## THE BOLD CALL OF POPE FRANCIS TO THE SYNODAL CHURCH

## A Methodology of Justice

- Seeing Clearly the Reality Which Confronts Us
- B. Judging the Claim of the Gospel Upon That Reality
- C. Acting to Achieve Justice

## II. The Marks of a Synodal Church

- A. A Church That Consciously Journeys Together
- B. A Church Discerning in the Grace of the Holy Spirit
- C. The Continuing Call to Change and Reform
- D. Rooted in Word and Sacrament
- E. A Listening and Celebrative Church
- F. A Community of Forthright Dialogue
- G. A Humble and honest Church
- H. Discernment, Not Politics or Majoritarianism
- Seeking a Healthy Decentralization
- J. A Participative, Inclusive and Co-Responsible Church

## III. Evangelization Propels the Church

- A. The Signs of the Times
- **B.** Going to the Peripheries
- C. In Dialogue with All Faiths
- D. The Conversion of Cultures
- E. The Search for Justice