

2020-2021
Catechetical Year
Office of Religious Education
Resources



Archdiocese of Santa Fe
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Dear Catechetical Leaders,

It is the obligation of the Church to equip and empower families to once again embrace their role as the domestic church: a place where faith takes root and is nurtured. As well as to assist and encourage parents in their role as the first or primary catechists of their own children. Your parish catechetical leadership has We know that you have concerns about the safety of your children and family during this pandemic. Every effort will be made to keep you and them safe.

Archbishop Wester, after consultation with the Archdiocesan Rapid Response Team, has allowed Religious Education to resume in the Archdiocese of Santa Fe any time after August 22-23, 2020. However, the preferred method of instruction in the Archdiocese is one that follows shelter-in-place protocols, all directives of the State of New Mexico's Public Health Order, and make use of video conferencing (i.e. Zoom, Skype, Google Classroom, Facebook, etc.), recorded classes (DVD, USB flash drive, YouTube, etc.) and other digital learning platforms.

If necessary and possible by obeying all the following protocols, face-to-face, gathered instruction, particularly for smaller rural parishes, may take place. Social distancing of 6 feet must be observed. Masks must be worn by all. The gathering spaces must be cleaned and disinfected regularly. Hand sanitizers must be available and frequent hand, washing opportunities made available. At this moment in time, not gathering space should have more than the 25% allowed by the State of New Mexico Public Health Order.

Both in person (gathered) and remote learning (non-gathered) methods must be made available to the families, particularly if parents have concerns or are fearful about sending their child to in-person classes.

We ask God's blessing upon each of you as you contemplate what is best for your family at this time and ask your help in keeping each other safe and well.

Peace and all good!

SM Edna Pearl Esquibel

- ◆ “to equip and empower families to once again embrace their role as the domestic church: a place where faith takes root and is nurtured” [Found on pg 62, first paragraph (Ch 4 “Empowering Families to be the Domestic Church” in *All God's People - Todo El Pueblo de Dios.*)]

SAMPLE

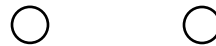
VIRTUAL PLATFORM PERMISSION SLIP

Virtual Catechesis and Youth Ministry

_____ Parish, _____, New Mexico

Catechist's/Youth Minister's Name: _____ Catechist's/Youth Minister's

Phone Number: _____ Catechist's/Youth Minister's Email Address:



On-line events and session regarding catechesis will be held in lieu of our regularly scheduled catechetical in-person sessions. The program(s) will use software, tools and applications provided by third-parties that participants, parents/legal guardians, volunteers and/or staff will access via the internet and use for purposes of communication and programming and potential content creation. These platforms may include but are not limited to: Zoom, Google Classroom, GoToMeeting, Skype Facebook, Instagram, and YouTube.

We will be hosting different on-line events/sessions to continue to connect with, minister to, and share the faith with the children and youth of our parish.

This Form provides your consent and release for your child to participate in the program(s) and utilize these online applications for distance-based, virtual program purposes. Please be aware that each application collects different information about its users and has its own privacy terms and conditions to which members must adhere and which our parish or the archdiocese cannot control or assume responsibility. Please review these carefully before registering your child. Our commitment to keeping the children and youth we serve safe is always our number one priority. To that end, we will actively monitor and may record participant activity.

The Following is the Code of Conduct we are asking all youth participating to follow:

Parental Permission

Appropriate Dress

Log/call in to the online platform from shared living spaces where others can monitor that the online call is going on

Youth are to abide by appropriate language in both chat and online related platforms

Permission to Participate:

I grant for my child to participate in these catechetical and youth ministry events that will be carried out through on-line platforms during 2020. All on-line communications, class times, chats, etc. will be monitored by at least 2 safe environment certified adult catechists/youth ministers at all times.

I have read this Consent and Release Form and have had the opportunity to consider its terms and understand them.

I further hereby hold harmless, release and forever discharge the Parish of _____ and the Archdiocese of Santa Fe and its employees, agents, licensees and legal representatives from, and shall indemnify them against, all claims, demands, and causes of action which I, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators or any other person(s) acting on my behalf or on behalf of my estate have or may have by reason of my Child's participation in the program(s) and through my authorization, consent and release herein. I have read this Consent and Release Form, I fully understand it, and I voluntarily agree to be bound by its terms. I represent and certify that I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor.

