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FAMILY LIFE

To: Pastors/Administrators

From: Kathy Wither
Director, Family Life Office

Date: September 21, 2020

Re: **Virtual Emmaus Ministry Retreats for Grieving Parents**

Dear Pastor/Administrator,

Please be aware that there are **NEW Four-hour LIVE Emmaus retreats for grieving parents through the Zoom platform**. In response to the cancellation of most in-person Emmaus retreats, "live online" Emmaus retreats are now being offered that parents can "attend" from a computer, safe in their homes.

The Zoom retreats are very similar to the original, in-person retreats: they include prayer services, a reflection from a spiritual leader, and conversation with other parents. As always, the emphasis will be on the spirituality of the grieving process for parents. To register, and for more information, see the **attached flyer** or email susan.disisto@archny.org.

Thank you for your support, and please consider sharing this information in your weekly bulletins.

cc: Sue DiSisto, Parenting/Family Life Coordinator