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DIOCESAN DEPARTMENTS/ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Charities

1. Share emails at least monthly to remind Catholic Charities staff members of the daily reflection emails that will be shared through the Office of Catechesis.
2. Coordinate with the Office of Catechesis for the Traveling Eucharistic Miracle Exhibits to also be at Catholic Charities for a period of time.
3. Explore adding a picture/wall hanging at Catholic Charities that celebrates the Eucharist and aligns with the work of Catholic Charities.

Catholic Foundation

1. Add the Eucharistic Renewal Logo with a hotlink to the program site.
2. Refocus on Mass attendance during the week for The Catholic Foundation of Southwestern Indiana staff.

Office of Catechesis

1. Coordinate the Eucharistic Renewal within the Diocese of Evansville.
2. Put together a Eucharistic Renewal webpage on the Diocese of Evansville's website.
3. Design a logo for the Eucharistic Renewal.
4. Include themes related to the Eucharistic Renewal in the Office of Catechesis's "Connecting Faith and Life" column in The Message.
5. Coordinate Eucharistic Miracle exhibits, based on the work of Blessed Carlo Acutis, that will travel to every parish and school throughout the course of the Eucharistic Renewal.
6. Send out daily emails with quotes about the Eucharist (primarily from saints) to all "@evdio.org" email user accounts.

Office of Family Life

7. Encourage married couples, families, engaged couples to spend time in the presence of the Eucharist.
8. Include Eucharistic themes in The Message articles.
9. Highlight the historical realities of the Eucharist, quote sources, encourage reverence before and after Mass.

Office of Hispanic Ministry

1. Eucharistic theme for our "Encuentro de Fe" on October 08, 2022.
2. Eucharistic theme for the Hispanic Leaders and Ministry Coordinators in March or April 2023.
3. Hold two workshops in Spanish on the Eucharist and the Mass.

Office of the Tribunal

1. Continue catechesis with those who are in invalid marriages so as to facilitate return to the sacraments.
2. Emphasize the primacy of the Most Holy Eucharist to encourage people to file petitions for declarations of nullity or dissolutions of prior marriages so as to facilitate return to the sacraments.
3. Encourage the Tribunal staff to attend weekday Masses and to make Eucharistic visits.

Office of Worship

1. Supply a resource for schools and religious education programs on best practices for celebrating exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with children.
2. Promote the use of Eucharistic songs “every Catholic should know” through educational materials and modeling their use at diocesan liturgies.

Vocations Office

1. Increase the engagement of attendees to our weekly Monday Night Holy Hour and Mass for Vocations at Sacred Heart Church, primarily via printed materials for devotional prayer, educational resources about the Eucharist, Adoration guides, etc.
2. Utilize Eucharistic imagery in promotional materials, including the seminarian poster, prayer cards, the website, event flyers and social media posts, etc. Imagery might include monstrances, Last Supper images, Saints with particular Eucharistic devotions, etc.
3. Obtain photographs from the Masses of Thanksgiving of every living priest of our Diocese and distribute them (framed) for display in the home parish, office or school of each of our priests.

PARISHES

Annunciation Parish, Evansville

1. We will work to have a Eucharistic procession on the Feast of Corpus Christi 2023 and 2024. We hope to coordinate our Corpus Christi procession with the parishes of Holy Rosary and Saint Benedict Parishes as we had in the past (pre-Covid).
2. We will incorporate Eucharistic Renewal during our parish missions in 2023 and 2024, as well as focusing on the aspects of the Holy Eucharist during Mass, spanning 19 June 2022–17 July 2024.
3. We will incorporate catechetical materials that focus on the Mass and Eucharist in our faith formation programs and our grade schools.
4. We will foster Eucharistic adoration.
5. We will utilize Eucharistic hymns and specific prayers to highlight the love of Jesus Christ, who is present in the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.

Blessed Sacrament Parish, Oakland City

1. Hold a day of Eucharistic Adoration once a month.
2. Encourage the use of Eucharistic hymns during Sunday Liturgies.
3. Encourage our religious education program to catechize students on the importance of Eucharistic Adoration and to attend the days of Eucharistic Adoration.

