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The Synod on the Family: Brisbane, Australia -- **Brisbane archbishop has no plans on how the synod on the family consultation process will be handled.** [5] "However, I'm happy for a consultation to take place as widely as reasonably possible," he said.

The Synod on the Family: England and Wales -- **Bishop Hine welcomes the decision to send out this questionnaire seeking input from lay Catholics around the world** [6]

The Synod on the Family: Canada -- **?This is precisely the process we?ve followed in the past.?** [7]?I have as a diocesan bishop done precisely this -- sat down with the priests of the diocese to come up with a picture of the situation," said Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops president Archbishop Paul-André Durocher

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[16]Looking for an a little inspiration to begin your

day? NCR's sister publication, Celebration, gives you two options, both based on the Scripture readings of the day:

Pencil Preaching **[16]** is blog that Celebration editor Pat Marrin combines scripture and sketching to reflect on the word.

Daily Bread [17] is a series short reflections, written by four authors who meet regularly to share the readings. Daily Bread is intended to help daily preachers and others who pray from the assigned scriptures each day to orient themselves to the Living Word addressed to the church in the world. It's a great way to begin the day.

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