



IGNATIAN PEDAGOGY PARADIGM IPP



CONTEXT OF OUR STUDENTS

★ who they are

★ where they are coming from





CONTEXT



My Past
EXPERIENCES
of the World

EXTERNAL
EVENTS

INTERNAL
EVENTS

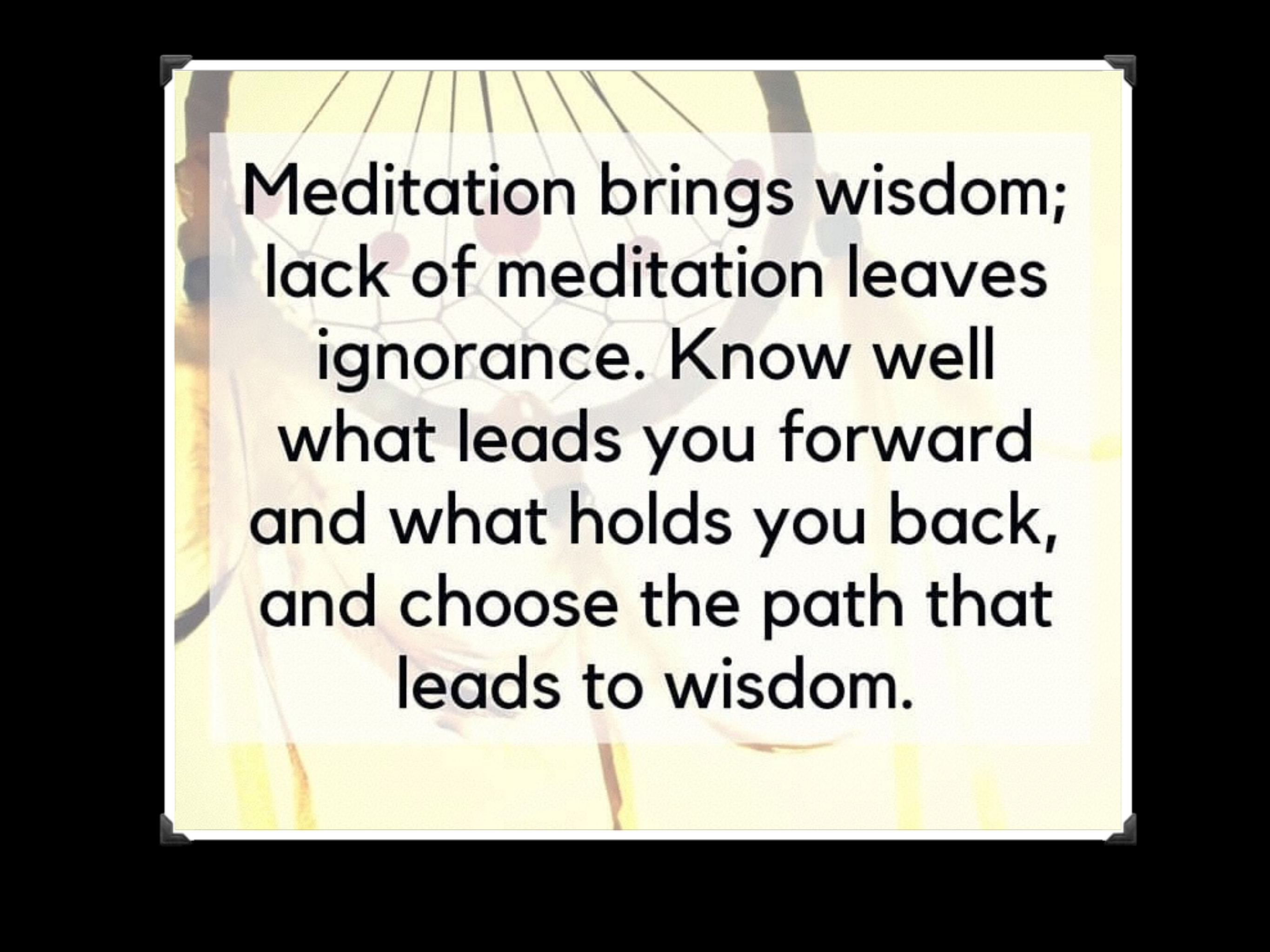


Ignatian Prayer & Reflection

Communication

Listen

*To look back at the
past experiences
with a better
understanding*

A person is shown in a meditative pose, sitting cross-legged with hands resting on their knees. The background is a soft-focus image of a dreamcatcher with a circular web and colorful beads. The overall scene is bathed in a warm, golden light, suggesting a peaceful and contemplative atmosphere.

**Meditation brings wisdom;
lack of meditation leaves
ignorance. Know well
what leads you forward
and what holds you back,
and choose the path that
leads to wisdom.**



IT IS ALWAYS HELPFUL TO BEGIN OUR PRAYER
AND REFLECTION BY STEPPING INTO THE
SHOES OF GOD.



IT IS ALWAYS HELPFUL TO BEGIN OUR PRAYER
AND REFLECTION BY STEPPING OUT OF OUR SHOES
AND CONSIDERING WHAT IS GOOD FOR MORE

DESIRE: The grace to be able to see my true context

And when Jesus had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch."

-- Luke 5:4

"How can I continue to do good?" "How can I improve myself and stay positive?"
"How can I achieve balance?"

Prayer/Reflection on Context

The JESUIT SCHOOL where I work:
What's going on in my school? What brings me *joy*? What are things that I can consider as *success* because they're going well? What brings me *pain*? What are the challenges that I need to face and work on?
How do I feel about this?

