



PASTORAL BULLETIN

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OFFICE OF ARCHBISHOP THOMAS WENSKI

New appointments:

- ◆ Msgr. Gregory Wielunski will be working as Judge in the Metropolitan Tribunal effective Sept. 1 and will transition to the position of Judicial Vicar effective Oct. 30.
- ◆ Fr. Stanislaw Rakiej, SChr, was appointed Pastor of Our Lady of Czestochowa Polish Mission, effective August 1, 2015.
- ◆ Fr. Pedro C. Freitez was appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Andrew Parish, effective Sept. 1, 2015.
- ◆ Fr. Biju Vells was appointed Administrator of St. Pius X Parish, effective Sept. 1, 2015.
- ◆ Fr. Gerald Morris was appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Coleman Parish, effective Sept. 1, 2015.
- ◆ Deacon Mario López was appointed to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, effective July 15, 2015.
- ◆ Fr. Jesus “Jets” Medina was appointed Director of Multicultural Ministries, effective August 20.

Requiescat in pace:

† Fr. Enrique Boned Vallejo, who served at Immaculate Conception Parish and St. Cecilia Parish, passed away on August 30, 2015.

OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL

Update on the Cause for Canonization of the Florida Martyrs:

There is 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 Estevez, 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>

I ask that you promote this course, and forward this message to whomever you think this may apply. Thank you for your kind assistance and prayers for the success of this Cause.

OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR FOR ADMINISTRATION

Mass Attendance Census:

Dear Bishop / Monsignor / Father,

The 2015 October Mass Attendance Census includes the 4 weekends of Oct., beginning with the weekend of Saturday / Sunday, Oct. 3-4, and ending Oct. 24-25.

Also, I ask you to please remember to count the number of penitents during these four weekends.

The deadline to return the count electronically is **Nov. 13, 2015**. Thank you for your cooperation in this project. Thank you, in advance, for timely reporting – by electronic upload – of the data. If your staff responsible for uploading data is not familiar with the process, the staff may contact Mayra Rossell in the Chancellors' Office at 305-762-1220 or mrossell@theadom.org.

“Little Twins” Movie - To all pastors: You may be approached by Mr. Juan Carlos Echeverria Borsten who has produced the movie “Little Twins.” This film has been reviewed by Msgr. Chanel Jeanty and it is appropriate viewing for children of all ages. If you wish to host a viewing of this movie as a parish/school fundraiser please contact Mr. Borsten at 954-380-0149.

OFFICE OF EVANGELIZATION AND PARISH LIFE

New Evangelization in Your Neighborhood Workshop:

This workshop by Ennie Hickman of Adore Ministries is geared for clergy, parish staff members, volunteers, and active parishioners who wish to learn about a unique vision and time-tested effective practices for bringing about the New Evangelization in our parishes and surrounding communities.

Date: Friday, Oct. 9, 2015

Location: St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church, 5601 South Flamingo Road, Southwest Ranches, FL 33330.

Cost: \$20

Register here:

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=jzpf4rsab&oeidk=a07ebftbyrbf01e1791>

You must pre-register to attend!!! Payments in cash and checks will be received at the door.

Schedule:

9:15 a.m. - 10 a.m. - Check-in

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

12 p.m. - 1 p.m. - Lunch will be provided.

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

For questions contact Lorelle Watkins at lwatkins@theadom.org or 305-762-1128.

JOIN ARCHBISHOP WENSKI *at the* **Archdiocesan Family Picnic**

Saturday, October 10, 2015

 Archbishop Wenski wants to share the message of Pope Francis from the World Meeting of Families with you!

**C.B. SMITH PARK
The Concert Green
900 Flamingo Rd.
Pembroke Pines, FL
33028**

 Let's surprise the Archbishop & celebrate his birthday as a family!!!

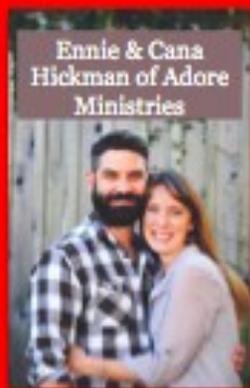
 Tickets to the picnic are FREE!!! You must pre-register by October 8. Go to www.miamiarch.org and click on The Archbishop's Picnic button found at the bottom left-hand corner of the homepage!

 8:00 a.m. - Park gates open

10:00 a.m. - Music and a Message with Ennie and Cana Hickman

11:15 a.m. - Mass with Archbishop Wenski

12:30 p.m. - Picnic with your family and fellow parishioners!



 Bring food from home or buy lunch from a variety of food trucks.

