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OFFICE OF ARCHBISHOP THOMAS WENSKI

New appointments:

- ◆ Fr. Antonius Cho Jeonghoon, was appointed Chaplain to the Korean Community, effective August 1, 2015.
- ◆ Fr. Diego A. Flórez, AIC, was appointed Parochial Vicar to St. Boniface Parish, effective August 1, 2015.

Requiescat in pace:

† Fr. James Connaughton, who served as Pastor for St. Ambrose Parish for over 25 years, passed away on July 19, 2015 at the age of 90.

† Adele Gonzalez, who worked for decades in the religious education and as Associate Director of the Office of Lay Ministry, passed away on August 3, 2015.

Priests and Deacons: World Meeting of Families Masses

The World Meeting of Families and the visit of our Holy Father in Philadelphia this September 2015 will bring people from all over the world to reflect on the Christian Family under the theme, "Love is Our Mission: the Family Fully Alive". This message is to invite priests of the Archdiocese of Miami to participate and to concelebrate the scheduled Masses associated with the World Meeting of Families Congress and the Sunday Papal Mass.

Mass will be celebrated each day of the World Meeting of Families Congress, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 22 at 4:30 p.m., and Wednesday, Sept. 23, through Friday, Sept. 25 at 8:30 a.m. at the Pennsylvania Convention Center in Philadelphia. The Holy Father will celebrate the concluding Mass of the World Meeting of Families on Sunday, Sept. 27, in the late afternoon in front of the Philadelphia Art Museum on the Benjamin Franklin Parkway in Philadelphia.

Priests are welcome to concelebrate all of the Masses. Priest concelebrants may also be asked to assist with the distribution of Holy Communion. A portal has been established on the World Meeting of Families 2015 website for all priests to register as a concelebrant. Priests will be requested to supply a *celebret*. Also, additional information on arrival time, vesture, vesting locations, security and the availability of copies of the Eucharistic Prayer will be found.

Priests planning to concelebrate are asked to register by Monday, August 24, 2015.

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All deacons are welcome to assist with Holy Communion at all Masses. A portal has been established on the World Meeting of Families 2015 website for deacons to register to assist with Holy Communion. A deacon needs a letter from his Diocesan Bishop indicating he is in good standing. Also, additional information on arrival time, vesture, vesting locations, and security will be found.

Deacons are asked to register by Monday, August 24, 2015.

The portal address is: <http://www.worldmeeting2015.org/clergy-participation/>

Thank you for all your generous assistance.

OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL

The Martyr and Mission History of Colonial Florida Course:

There will be a course being offered for priests entitled *The Martyr and Mission History of Colonial Florida*. The course will be held in Tallahassee on October 12-14 and will include a keynote address by Bishop Felipe Estevez, Bishop of St. Augustine, visits to Mission San Luis and the Martyrs site, and presentations by numerous scholars. Further details can be found at the following link: <http://martyrsofloridamissions.org/news/course-priests>

OFFICE OF EVANGELIZATION AND PARISH LIFE

The Historic 2015 National 54-Day Rosary Novena:

Archbishop Wenski is inviting you to join him and hundreds of thousands of people of all ages in prayer across America for the 2015 National 54-Day Rosary Novena for the following intentions:

- For the Family and Marriage (especially during the World Meeting of Families and the next Synod on the Family)
- For Our Country (especially for peace, the sanctity of human life, and religious freedom)
- For the Archdiocese of Miami (especially to support in prayer the continued implementation of our Strategic Pastoral Plan "Disciples in Faith, Missionaries of Hope")

Register at:

<https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07ebdygy759fba4723&oseq=&c=&ch>

Adore Night:

Please join us for a family-friendly night of powerful worship, relevant teaching, and Eucharistic Adoration with Annie Hickman of Adore Ministries.

Location: St. Mark Parish, Southwest Ranches.

OFFICE OF EVANGELIZATION AND PARISH LIFE (CONTINUED)

New Evangelization in Your Neighborhood:

This special workshop by Ennie Hickman from Adore Ministries is for anyone; clergy, parish staff members, volunteers, and active parishioners, who wish to learn more about a vision and some time-tested effective practices for bringing about the work of the New Evangelization in our parishes and surrounding community.

Date: Friday, Oct. 9, 2015

Cost: \$20 (online registration launching soon).

Schedule:

10 a.m.-12 p.m. - Reaching Beyond Our Pews: The Ancient and New Practices of Discipleship and Evangelization

12 p.m.-1 p.m. - Lunch is included.

1 p.m.- 3 p.m. - Reaching Beyond Our Pews: Practical Application of a Neighborhood Based Model of Evangelization

Archdiocesan Family Picnic with Archbishop Wenski:

Saturday, Oct. 10, 2015

Cost: *FREE* to the public. Invite your friends, family, and entire parish.

Music, catechetical nuggets for the whole family, and Mass with Archbishop Wenski. Join us to celebrate the Archbishop's Birthday together as an Archdiocese.