The COUNTRY where the school is at:
What's going on in the country? What are things that I am proud of and consider joyful about my country? How did I contribute this? What are things that cause pain and pose as challenges to me and my countrymen? Can I do something about this? **How do I feel about this?**

EDUCATION IN ASIA PACIFIC:
What's going on in the region? How much do I know about it? How can the work I do contribute to the field of education in Asia Pacific? Am I challenged to know more about this?
How do I feel about this?

My PERSONAL WORLD:
What's going on in my life (my family, my relationships, my dreams, my goals, my career)? What are my joys and successes? What things can still be better? What things should I work on? **How do I feel about this?**

Plenary:

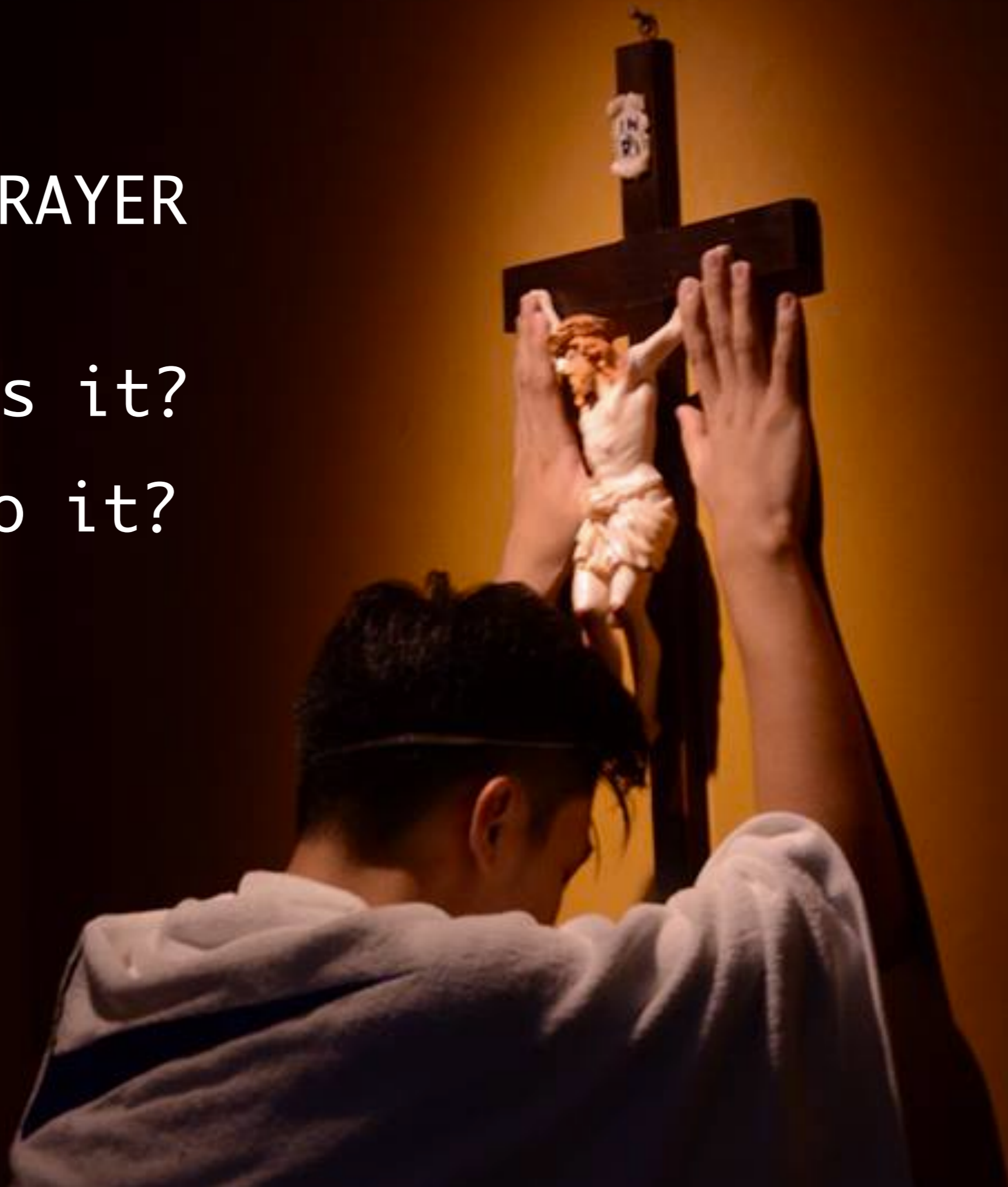
Ask the Questions (SLIDE)

1. How was my prayer/reflection time?
(Was I able to reflect/pray?)
2. What were some thoughts that struck me?
3. What significant feelings have I experienced?

REVIEW OF PRAYER

What is it?

How do you do it?





IGNATIAN REPETITION

What is Ignatian Repetition?

Why do it?

How to do it?

Plenary:

Ask the Questions

1. Do you have insights from the first prayer/ reflection which were deepened during the Repetition?
2. Do you have a better understanding of your feelings after the Repetition? Why do you feel such and where it is coming from?
3. Are you inspired to take action? What action is this?
4. Do you feel closer to your true self, to your purpose and meaning in life, and to your God?



It is important to be in touch with our real thoughts and feelings because this is where discernment happens.
(discernment of God's will and discernment of our life's purpose and meaning)

A LONG, LOVING LOOK AT THE REAL

By Vinita Hampton Wight on
Disposition of Prayer and Reflection