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**National Catechetical** Study



A National Study on **Catechetical Ministry in** the Philippines 2016-2018



A commissioned research of the Catholic Bishops' Conference of the Philippines (CBCP) Episcopal Commission on Catechesis and Catholic Education (ECCCE) to the University of Santo Tomas' (UST) Research Center for Social Sciences and Education (RCSSED).





## our project in numbers

surveyed catechists validated for analysis

### **Ecclesiastical Province** of Zamboanga

Archdiocese of Zamboanga Diocese of Ipil Prelature of Isabela de Basilan Apostolic Vicariate of Jolo





Note: NCS data processed as of March 2019. These data will be updated when additional data are available.

project consultants



field work; visits; interactions with catechists and research team members catechetical leaders; ethnographic observations

## 50 45.0% 28.8% 30 18.9% 20 4.2% 2.1% 1.0% Elementary High school Vocational College Masters Doctorate





socio-demographic landscape

# formation, content, and pedagogy

Where are you doing catechesis?



**68% Public School** 



Did you have any formal

Parish



49% of the catechized are elementary pupils

At present, what external factors contribute most in doing your catechesis effectively?

Family

Director/ Coordinator Co-Catechist

Conducive Teaching/Learning Environment



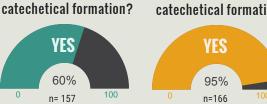


Parents who

Jobless **Parents** 

Parents who are not married

Separated



Do you attend on-going catechetical formation?

Which among the three goals of catechesis is your priority in catechizing?

50% Deepen relationship with Jesus

Initiate the catechize to an encounter with Jesus

19% Reach systematically the truths of

catechists What motivated you to be a catechist?



Deep Relationship with Jesus

Sense of







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"Dumadami ang katekista kapag ang pari at obispo ay may pusong katekista." ("The number of catechists grows when priests and bishops cradle a catechist's heart.") Princess, katekista, Diocese of San Jose (Nueva Ecija)

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