

Healthy Congregation Tips:

Striving to be a Democratic Community

"We need not think alike to love alike."

- Ferenc David, 1510 - 1579, Transylvania

Tip: *Respect differences of opinion and strive to be a democratic community.
(Sound familiar?)*

Reflection: "Real community is not homogeneity. It is the discipline and devotion of disparate people bearing with one another - the hard tasks of love."

Source: Richard John Neuhaus, quoted by Peter Steinke, *Healthy Congregations*

