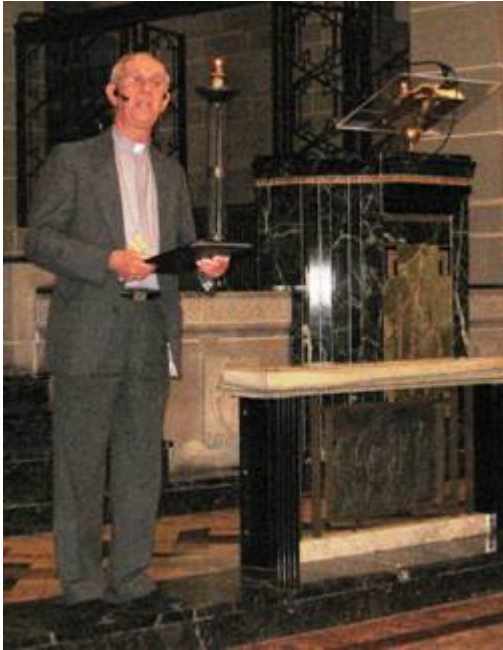


## Bishop Richard Brings Feed My Lambs Sessions to a Close



*Feed My Lambs* concluded on Tuesday, June 8th with the presentation by Archbishop André Richard at Our Lady of the Assumption Cathedral. The Bishop began his presentation by telling us that he was as “pre-Vatican II person” ordained in the winter of 1963, right in the midst of the Second Vatican Council. As a member of the Holy Cross Fathers, Archbishop André received his formation at the seminary in Rome and was present there during the opening of Vatican II. He spoke of his call to the priesthood as a time of wonder, and shared his experience of God as one

who is constantly surprising him, with just about every major move in his life. Throughout his presentation, told with humour and humility, one sensed the powerful presence of God – a God who leads him frequently in a direction he would prefer not to go.

As we move to the conclusion of this *Year for Priests*, it has been a profound experience for the lay people of this diocese to hear the stories of their priests and bishop. It has allowed us a glimpse into men who have dedicated their lives to the service of God’s people, responding to the directive given to Peter by Jesus, when he said, “Feed my Lambs.”