Christ the King Parish, Ferdinand

1. Incorporate Adoration into all grades' religious educations.
2. Schedule Mass once a month for grades 3-8 during religion classes.
3. Schedule the Eucharistic Stations at least once a year for grades K-8. Continue to work on creating permanent stations at the St. Henry campus.
4. We are going to attempt to construct an outdoor "Eucharistic Stations" at St. Henry Parish that can be a permanent pilgrimage location for the Diocese. This will be a parish-wide project that will try to employ the talents of everyone including children, adults, and teenagers in the construction. If and when it is completed, will would arrange for the bishop to come and bless and dedicate this meditative walk.
5. The curriculum for next year's high school program will focus on the doctrine of the Eucharist and the meaning of the Mass, as well as provide catechesis on Eucharistic Adoration and the Worship of the Eucharist outside of Mass.
6. Times will intentionally be built in throughout the year to do adoration and benediction, as well as the Stations of the Eucharist devotion.

Corpus Christi, Evansville

1. We will hold a Parish Mission on this theme for either Advent or next Lent.
2. Host the traveling display "Eucharistic Miracles" from the Diocese.
3. Bring 10 people to this year's Catechist Formation Day, Aug. 27, with Steve Angrisano.
4. Provide an evening bible study in the fall on this theme or on living "Eucharistically."

5. Change First Communion preparations to include parent workshop.
6. Present "A Walk Through the Mass" to the Parish, explaining the symbols, history, Biblical roots, and intentions of the parts of the physical building and materials, as well as the parts of the liturgy. Offered at least twice.
7. Increase reverence shown toward the Eucharist in liturgical moments: host a Eucharistic Procession on Corpus Christi Sunday, as part of one weekend Mass; increase the use of Latin (Mass parts, Exposition/Reposition, etc.); remind the faithful of the proper methods of receiving Communion (bowing, hour fast, etc.).
8. Highlight parishioners (at least one per month) who live in Communion by their charity outside of the Mass (prison ministry, volunteers to St. Vincent de Paul, those who visit nursing homes, etc.). In particular, take a photograph and get a Communion-centered quotation from each to display in the narthex, bulletin and on social media.

Good Shepherd Parish, Evansville

1. The 3rd Sunday of each month at 7 PM, we offer ARISE event (Adoration. Reconciliation. Intercession. Scripture. Exhilaration.) It is open to families around the Diocese.
2. During Lent, we are offering "A Biblical Walk through the Mass" program to prepare parishioners for the Eucharistic Renewal. "A Biblical Walk through the Mass" explores the extraordinary biblical roots of the Liturgy and reveals what it all means and why it all matters.
3. Offer a "Teaching Mass" during an established weekend Mass.

Holy Cross Parish, Ft. Branch, St. James and Sts. Peter & Paul Parishes, Haubstadt

1. Parish Mission focused on the Eucharist.
2. "Walk through the Mass" catechesis.
3. Eucharistic procession.
4. Teaching about Adoration and a period of Adoration for the Religious Ed students throughout the school year as well as sharing Eucharistic Miracles.
5. St. Thomas Aquinas Prayer Cards "Prayer before Mass" and "Thanksgiving after Mass" (4 x 5 laminated cards) to have in the pews and to teach to students (available through www.catholicspringtime.com).
6. Adult Study: Lectio Eucharist by Dr. Brant Pitre (10 part series) through FORMED.ORG.
7. As a congregation, we will sing "This Is Jesus" as our first communion song. The refrain of this song has a simple, haunting melody with lyrics very directly addressing the aims of the renewal: "This is Jesus, Emmanuel, God is with us, in this sacrament. Come, receive Him, adore Him. This is Jesus, our Lord."
8. Our choirs will learn songs and hymns centering on the Eucharist and the miracle of Transubstantiation to sing either as prelude or during communion meditation, including "Bread of Angels," "*Panis Angelicus*," "*Adoro Te Devote*," "*Ave Verum Corpus*," "*Anima Christi*" and others.
9. Choir members and cantors will lead the congregation in song during a Corpus Christi procession outside the parish in 2023.
10. Provide open dialogue with the youth about their questions and experiences concerning the Eucharist.
11. Make it a priority to bring youth to church for time of prayer in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament during our events, as well as promote events such as Source & Summit.

