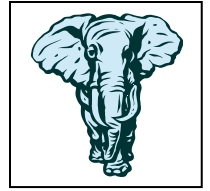


**ELEPHANTS IN THE LIVING ROOM**  
**DISCUSSING WHAT NEEDS TO BE DISCUSSED**

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**AN ELEPHANTS' EVENT: REFORM OF CHURCH STRUCTURES**

AGENDA

12:30 Opening Prayer

12:45 **Tom Fox:** the universal Church

1:45 **Tom Gumbleton:** the local Church

2:20 Questions & Comments from the floor

3:00 Announcements

3:20 **Strategizing** in small groups

Select one of these critical issues to work on:

**How to bring about community-based decision making in the Church**

**How the diverse parts of the archdiocese ( city, suburbs, exurbs ) can act as the one body of Christ**

4:00 Table Reporting: getting a sample of what we can do

4:15 Next Steps & Closing Prayer

*Short breaks will be taken as appropriate throughout the afternoon*

Next Elephants' General Meeting: Tues, June 7<sup>th</sup>, 12:30 – 2pm at St. Ives Parish Hall,  
29350 Lahser Rd, Southfield

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