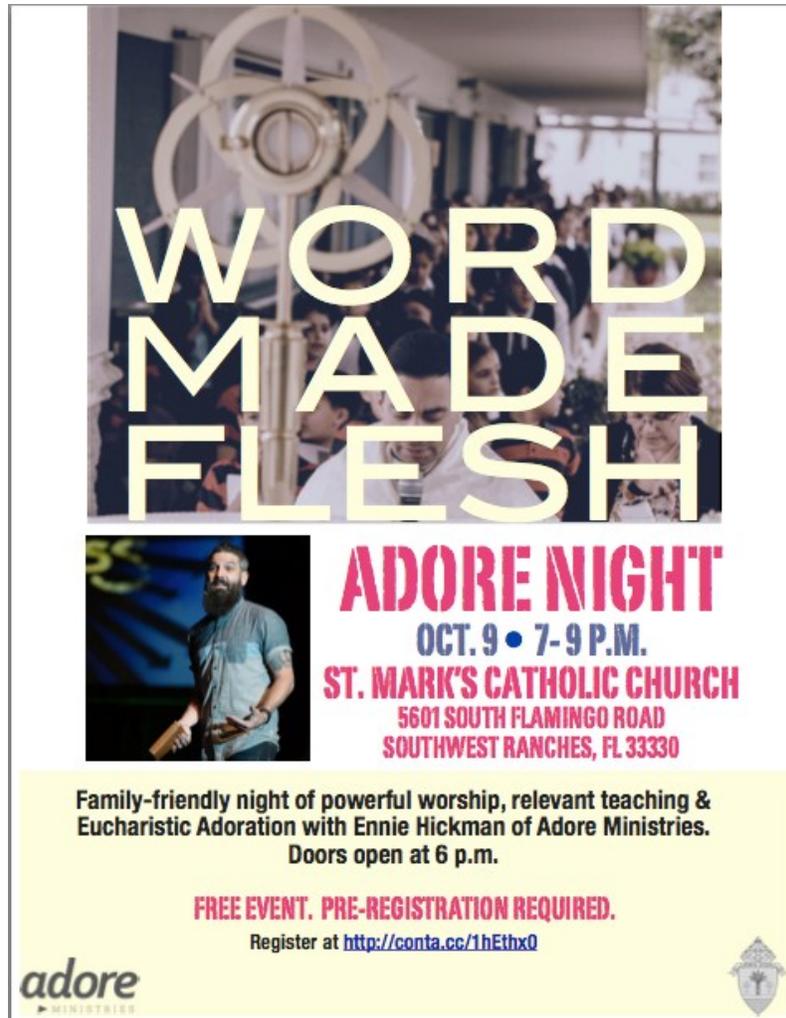
 Stay and enjoy all C.B. Smith offers like Paradise Cove Water Park, batting cages, mini golf, bike rentals, basketball and volleyball courts, & more!

 Admission to the park: \$1.50 per person.
\$8.00 max. per car or van.

 Questions? Contact Lorelle Watkins at lwatkins@theadom.org or 305.762.1128.



OFFICE OF EVANGELIZATION AND PARISH LIFE (CONTINUED)



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ADORE NIGHT
OCT. 9 • 7-9 P.M.
ST. MARK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
5601 SOUTH FLAMINGO ROAD
SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FL 33330

Family-friendly night of powerful worship, relevant teaching & Eucharistic Adoration with Ennie Hickman of Adore Ministries.
Doors open at 6 p.m.

FREE EVENT. PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Register at <http://conta.cc/1hEthx0>

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MINISTRIES



OFFICE OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

Regional Gatherings for Youth Ministers:

The Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry hosts quarterly gatherings for all those who work in Youth and Young Adult Ministry. These are opportunities to meet with your fellow youth workers, share resources, ask questions of each other, and grow together in your work in this very important ministry. They are from 7-8:30 p.m. Please invite all those who work and volunteer with youth and young adults from your parish. We are still in need of host parishes for some of the dates. Please contact Rosemarie at rbanich@theadom.org if you can host.

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| Sept. 23 | South Dade at Sacred Heart Parish |
| Sept. 30 | Central Dade |
| Oct. 6 | Hispanic Ministry |
| Oct. 7 | North Dade |
| Nov. 11 | South Broward |
| Nov. 17 | North Broward at Assumption Parish |

OFFICE OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY (CONTINUED)

Youth Ministry 101:

Basic youth ministry training for all adults in your parish is back! Oct. 3 from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the Pastoral Center. There is no cost to attend, but registration is required: <http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=jzpf4rsab&oeidk=a07ebipqh839bbe6dc0>

Follow us on Facebook:

Please find and follow our Facebook page for daily updates and information on Youth and Young Adult Ministry events around the archdiocese: <https://www.facebook.com/youthandyoungadultadom>.

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

VOCATIONS OFFICE

Vocation Awareness Weekend – Nov. 6 - 8, 2015:

Please consider publishing the following Bulletin Announcement during the weekends of Sept. 19/20, 26/27, Oct. 3/4, Oct. 10/11, 17/18, 24/25 and Oct. 31/Nov. 1.

More and more young men are seeking a profound relationship with Jesus Christ and are considering the possibility that they may be called by God to embrace a vocation to the diocesan priesthood.

Vocation Awareness Weekend is a retreat for men ages 17-35 who are seeking more information about the priesthood and seminary life. It is held on the grounds of St. John Vianney College Seminary in Miami and consists of numerous workshops, liturgies, and social events with the seminarians. Participants will have ample time to ask questions, gain an understanding of seminary life and prayerfully consider God's call.

The next Vocations Awareness Weekend will be held Nov. 6-8, 2015. If you would like to attend, please contact your parish priest or the Vocation Director, Father Elvis Gonzalez at vocations@theadom.org or by calling 305-762-1137. You may also find a [registration form](#) on our website at www.miamiarch.org/vocations. Come and join us!