I Agree Yes No

Parent/Legal Guardian Name: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: NEW MEXICO

You may include permission as part of the Religious Education/Faith Formation registration forms:

“If you have registered more than one child in the program, please note, only one completed photo / video release form is necessary for the whole family.”

*“**PHOTO / VIDEO RELEASE:** I hereby give permission for my son/daughter to be photographed or videotaped at _____ Parish/Catholic Community for the year registered in Religious Formation. I realize the photo/video may be published in the bulletin or other parish publications. The photo/video may be used for informational, educational or promotional purposes regarding our Religious Formation program.”*

Parent Signature: _____

Date : _____

PERMISO PARA PARTICIPAR EN PLATAFORMA VIRTUAL

Catequesis virtual y pastoral juvenil

Parroquia _____, _____, Nuevo México

Nombre del Catequista/ Ministro de jóvenes: _____

Número de teléfono del Catequista/Ministro de jóvenes: _____

Dirección de correo electrónico del Catequista o del Ministro de jóvenes: _____

Los eventos en línea y las sesiones de catequesis se llevarán a cabo en lugar de las sesiones de catequesis presenciales programadas regularmente. Los programas utilizarán programas, herramientas y aplicaciones proporcionadas por terceros a los que los participantes, padres/tutores legales, voluntarios y/o personal accederán a través de Internet y utilizarán para fines de comunicación y programación y posible creación de contenido. Estas plataformas pueden incluir, pero no se limitan a: Zoom, Google Classroom, GoToMeeting, Skype Facebook, Instagram y YouTube.

Ofreceremos diferentes eventos/sesiones en línea para seguir estableciendo conexiones, sirviendo y compartiendo la fe con los niños y jóvenes de nuestra parroquia.

A través de este formulario usted otorga su consentimiento y autorización para que su hijo participe en el/los programa/s y utilice estas aplicaciones en línea para propósitos de ofrecer programas virtuales a distancia. Por favor, tenga en cuenta que cada solicitud recoge diferente información sobre sus usuarios y tiene sus propios términos y condiciones de privacidad a los que los miembros deben adherirse y que nuestra parroquia o la arquidiócesis no pueden controlar o asumir la responsabilidad. Por favor, revíselos cuidadosamente antes de registrar a su hijo. Nuestro compromiso de mantener seguros a los niños y jóvenes que servimos es siempre nuestra prioridad número uno. Para ello, controlaremos activamente y podremos registrar la actividad de los participantes.

El siguiente es el Código de Conducta que le pedimos a todos los jóvenes participantes que sigan:

Contar con el permiso de sus padres

Vestir apropiadamente

Entra en la plataforma en línea desde espacios comunes dentro del hogar donde otros pueden monitorear que la llamada en línea se está llevando a cabo

Los jóvenes deben respetar un lenguaje apropiado tanto en el chat como en las plataformas relacionadas en línea

Permiso para participar:

Otorgo a mi hijo el permiso para participar en estos eventos de catequesis y pastoral juvenil que se llevarán a cabo a través de plataformas en línea durante el año 2020. Todas las comunicaciones en línea, horarios de clase, charlas, etc. serán monitoreadas en todo momento por al menos 2 catequistas adultos/ministros de jóvenes certificados en ambiente seguro.

He leído este formulario de consentimiento y liberación y he tenido la oportunidad de considerar sus términos y entenderlos.

Además, por medio de la presente eximo de responsabilidad alguna, y libero para siempre a la Parroquia de _____ y a la Arquidiócesis de Santa Fe y a sus empleados, agentes, licenciarios y representantes legales, y los indemnizaré de toda reclamación, demanda y causa de acción que yo, mis herederos, representantes, albaceas, administradores o cualquier otra persona(s) que actúe en mi nombre o en nombre de mi patrimonio tenga o pueda tener por razón de la participación de mi hijo(a) en el(los) programa(s) y a través de mi autorización, consentimiento y liberación aquí expresados. He leído este Formulario de Consentimiento y Liberación, lo entiendo completamente y acepto voluntariamente estar obligado por sus términos. Represento y certifico que soy el padre o tutor legal del menor.

