Segment Two: Taking Stock Today

1. How is the national movement called Dignity different today than it was in the 60’s, 70’s, 80’s and 90’s? How is your local expression different? How are YOU different?

1. Important to have a national presence in Washington, DC.
   1. National movement is more important because of social media and technology.
   2. Issues being addressed now are much different than before.
   3. Dignity has much greater national exposure through MaryAnn who is often quoted through various media.
   4. Immediacy is more important today with an urgency to quickly get the word out to media including social media.
   5. Have seen more effectiveness in working through coalitions.
2. Considering the passion and conviction that fueled our growth, how well is our “engine” running, in terms of inspiring passion, involvement, change, etc. - in service to our mission today?
   1. Witnessing Dignity's focus more towards the younger generations
      1. Young adults group on the east coast.
      2. Seeing that those in the younger generation are committed.
   3. Is the mission and purpose of Dignity still relevant today? If not, why not? If it is, what key challenges and opportunities do you see ahead?
      1. Expect the younger generation to take a more active role.
         1. Younger society is more accepting in general.
         2. Believe hope in the younger generation together with ability to quickly respond in activism actions.
   4. With the benefit of hindsight, how has Dignity changed lives for the better, locally and nationally? Changed the Catholic community? Impacted the LGBTQ social justice movement?