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FAMILY LIFE

To: All Clergy and Parish Staff

From: Kathy Wither, Director of the Family Life Office

Date: July 10, 2020

Re: **PODCASTS FOR CATHOLICS AFFECTED BY DIVORCE AND FOR FAMILIES IN CRISIS**

Over the last year, the Family Life Office has been promoting the *St. Raymond Nonnatus Foundation's* online support group for those struggling/suffering due to divorce or separation, and the online support group for adult children of divorce (both in English).

This online ministry engaged and ministered to a total of 80 people who took advantage of one of the two online monthly meetings that included a moderator and a priest. The Foundation's goal is to offer prayerful accompaniment to individuals and families affected by divorce and separation, and prayerful support to families in crisis.

The *St. Raymond Nonnatus Foundation* continues to serve individuals and families, and to improve their outreach and engagement, **they have moved to a Podcast format to reach more people**. As such, we ask you to share the following ad in your parish bulletin as often as possible:

BULLETIN AD

Podcasts for Catholics Affected by Divorce and for Families in Crisis

Two podcasts are being offered through the *St. Raymond Nonnatus Foundation for Freedom, Family, and Faith* and are available on **YouTube, Facebook, Podbean app, and TuneIn Radio app**:

- **Podcast for Catholics Affected by Divorce and Separation.** First Tuesday of each month, from 8pm – 9 pm.
- **Podcast for Families in Crisis.** Last Thursday of each month, from 8pm – 9 pm.

Subscribe to the **“Philly Nonnatus” YouTube channel**, and on **Podbean** and **TuneIn Radio** subscribe to: **“Patchwork Heart Ministry”**.

For more information, visit www.nonnatus.org, or text/call **215-870-9913**.