

OCTOBER UPDATE

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Keeping You *In The Know*

Recent Steering Committee Activities on behalf of Founding Members...

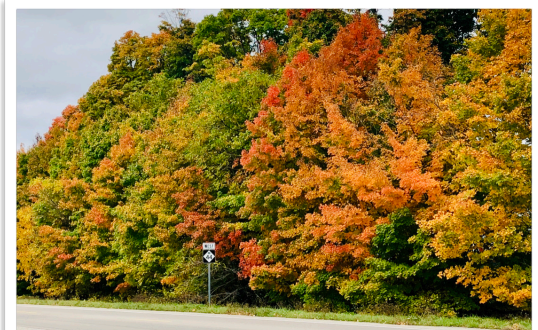
- Met in Denver to design and plan the [2022 CEO Symposium in Sioux Falls, SD!](#) *Thank you, Deacon Steve in Denver, and Mark Conzemius in Sioux Falls.*
- *Thank you for nearly all our Founding Members completing a 3-question survey* to guide the priority topics and speakers you prefer. Your input was invaluable to the overall design and content for the CEO Symposium!
- *Sneak peek preview of your priority topics and best practices includes:* Marketing & Messaging that Truly Inspires; Pastors & Priests as Partners; "Scaling up" Organizational Priorities and Board Governance at Different Foundation Life Stages; Measuring Success of your Development Program; Leveraging Professional Advisors; and Intercultural Competencies for our Multi-cultural Church and Foundations! *Daily mass and Hospitality with the Bishop!*

Consortium Pilot: Development Phase



What's New this Month?

Happy Autumn, dear Consortium Founding Members, and chief executive peer friends of Catholic Foundations across this great country! We hope the blessings of this beautiful season, no matter how Autumn may differ in your part of the U.S. affords a meaningful transition away from Summer and into Fall, offering each of us God's hope and encouragement to be present to us as we explore the seasons of your own life and executive leadership work in Catholic philanthropy!



In the Spotlight



FOUNDING MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Michael Morse,
Executive Director

Catholic Community Foundation of
Southwest Florida, Venice, FL
<https://ccfdiocesefofvenice.org/>

- "I chose to lead our Catholic Foundation because it gave me the opportunity to combine the skills and experiences developed over the years in multiple industries with my Catholic faith, to help serve and support the Mission of Christ."
- "I joined the Consortium as an early member and investor to be part of this exciting opportunity from the beginning...I want to learn and grow as well as share ideas with other thought leaders!"

Consortium's *YourMembership.com* Digital Platform is being configured!

It's been a busy last couple of months, working with our implementation specialist and configuration consultant to get the Consortium's digital member community platform set up and functioning, all custom to our mission and member offerings. [Exciting capabilities are up ahead to connect real-time with your peer chief executive members:](#) visit the Consortium's (under construction) new public website and your password protected Member Portal, go in the first time to edit your existing Profile, search the Member Directory to see who has joined, choose who in the system you want to connect with on a regular basis; learn how to load documents into the e-Library, register for events such as the May 3-4-5 2022 CEO Symposium, form a group, forum, and/or post on a topic(s) you want to discuss, and so much more!

If you want to be part of the member Beta-testing in December 2021, (respect it is your busiest time of year!) please contact Colleen @ colleend.mitchell@gmail.com.



God's Creativity is Everywhere!