12. Have an event with the youth where they make bread together, eat it, and discuss the connections with the Last Supper and Jewish Passover meal.

Holy Family Parish, Jasper

1. The parish will have a Eucharistic Procession on Corpus Christi 2022, and hopefully annually after that.
2. The Middle School/High School Religious Education with St. Joseph Parish will have Eucharistic Adoration for students (we've done this for a few years).
3. The Parish Catechetical Leader will reach out to every ministry in the parish, asking to speak and pray with them at one of their meetings. They will be encouraged to spend time together during at least one of our monthly days for Adoration and Benediction.
4. Invite members of the community, especially friends and family of first communicants to "walk with" our first communicants by themselves learning about communion, praying for our first communicants, and renewing their own understanding of the Eucharist.
5. Create audio/video recordings of discussions with parishioners from different ages and backgrounds to discuss faith in the Eucharist and to invite some parishioner evangelization on the topic.

Holy Rosary Parish, Evansville

1. October 2022: Eucharist Centered Mission for Spanish Speaking.
2. Spring 2023: Faith Day Event, Eucharist topics and presentations.
3. Fall 2023: Parish Mission, Eucharist Theme.
4. Spring 2024: Weekly Lenten Holy Hour, Presentation, Mass, & Faith-sharing gatherings.
5. Adult Formation Studies and Events with intentional focus on the Eucharist and the Mass: including Parish Mission, Faith Day, Bible Study and Sacramental Preparation throughout the whole process.
6. More intentional focus and invitation on Adoration for all ages: "information sessions" to help people overcome obstacles ("I cannot do an hour," "What do I do in Adoration?" etc.). Find ways to invite whole families into Adoration.
7. Prayer and worship opportunities to include Lenten Holy Hour, Mass, and Faith-sharing in the Spring of 2024.

Our Lady of Hope Parish, Washington

1. Our Lady of Hope Catholic will have a Corpus Christi Celebration with a procession around the school and church grounds Sunday, June 19, during the afternoon.
2. We will have a renewal period for the Adoration Chapel at Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church that will be celebrated in our parish and our school in celebration of the Eucharistic Renewal.
3. Focus our religious education classes on the Eucharist, especially those preparing for First Communion and Confirmation. Search for materials focused on the Eucharist.
4. Give our students more information about our perpetual Adoration Chapel and invite them to visit. Ask our catechists to take the students to our chapel and talk about Adoration. Have a Deacon or Pastor talk about the Sacred Vessels and Mass.
5. Have meetings with parents focused on the Eucharist, and invite them to visit our chapel. Invite parents and children to our Adoration Hour that happens once a month, or offer special Adoration time for parents and children.

Precious Blood Parish, Jasper

1. Provide Eucharistic Adoration for Middle School/High School religious education each semester.
2. Incorporate "Altaration" by Fr. Mike Schmitz.
3. Eucharistic trivia questions of the week.
4. Have students visit the chapel once a month.
5. Have a speaker give a talk in the deanery about the True Presence.
6. Offer "Presence" by the Augustine Institute.

Resurrection Parish, Evansville

1. By reaching our parishioners through things they hear, see, and information in their hands, Resurrection will embark on a homily series explaining Eucharistic miracles and encounters at weekend Mass, Bible studies, parish podcast, and the bulletin.
2. Resurrection will offer catechesis on the Eucharist and parent/teacher-centered discussion questions to our school students for their take-home folder once a month. Information and reflection questions on the Eucharist will also be included in our Adoration chapel. Teacher-centered catechesis will also be developed.
3. Resurrection will engage in our church's artistic tradition and invite creative parishioners and school students to create Eucharist-centered artwork for the narthex of our church.

