Define your Passion

*To engage in service is to build a relationship. Where your heart is, your hands will follow.*

As an individual or club, spend some time thinking about what you are passionate about, and how your passion aligns with the needs of your community. Where does this passion come from? What have you observed or felt that fuels your passion? How can it direct your action? Let these answers build momentum.

Some questions to consider:

- What is at the core of your desire to participate in service?
  - Something that unsettles you? If so, why does it unsettle you?
- What do you hope to achieve through participating in service?
  - Experience a personal impact? Impact others in your community?
- How does your passion connect to the needs of your community?

The answers to these questions can be built into a mission statement which helps guide service projects.

Example: In solidarity with the poor through our club’s understanding that every human being is created in the image of God and redeemed by Jesus Christ, we commit to promoting their inherent dignity through a passion to remove the barriers and stigmas that contribute to marginalization.