Please stay to enjoy a picnic with your family and fellow parishioners. Bring food from home or purchase lunch from one of the many available food trucks. While you are at the park, take part in the activities C.B. Smith offers such as the Paradise Cove Water Park and mini golf.

See website for more details:

<http://www.broward.org/parks/CBSmithPark/Pages/Default.aspx>

OFFICE OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

Youth Ministry Training by Life Teen:

All parishes are encouraged to send members of their youth ministry teams to the upcoming Life Teen Empower training to be held at St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish on Saturday, August 22 from 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. One youth ministry leader from each parish and all priests can attend for free; the cost for others is \$80, which includes morning coffee and lunch. Register at <http://lifeteen.com/events/empower/>.

On Friday night August 21 at 7 p.m., St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish will host XLT, an evening of prayer, music and worship, to which all parishes are invited to bring their young people. No reservations are required for XLT and there is no cost to attend.

OFFICE OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY (CONTINUED)

Parish Youth Ministry Coordinator Orientation:

The 2015 Parish Youth Ministry Coordinator Orientation will be held on Saturday, August 29 from 9 a.m. until noon. Each parish that offers youth ministry should send one representative to this very important meeting at which policies and procedures as well as best practices will be shared. Participants are asked to preregister here:

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=jzpf4rsab&oeidk=a07ebdtd10qecd80392>

OFFICE OF CATECHESIS

37th Annual Catechetical Conference:

The Office of Catechesis is excited to announce the 37th annual Catechetical Conference, with this year's theme: "*Healing Grace, Promise, and Joy: A Church which goes forth with open heart!*".

Meet leading scholars during the Conference:

Fr. Robert Schreiter, internationally known for his work on the mission of the Church;

Nelly Lorenzo, Director of Pastoral Institute at the University of St. Mary of the Lake;

Joe Paprocki, national consultant for Faith Formation at Loyola Press;

Fr. Gabriel Naranjo, General Secretary of the Latin-American Conference of Religious;

Tom East, author of *Leadership for Catholic Youth Ministry*...and many more!

This year an additional track is offered for *Youth Ministry and Mission*. Come join the archdiocesan conference as a catechetical community to learn, pray and network.

Saturday, Oct. 24, 2015

Saint Thomas Aquinas High School

2801 SW. 12th Street

Ft. Lauderdale Florida 33312

Presentations will be given in Spanish and English. We invite and encourage all Parish Catechetical teams to attend on this enriching day. Archbishop Thomas Wenski will be in attendance, as we gather together to honor two Catechetical Leaders, a catechist, and over 200 Catholic School teachers concluding with parish Catechists receiving Catechetical Certifications.

For more information and online registration please visit our website: www.miamicatechesis.org

OFFICE OF LAY MINISTRY

Open Registration for the Archdiocesan School of Ministry Class of 2015-2017:

Classes begin Sept. 22, 2015 at St. Brendan H.S., Sept. 23 at St. Hugh Parish and Sept. 24 at St. Bartholomew Parish - Creole, Notre Dame D'Haiti Parish (TBA)

OFFICE OF LAY MINISTRY (CONTINUED)

Please encourage all your active ministers to attend.

The School of Ministry forms lay women and men for active participation in their parish or ecclesial community. Participants study theology, scripture, faith, and human development. Traditional classes meet once a week from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. in English and Spanish at St. Brendan H.S., St. Hugh Parish and St. Bartholomew Parish, and in Creole at Notre Dame D'Haiti Parish. The School of Ministry can also be taken online in English or Spanish. Participants will take a series of 8 five-week courses and meet in person after each course at the Pastoral Center. To download a registration form, a payment plan form and two recommendation forms, please go to www.miamiarch.org/layministry and click on the School of Ministry tab. For more information, please contact the Office of Lay Ministry at 305-762-1184 or layministry@theadom.org

OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

Upcoming Events

25th Anniversary of the Servants of the Pierced Hearts:

The Servants of the Pierced Hearts are celebrating their 25th Anniversary of its founding and first official approval as a religious family. On this most joyous occasion, the Sisters would like to invite you to join them in the celebration of a Thanksgiving Mass, which Archbishop Thomas Wenski will be presiding on Saturday, August 15, 2015 at 11 a.m. at the Cathedral of Saint Mary, 7525 NW 2nd Avenue, Miami, Florida, 33150.

It would be a blessing and a true joy for the Sisters and the family of the Pierced Hearts to have all those who have journeyed with them throughout all these 25 years to celebrate with them on this special occasion. All are invited to attend this Thanksgiving Mass.

Living in the Light of Truth:

A seminar on the critical life issues of our day, anchored in the Theology of the Body of St. John Paul II. Topics will include: Marriage and family, human sexuality, abortion and post-abortion healing, natural procreative technology, and end of life decisions.

Date: Sept. 19, 2015. 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Location: St. Hugh Parish (school cafeteria) 3460 Royal Road, Coconut Grove, FL 33133.

For more information or to register call 954-981-2922.