



LETTER TO THE PRIESTS OF OUR DIOCESE FROM BISHOP ROZANSKI (COPY)

My Dear Brother in Christ:

I want to share with you some very exciting news. Through the efforts of some very devoted and driven families throughout the diocese I am incredibly pleased to share with you that on Saturday March 21st, 2020 there will be a Catholic Life Conference held at the Mass Mutual Center in Springfield.

This Catholic Life Conference will focus on how important it is to be Catholic and the treasure in which we all share, The Resurrection of Jesus Christ. I'm also extremely pleased to let you know that the keynote speakers for the event will be none other than Scott and Kimberly Hahn from the Saint Paul Center of Biblical Theology in Steubenville Ohio. Scott and Kimberly are dynamic speakers and really capture the true meaning of Sacred Scripture and Catholic Tradition.

There will also be very special time set aside for adoration of Our Lord in a very beautiful and meaningful manner. I do hope that if you plan on attending the Conference and have the time you can make yourself available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation that will take place during adoration as well as during the lunch break.

I also would like to take just a moment and reflect on all the time and effort it took to pull together both the women's and men's conferences over the past many years, they have been a great blessing to our diocese. This Catholic Life Conference, at least for the year 2020, will be used as a substitute for those conferences. This conference will be for men, women, children, and will have Spanish-English translation.

I do hope you will join me in support of this most worthwhile conference and allow for advertising and ticket sales to occur through your parish designates. This is a monumental effort put forth by a group of individuals who have been planning this event for months, I prayerfully ask your full consideration when they approach your staff in support of this most worthwhile effort.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Mitchell T. Rozanski

Bishop of Springfield