

# RETREAT # 1

## MY HISTORY WITH THE CHURCH

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*As you work on your essay, you may wish to consider the following questions:*

- \* Why have you gone to church?
- \* What are some things you've liked about church?
- \* What are some things you wish were different?
- \* What role has the church played in your family and in your life?
- \* What are some of your best memories of church?
- \* Are there songs, services, trips, or sermons that have made an impact on your life?
- \* Who in the church has been a good friend to you?

*Email your essay to Mark  
([mark@nassauchurch.org](mailto:mark@nassauchurch.org)) before the retreat*

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