Estoy de acuerdo Sí No

Nombre del padre o tutor legal: _____

Correo electrónico: _____

Dirección: _____

Ciudad: _____ Estado: NUEVO MÉXICO

A continuación, encontrará su AUTORIZACIÓN, CONSENTIMIENTO Y LIBERACIÓN PARA EL USO DE MEDIOS SOCIALES U OTRA COMUNICACIÓN ELECTRÓNICA QUE INVOLUCRE A MENORES.

Yo, _____, soy el padre o tutor legal de _____.

Por favor, apruebe este permiso enviando su permiso oficial por correo electrónico al catequista o al ministro de la juventud arriba mencionado, ya sea por texto o por correo electrónico. La Iglesia, el Catequista, el Director de Educación Religiosa, y/o el Ministro de los jóvenes mantendrán un registro de esos textos/correos electrónicos para cualquier referencia futura.

Resources—General

Ministry Resource Center at the Catholic Center (ASF)

Search for books, DVDs and other resources

<https://archdiocesasantafegiving.org/ministry-resource-center-mrc> (ASF Ministry Resource Center e-books, videos, books, etc.)

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

Search for daily Readings, shop, Prayer and Worship, Bible, Issues and Actions, News and Resources

<https://www.usccb.org/committees/evangelization-catechesis/leadership-institute-catechetical-sunday-2020>

Three Minute Retreat-For Anyone– Loyola Press

3-Minute Retreats invite you to take a short prayer break right at your computer. Spend some quiet time reflecting on a Scripture passage.

Knowing that not everyone prays at the same pace, you have control over the pace of the retreat. After each screen, a Continue button will appear. Click it when you are ready to move on. If you are new to online prayer, the basic timing of the screens will guide you through the experience

<https://www.loyolapress.com/3-minute-retreats-daily-online-prayer/> (3 minute retreat for anyone)

How to Pray in Times of Crisis-SliConnect

Resources for Healthy Life and Ministry-on demand video for anyone

<https://www.sliconnect.org/how-to-pray-in-times-of-crisis/>

Emmaus Productions-Creatively Experiencing the Sacred

Emmaus On line Video Prayer and Meditation Library Music, video retreats, etc. for all ages

<https://www.emmausproductions.com/>

Sharing Catholic Faith

Catholic author and speaker Dr. Joseph White. Whether you are a catechist, Catholic school teacher, Ministry leader, parent or anyone else interested in sharing the faith with others this site is for you.

<https://www.sharingcatholicfaith.com/default.html>

Bayard Faith Resources

Provides books, booklets, periodicals, church supplies, school planners, Audio-Video and E-Sources (E-Books)

<https://bayardfaithresources.com/products/sunday-fun-for-faith-filled-families-ideas-prayers-and-activities-to-celebrate-the-lord-s-day-individual-use>

Archdiocese of Indianapolis -(English)

Reflection on times of suffering with St. Paul

https://www.archindy.org/catechesis/documents/Rejoicing%20in%20Suffering%20w_%20St.%20Paul.pdf

Archdiocese of Indianapolis -(Español)

Reflexión sobre tiempos de sufrimiento con San Pablo de la Arquidiócesis de Indianápolis

[hps://www.archindy.org/evangelization/documents/Spanish%20Booklet%20Rejoicing%20in%20Suffering.pdf](https://www.archindy.org/evangelization/documents/Spanish%20Booklet%20Rejoicing%20in%20Suffering.pdf)

Susan Vogt

(Family Matters) Author, speaker, coach

Workshops and resources to help couples and families foster their deepest beliefs

<http://susanvogt.net>

Resources—For Catechists and Teachers

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

Catechesis and the Church's Commitment to the Family in Our Day— Parents as First Catechists (Video)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=PLpTzvCOJa7DBTwbqphYNgG8mxWWHLY7f0&time_continue=194&v=0-h4vff6N2s&feature=emb_logo

The Communication Center

How to Create an On-line Registration Form for Religious Education

https://www.comcenter.com/forms/?utm_source=yesware&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=order-planning-survey

