MEMBERSHIP INVOLVEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT
(MEMBERS AT LARGE AND CHAPTER ORGANIZATION)

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Recommendations:

1) Suggest to local chapters that, if feasible, the position of Vice President be renamed President Elect with the understanding that the President would become Past President and be available to provide assistance. This suggestion would be voluntary in those chapters where it is well received.

2) Encourage the National Executive Board to provide information on how to become a Member at Large through various media (i.e., Facebook, Twitter, UOW, and other social media) and that Hierarches mandate parish priests shall (must without exception) include this information in church bulletins.

3) Financial Secretary of National Executive Board would disseminate to all chapter liaisons the list of the Members at Large and the liaison would communicate with the Chapter President whose chapter is nearest that Member at Large.

4) The UOL Chapters bring activities to parishes with no chapters and show the UOL video. Invite neighboring chapters to the activities and meet at a place half way between them.

5) Personally invite non UOL members in your Parish to chapter meetings and events. Chapters should remember to have the fun element enter into events.

6) Have a virtual Member at Large chapter which would include virtual meetings via conference call and closed Facebook group.

7) Publicize the existing starter kit for new chapters that are interested in joining.