

Our Flame Display

This is another suggested activity which can bring the group together, help them to reflect on their experience at Flame and also help them in the work of including others who weren't there. The suggestion is for the group to create a display about the experience of going to Flame.

Making a choice:

This is something which you might want to use instead of putting together a group presentation, as the two involve similar outcomes and working methods, though you might have a reason to want to do both. If you are choosing between the two, our choice might be influenced by the wall space you have available and also by the likelihood of being able to call people together for a presentation. The preferences of your group will also be a key factor. Why not talk to them about it.

How it might work:

Here are some suggestions:

- Your display will need a clear title so that it's obvious what it's for and what it's about.
- Don't fill it up with text. A few key words and quotes might work well though. You might want to use a few short quotes from your group about how they found the day. You might also want to use some key quotes which struck you from some of the different speakers and other elements of the day.
- Remember – photos are always good. Everyone likes to look at photos, so print them out and stick up as many as you can!
- Don't forget to include details of any upcoming activities which you've got planned for the group.
- Once you've put the display together it's probably a good idea to let people know you've done it and to let them know where it is. A line in a parish newsletter or website might help with this, as might a quick announcement in an assembly if you're a school group.

More than just walls:

In this resource pack, we've suggested a few ways to let people know about your experiences at Flame Congress. If wall displays and assemblies aren't really your thing, here are a few more...

Why not:

- make a website? Or ask for a page on the parish or school website? Or maybe even the diocesan site or the youth service site?
- make a Facebook group and upload some photos?
- upload some photos to Flickr.com or another photo site?
- make some handout cards with pictures and/ or quotes from the day to give to others in your community?
- offer to write an article for a local newspaper? (some local newspapers can be very grateful for submissions, especially if you write it for them and include some pictures.)
- if you have plasma screens (or similar) in the school or the parish, make a PowerPoint or a movie about the day?
- write a few lines for the parish newsletter?
- ask your parish priest if you can say a few words in Mass after Communion?