St. Benedict Cathedral Parish, Evansville

1. St. Benedict Cathedral and School will commit to educating our families via school newsletters, emails, parish bulletins and school displays on topics of Eucharistic theology and engagement.
2. St. Benedict Cathedral and School will enhance and increase adult faith formation opportunities throughout the coming year, especially centering on Pope Benedict XVI's document, *Sacramentum Caritatis*, including catechesis and prayer opportunities for our parish ministries.
3. St. Benedict Cathedral Parish will expand opportunities for Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration in the parish.
4. St. Benedict Cathedral Parish will work toward evangelization surrounding the Eucharist.

St. Bernard Parish, Rockport and St. Martin I Parish, Chrisney

1. Begin praying the *Anima Christi* after Holy Communion.
2. Show videos on the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist.
3. Encourage more people to come to Adoration: we have Adoration on Tuesday and Thursday evenings; every 1st Friday and 3rd Thursday is all night Adoration.

St. Bernard Parish, Snake Run

1. We are going to show some of the Eucharist Miracles after our Thursday evening Mass for the parishioners.
2. We are going to find some pamphlets on the Eucharist and pass these out to parishioners on Sundays.

St. Boniface Parish, Evansville

1. Corpus Christi Sunday, after the 10:00 am Mass at St. Boniface, a procession of the Eucharist from St. Boniface Church to Sacred Heart Church.
2. Monthly adoration times for our school children and adults.
3. Formation about Adoration for our school children and families.
4. Mass to Mission: explaining the Mass to our children and adults during a month within Ordinary Time.
5. Communion to the Sick: minister to at least 30 homebound parishioners every week through the ministry of 12 Eucharistic Ministers.

St. Clement Parish, Boonville

1. Adoration the 1st Friday of each month.
2. Homilies to educate and inspire Eucharistic Adoration.
3. Possibly a 4-part mission with a Eucharistic Renewal theme.
4. "Holy Kids" Eucharistic series.
5. "Presence" or "Altaration" for adults.
6. Opportunities for Adoration for religious education students.
7. Prelude hymn to set the tone for the Eucharist.
8. Prayerful selection of Communion song.
9. Song of meditation chosen to offer a chance to reflect on the Real Presence.

St. Francis Xavier Parish, Vincennes

1. We will hold a procession after the 11:00 am Mass the weekend of Corpus Christi Sunday, June 19, 2022. The procession will begin at St. John the Baptist Church and arrive at the Old Cathedral Church.
2. We will be holding instructions on the Mass on Wednesday evenings. We will emphasize the importance of understanding the Real Presence of Jesus during the Consecration. Stress will be placed on the importance of this not being a mere symbol.
3. Use instructional videos on Eucharistic Miracles for the Catholic Schools and the Religious Education Program. The children will create posters and hang them in the churches for everyone to see.
4. On Corpus Christi Sunday 2022 and Corpus Christi Sunday 2023, we will be in the process of expanding our current Adoration hours to become a 24 hour perpetual Adoration Chapel. The old Saint Rose Chapel located behind the Old Cathedral church will be the location for the perpetual chapel.

St. Isidore Parish, Celestine and Dubois

1. Parishioner to give 3–5-minute witness talk on what the Mass means to them once a month.
2. Corpus Christi Procession on June 19 after the 8:00 am Mass.
3. Have Mass more often with the Religious Education students, at least at the beginning and end of the program.
4. Catechize and remind youth on how to receive communion reverently on the hand and on the tongue.

St. John the Baptist Parish, Newburgh

1. We have already implemented 24 hour adoration. We will continue to promote this to parishioners and youth through our emails and media. We will also plan class time for adoration with our religious education children.
2. We will highlight specific units on the Eucharist in our K-8 religious education program. This will include efforts to educate families through additional resources. We also plan to look for opportunities to invite non-practicing Catholics to learn more about Catholic teachings on the Eucharist.
3. Special studies pertaining to the Eucharist will be offered to parishioners throughout the year. In addition, Fr. Dusty will conduct special presentations explaining the meaning of the actions, words, and symbols found within the Mass.
4. A Eucharistic miracle display made by the youth group.
5. Displaying a Eucharistic miracle display in the Prayer Garden.
6. Have Youth Group members explain the miracles to parishioners who go to see the display.

