

**Resources and Links referred to in
*Lifelong Training for Adult Faith Formation***

Part 1: Some Realities and Reminders about Adult Faith Formation Today

- Start with why -- how great leaders inspire action:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u4ZoJKF_VuA
- GEMS issues on needs assessment: <https://www.janetschaeffler.com/Best-Practices.html>
See issues #91 through #96.

Part 2: Some Advantageous and Appealing Approaches for Adult Faith Formation

- Some examples of playlists:
 - <https://www.princeofpeaceparishaohct.org/playlists.html>
 - <https://www.transfigurationpittsford.org/formation-playlists>
- Some examples of churches with small groups:
 - <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/kincumber/groups-and-ministries/connect-small-faith-sharing-groups>
 - <https://holyrosaryantioch.org/small-groups>
 - <https://www.faithmc.sg/small-groups/>
 - <https://ndumc.org/growing-in-faith/small-groups>
 - <https://www.waconiafaithlutheran.com/small-groups/>
 - <https://www.campuslutheran.org/smallgroups.html>

Part 3: Some Practical and Prize-Winning Practices for Adult Faith Formation

- Forty-Sixty: A Study for Midlife Adults Who Want to Make a Difference:
<https://www.amazon.com/Forty-Sixty-Study-Midlife-Adults-Difference/dp/0881773255>
- Mid-Life Fiction Novels: <https://anyshinything.com/midlife-fiction-novels>
- A Process for Gathering Parishioners for a Parish Book Study:
https://www.janetschaeffler.com/Gems_14.pdf
- An Ecumenical Conference and Art Exhibit:
https://www.janetschaeffler.com/GEMS_49.pdf
- A celebration of Art and Tea: https://www.janetschaeffler.com/GEMS_82.pdf
- The Sunday-Monday Connection: https://www.janetschaeffler.com/Gems_1.pdf
- It Happens at Home: https://www.janetschaeffler.com/GEMS_50.pdf
- Various GEMS newsletters: <https://www.janetschaeffler.com/Best-Practices.html>