



Secretariat FOR Evangelization AND Catechesis

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

COVID19 Part 2 #6

Pope Francis' Prayer to Virgin Mary for Protection

**O Mary,
you always shine on our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,
who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm.
You, Salvation of the Roman People,
know what we need,
and we are sure you will provide
so that, as in Cana of Galilee,
we may return to joy and to feasting
after this time of trial.
Help us, Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who has taken upon himself our sufferings
and carried our sorrows
to lead us, through the cross,
to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.**

Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God. Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial, but deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.



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OUTLOOK Reminder

- As you know, the Diocese of Brooklyn has moved our email system from DioNet (First Class) to Microsoft Office 365 – Outlook. If you have not done so already, please take the time today to log into OUTLOOK and set up your email account.
- Bishop DiMarzio has mandated that all pastors, administrators, priests, and parish staff cooperate with this important initiative.
- The use of DioNet (First Class) will end soon.

*The Seed is the
Word of God
Curriculum
Guide --What to
Teach and
When?*

The Seed is the Word of God Curriculum Guide

Diocese of Brooklyn

<https://dioceseofbrooklyn.org/get-involved/secretariat-for-evangelization-and-catechesis/the-seed-is-the-word-curriculum-guides/>

Kindergarten through Grade Two

- Read and tell Bible Stories (Creed)
- Begin to explain the Sacraments (Sacraments)
- Teach private and public prayers (Prayer)
- Demonstrate how Jesus is the model of Christian Living (Morality)

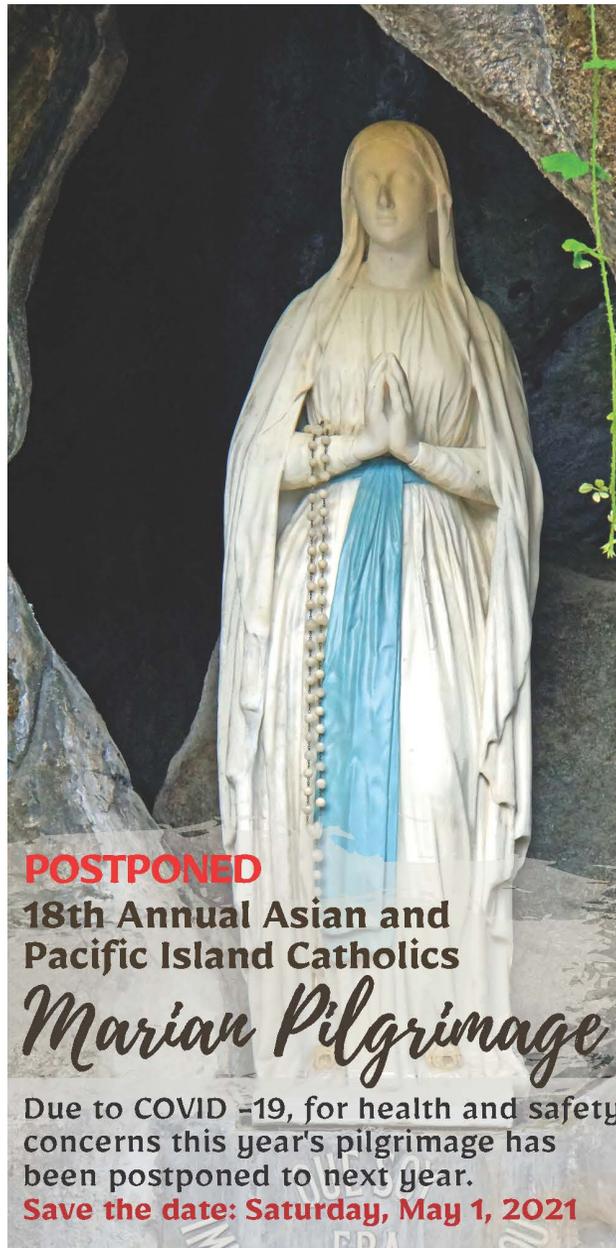
Grade Three through Grade Five

- Link family stories to Bible stories (Creed)
- Foster ongoing sacramental understanding (Sacraments)
- Discuss and use different forms of prayer (Prayer)
- Recognize and honor the dignity of every human person (Morality)

Grades Six through Grade Eight

- Teach about Sacred Scripture (Creed)
- Prepare candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation (Sacraments)
- Demonstrate how to integrate prayer into one's life; especially the Mass (Prayer)
- Explore how to recognize and confirm the face of Christ in others (Morality)

Asian and Pacific Island Catholics



POSTPONED

18th Annual Asian and Pacific Island Catholics

Marian Pilgrimage

Due to COVID -19, for health and safety concerns this year's pilgrimage has been postponed to next year.

Save the date: Saturday, May 1, 2021

Asian and Pacific Island (API) Catholic Communities to Pray the Rosary Online

Most Reverend Oscar A. Solis
Bishop of the Diocese of Salt Lake City, UT
Chairman, USCCB
Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Island Affairs

will give the blessing as we pray the Glorious Mysteries in multiple API languages

Saturday, May 2, 2020
3:00 p.m. EDT

You are invited to join in prayer for an end to the Pandemic.

Zoom ID: <https://usccb.zoom.us/j/925909864>

Meeting ID: 925 909 864

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- +1 301 715 8592 US
- +1 253 215 8782 US
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- 888 475 4499 US Toll-free

To find your local number visit: <https://usccb.zoom.us/u/abff8DFPBx>

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Youth Ministry Resources for Non-CYMI Parishes

Many excellent resources assist in the work of evangelizing and catechizing our young people, their parents, family members, and those who aid in their education and formation. The Secretariat compiled a list of approved and recommended resources that assist in the implementation of the six goals identified in the *So Be Bold! Diocesan Youth and Young Adult Outreach Plan* at <https://dioceseofbrooklyn.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/FINAL-So-Be-Bold-09-18-2018.pdf>:

- United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB's) *Strong Catholic Families Initiative* <https://nfcym.org/programs/strong-catholic-families/leader-parent-resources/>
- RENEW International's *ARISE/LEVANTATE and Why Catholic?* <https://new.renewintl.org/>
- Fr. Spitzer's *Credible Catholic Initiative* <https://www.crediblecatholic.com/>
- *USCCB's High School Curriculum Framework* <http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/how-we-teach/catechesis/upload/high-school-curriculum-framework.pdf>
- *The Joy of Adolescent Catechesis*, A Publication of the Partnership on Adolescent Catechesis, 2017
- *Christus Vivit* http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/apost_exhortations/documents/papa-francesco_esortazione-ap_20190325_christus-vivit.html
- *Renewing the Vision*, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, 1997 <http://www.usccb.org/about/laity-marriage-family-life-and-youth/young-adults/renewing-the-vision.cfm>

Young Adult Outreach

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-Sons and Daughters of the Light

<http://www.usccb.org/media/blogs-and-columns/entre-amigos/index.cfm>



<https://bustedhalo.com/>

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We all survive more than
we think we can.

-- JOAN DIDION, WRITER

TODAY'S #MICROCHALLENGE

TODAY, SAY A PRAYER FOR THE WORLD, AND FOR HEALING -- THAT WE MAY GET THROUGH THIS PANDEMIC TOGETHER IN A SPIRIT OF TEAMWORK, PERSEVERANCE, AND HOPE.