**MEMORANDUM**

**TO: Pastors of the Archdiocese**

**FROM: Gilbert Rodriguez**

**DATE: December 2022**

**RE: News from the Office of Adult Faith Formation**

Dear Pastors of the Archdiocese,

The Office of Adult Faith Formation would like to share the following information with you:

**ChristLife Training Conference**

On March 24-25, we will host a conference on the New Evangelization presented by ChristLife at St. Joseph’s Seminary.

You can read some endorsements for ChristLife here, including a good word from Cardinal Dolan: <https://christlife.org/about/endorsements/>

Here is the link to the event page:

<https://archny.org/ministries-and-offices/adult-faith-formation/christlife-conference/>

We encourage you to join and/or send a team of people from your parish to be equipped. There will be a special discount for priests, deacons, seminarians, and religious. If you have any questions, please email us at [adultfaithformation@archny.org](mailto:adultfaithformation@archny.org).

**Save the Date!**

Our bi-annual New York Catholic Bible Summit will be held on June 3, 2023. The theme of the conference is “Spirit and Life” (John 6:63) and will focus on the Eucharist in the spirit of the Eucharistic Revival. We are happy to announce that Dr. Brant Pitre from the Augustine Institute will be one of our keynote speakers. The day will include times of prayer, dynamic teachings, fellowship, and, most importantly, Mass and Eucharistic Adoration. More information to come!

**Eucharistic Revival**

We thank you for all your work and effort to bring a renewed love for the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. We are hearing many powerful testimonies of the ways people are having a profound encounter through all of your work! If you have events happening at your parish that you would like to share, please send the information to [revival@archny.org](mailto:revival@archny.org). You can visit our [website](https://archny.org/eucharisticrevival/adny/) for more details on upcoming events, resources, and an opportunity for people to share their testimony.

If you are thinking of hosting a Eucharistic encounter during Lent and/or any other time in the liturgical calendar, consider hosting a Night of Mercy or something similar. Attached are documents, in English and Spanish, with details on how to plan and run it. Please reach out to us at [revival@archny.org](mailto:revival@archny.org) if you would like any support.

In Christ,

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