DIMENSIONS OR ROLES

In the Life of the Local Professional Minister

What image does the pastor have of himself? What are its elements, and what is the relative importance of each? What images do the laity have of the clergy?

The following list is deliberately jumbled so that no particular sequence of functions will appear. This is so that you may list, from one to twenty-four, what you consider to be the order of importance (and therefore, in general, the desirable order of emphasis).

(See also #263 ["What Does a Minister Do?"].)

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