

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR PANEL A  
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1. In your country, what is the understanding of the “domestic church”?
2. How is your family holy? In what ways do you see other families being holy?
3. How are the Sacraments connected to the family?
  - a. What similarities do you see between the family meal and the Eucharist?
  - b. Compare ways of reconciliation in the family with your experience of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
  - c. How do baby welcoming customs compare with the Sacrament of Baptism?
4. What family customs, special to my culture, emphasize the holiness of family life? Describe the significance of these family customs to you and your family.