centrality of Jesus as we encounter and meet Jesus in the opening and sharing of the Holy scriptures.

Surrounding this is a never-ending circle of people (note they are a small group in which real connections can be made).

This portion of the logo gives us a glimpse of unity and connections as we center ourselves around Jesus present in The Word.

The outer framing is a household, a home, we all belong to a home or household. We encounter Jesus in all moments of our daily lives and The Word is not reserved for Sundays in the Church building but to be encountered and meet us with transformative moments in our homes, within a household of people, by birth or by choice. We are reminding that “The Church is family of families, constantly enriched by the lives of all those domestic churches.” Pope Francis, *Amoris Laetitia*, 87

The anchoring scripture for this endeavour is:

“By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”  
John 13. 35

The symbols of hearts arise from the unity of the people gathers. The colour of the hearts is the same as the cross and open book, connecting this love we live out from Jesus and our encounter with Jesus in The Word. The hearts, break through the walls of the structure. Symbolizing the expansion of Christian love, a love that breaks through barriers of buildings, and symbolic barriers, The largest heart touches the structure but lifts up and outward, as we are also called in our discipleship to go out, to be bearers of Jesus’ great love and meet Jesus in one another everywhere and always.