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What are the basics of the pastoral plan?

As of June 29, 2017 there will be 127 parishes in the Archdiocese of Hartford, instead of the current 212.

68 parishes will remain as they are;

144 parishes will be involved in mergers resulting in 59 new parishes. The mergers will involve unions of two to six parishes.

186 church buildings will remain open.

26 church buildings will close, inasmuch as regularly scheduled Masses will no longer be held in them.