The Journey of Faith

Resources for those preparing others for the Rite of Christian Initiation

The ever-popular and long-running RCIA program, Journey of Faith, has a fresh, new look and expanded leader materials. Written in the engaging, pastoral style of the Redemptorists, Journey of Faith and Jornada de Fe (previously Camino de Fe) meet people where they are in the RCIA process, and offer more integration with their daily life.

www.liguori.org/store/rcia-for-parishes/new-journey-of-faith-for-adults.html

Our Sunday Visitor [OSV]

Faith at Home—On line Training

supplemental virtual resources

<https://aliveinchrist.osv.com/>

Our Sunday Visitor [OSV]

Flip Grid: Tips for catechists on virtual catechesis

<https://d2y1pz2y630308.cloudfront.net/20349/documents/2020/7/BASICS%20%20INTRODUCTION>.

RCL Benziger

Online faith formation programs

<http://rclbfamilylife.com/> & <https://www.flourishkh.com/rclb/login>

Formative Support Services

Formative education for parent, teacher and child

A Ministry of the Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Immaculata, Pennsylvania

<http://parentteachersupport.org>

Tech Tips and Tricks for Teachers—Google Classrooms

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC6tDjdyckDtMr0FVuwQU6YA>

Sadlier

Catechist formation webinars (U-Tube)

<https://www.youtube.com/user/SadlierReligion>

Lente Católico (Videos in Spanish)

“Queremos estar en el centro de tu fe—mira, ríe, y aprende”

<https://www.lentecatolico.com/>

Resources—For Catechists and Teachers

Joe Paprocki's Catechist's Journey-Sharing the Journey of Teaching the Catholic Faith

Technology in Catechesis

<https://catechistsjourney.loyolapress.com/category/all-things-catechist/technology-in-catechesis/>

Ave Maria Press

Resources and Catechist Formation Webinars

<https://www.youtube.com/user/avemariapress>

St. Mary Press

Called to Mercy-Confirming Young People for A Mission of Witness (Confirmation Program App)

<https://www.smp.org/product/E2924/Called-to-Mercy/>

Teachers pay Teachers

Explore distance learning Resources for all age groups

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Browse/Search:catholic%20religion>

The Religion Teacher

Provides Resources, activities, lesson plans, worksheets, shop, join

<http://www.thereligionteacher.com>

Center for Youth Ministry Training

Podcasts youth training, includes faith formation resources for parents.

<http://www.cymt.org/involving-parents-in-faith-formation-part-1/>

Faith Inkubators

“Incubating Faith Every Night in Every Home”

Learn about our updated guidelines for remotely distributing handouts and guides to your students and leaders

During times of distant learning.

www.faithink.com

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Guidelines for the celebration of the sacraments for people with disabilities (Spanish)

<https://www.usccb.org/about/divine-worship/policies/upload/orientaciones-para-la-celebracion-de-los-sacramentos-con-personas-con-discapacidades-edicion-revisada.pdf>

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

Guidelines for the celebration of the sacraments for people with disabilities (English)

<https://www.usccb.org/about/divine-worship/policies/upload/Guidelines-for-the-Celebration-of-the-Sacraments-with-Persons-with-Disabilities-Revised-Edition.pdf>

Resources –Family

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Resource for Family Faith Formation – digital resources and print in English
digital only in Español

<https://store.rclbenziger.com/product/our-family-faith-series-our-family-faith-resource-guide-3-year-license> &
<https://store.rclbenziger.com/product/our-family-faith-series-our-family-devotions-english>

Loyola Press

Faith Formation-Language Arts-Catholic Resources-Store-Programas Bilingües
'Helping You Find God in All Things'

<https://www.loyolapress.com/general/faith-formation/>

Loyola Press

supplemental virtual resources

https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=loyola+press

Sadlier

Flipped Catechesis-collaboration between parents and parish

<https://www.sadlier.com/religion/blog/flipping-catechesis-3-simple-strategies-for-flipping-faith-formation>

Twenty-Third Publications-Faith Formation * Spirituality *Pastoral Planning

"We Gather Together –A Family Retreat With Activities to Prepare for First Eucharist"

<http://www.twentythirdpublications.com/wegatonefare.html> (Family 1st Eucharist Retreat)

Ascension Press

Ascension's materials are solidly Catholic while at the same time being accessible to the average person in the pew. We are a group of motivated lay-Catholics who have taken up the call of the New Evangelization with our whole hearts.

<https://www.youtube.com/c/ascensionpress>

Ignatius Press

Books-Audio-Kids-Art-Occasions-Religious Education

<https://www.youtube.com/user/ignatiuspress>

Center for Ministry Development

Youth Ministry and Family Faith Formation Resources

<https://www.cmdnet.org/>

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

Article from USCCB Importance of Parents

<http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/how-we-teach/catechesis/catechetical-sunday/Received-Handed/putting-parents-at-the-center-of-our-ministry-efforts.cfm>

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

Video-Parents as First Catechists

https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=PLpTzvCOJa7DBTwbqphYNgG8mxWWHLY7f0&time_continue=194&v=0-h4vff6N2s&feature=emb_logo

Resources –Family

PfLaum Publishing Group

Family Formation and Sacramental Preparation Webinar with Sr. Janet Schaeffler, OP.
U-Tube Session July 23, 2020 Family Catechesis
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CvWn186jqWU&feature=youtu.be>

RCL Benziger

resource for Family Faith Formation
<https://store.rclbenziger.com/product/family-celebrations-through-year-mark-online-license>

Sophia Institute Family Faith – (Español)

Una Familia de Fe—Catequesis Para toda la Familia
<https://sophiainstituteforteachers.org/una-familia-de-fe-covid-19-temporary-access>

Sophia Institute Family Faith – (English)

A family of Faith— Catechesis for the Whole Family
<https://sophiainstituteforteachers.org/a-family-of-faith-covid-19-temporary-access>

Catholic Playground

Catholic Playground began several years ago during a search for Catholic dot-to-dots and coloring pages. Because we couldn't always find exactly what we were looking for, we started to create our own coloring pages. The next natural step was to make those pages available to others who might like them as well.
<http://www.catholicplayground.com/>

Strong Catholic Family Faith

Family Faith Formation
“We created Strong Catholic Family Faith to empower and equip Catholic leaders to accompany and form faith-filled Catholic Families. Recent research states the importance of parents in the faith formation of their children”
<http://familyformation.net/>

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choose “Family Resources”
<http://www.usccb.org>

DLTK's Crafts for Kids

Features a variety of **printable children's crafts, coloring pages, worksheets and activities** including projects for holidays, educational themes and some of our children's favorite cartoon characters
www.dltk-kids.com

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Year of Faith Family Resources
<http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/how-we-teach/new-evangelization/year-of-faith/year-of-faith-familyresources.cfm>

Catholic Mom

Podcasts-Stories-Daily Prayers-Sunday Gospel Activities-Resources
<http://catholicmom.com>

Resources– Other

Dynamic Catholic

Sacramental Preparation resources

<https://dynamiccatholic.com/>

Augustine Institute

Virtual Resources-Sacramental Preparation

<https://thesignsofgrace.org/>

The Pastoral Center

Virtual resources (for all ages)

<https://pastoral.center/eresources>

St. Joseph Education Center (Diocese of De Moines)

Blog, Resources, Creighton Certification, En Español,

<http://sjeciowa.org/spanish-resources/> & <http://sjeciowa.org/resources/>

Twenty Third Publications

Breaking open the Sunday Readings

Supplemental Resources 2020-2021 Catechetical Year

<https://bayardfaithresources.com/products/sunday-fun-for-faith-filled-families-ideas-prayers-and-activities-to-celebrate-the-lord-s-day-shareable-parish-and-school-use>

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Subscribe to get the daily readings and a weekly Lectio Divina on the Sunday Readings

<https://app.feedblitz.com/f/f.fbz?Sub=1093293>

RCL Benziger

Resource for Sunday readings Praying the Scriptures.

Spanish version *Orando con las Escrituras* available in August.

Whole parish license available under \$20@year)

<https://store.rclbenziger.com/product/praying-scriptures-lectionary-resources-church-year-b-1-year-license>

Word on Fire –Bishop Robert Barron

Bishop Robert Barron is an author, speaker, theologian, and founder of Word on Fire, a global media ministry. Word on Fire reaches millions of people by utilizing the tools of new media to draw people into or back to the Catholic Faith. Adult Faith Formation opportunities.

<https://www.wordonfire.org/>