St. John the Evangelist Parish, Daylight

1. Working through the Gabriel Project (an initiative to care and provide for the needs of poor mothers and their babies), we will invite the mothers to come and experience an hour of Eucharistic adoration. Most of the mothers are not Catholic or actively practicing any faith at all.
2. We will reinstitute Perpetual Adoration, which was discontinued during the COVID pandemic. Adoration currently runs from 9:00 am-4:00 pm, Monday through Friday, but we intend to get back to 24/7 adoration.
3. We will be doing a Corpus Christi Procession, which will be a first for our community.
4. We are planning to do a couple different types of Eucharistic healing services.
5. We will be putting together an informational sheet about the customs, traditions, and the roots of the Eucharist. Fr. Chris will also be highlighting the lives of several of the Eucharistic saints through his bulletin articles during the course of the year.

St. John the Evangelist Parish, Loogootee

1. Continue the tradition of the Eucharistic procession throughout the town of Loogootee on the Feast of Corpus Christi, as we have for a number of years now.
2. Several times throughout the year, offer a study of the Holy Mass using Ascension Press's "Altaration" program. "Altaration" highlights motivations for being present at Mass and engaging in the liturgies. It also explains the "Hows and Whys" (traditions) of the Holy Mass.
3. Bring back Eucharistic Adoration, which was present prior to Covid, in each of the 4 churches within our parish.
4. Heighten awareness among our youth of our Lord's presence in the tabernacle. This will be evidenced by education regarding the importance of a sincere genuflection and the reason for the intentional focus on Our Lord's presence in the tabernacle.
5. Host prayer sessions to honor the Blessed Sacrament with the Stations of the Holy Eucharist, using pamphlets provided by The Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama.

St. Joseph Parish, Jasper

Year 1:

1. Corpus Christi Procession on the Feast of Corpus Christi (June 19, 2022). We hope to celebrate with a procession annually.
2. Challenge parishioners to increase their prayer life. Challenge parishioners to pray and sacrifice/fast for the renewal of the parish with a desire to put God first in their lives. We will list various ideas and ways to sacrifice geared toward keeping the Sabbath holy.
3. Trifold with helpful prayers for Mass. Encourage arrival 10 minutes before Mass. Say a prayer together at mass after communion. This will go in the Breaking Bread and will have extras for people to take home.
4. Bring in a speaker on prayer, possibly Meg Hunter-Kilmer. Through the Catholic Radio station, Fr. Mitch Pacwa will be in Jasper in October giving a talk on the Eucharist (this was rescheduled from 2020).
5. Print 10 Eucharistic Miracle stories. Once a month post in the lobby, put as a bulletin insert, and on social media. Blessed Carlos Acutis has downloadable pdf files: www.carloacutis.com/en/association/presentazione and www.miracolieuucaristici.org/en/Liste/list.

Year 2:

1. Bring in a speaker on Eucharistic Miracles.
2. Book the Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit from the Diocese of Evansville.
3. *Quiet on Kundek* theme (possible radio ads, etc.): encouraging people to stop in and pray at Saint Joseph, providing additional opportunities for Holy Hours/Adoration.

St. Joseph Parish, Princeton

1. Teach our students about the meaning behind the items used at Mass.
2. Do a monthly reflection or discussion on the Eucharist in the classroom.
3. Offer Eucharistic Adoration to our students twice a year.

St. Joseph Parish, Vanderburgh County

1. Offering time for Adoration for families.
2. Community meals after Mass, with talks on the Mass or Adoration.
3. Initiating a Holy Hour for the school children.

St. Mary Parish, Huntingburg

1. Eucharistic Processions: county-wide and Corpus Christi.
2. Eucharist focused bible studies: The Presence, Altaration, etc.
3. Focused Adoration Services: Grades 1-5; Grades 6-12; Family. Offered before every weekday Mass all year.

St. Mary Parish, Sullivan and St. Joan of Arc Parish, Jasonville

1. Eucharistic Procession at St. Mary and Saint Joan of Arc on Corpus Christi June 19, 2022 and June 11, 2023.
2. Instructional Mass with preaching to focus on the Eucharist at 6:00 pm at Saint Mary on Wednesday in the Octave of Easter, April 12, 2023. The Gospel that day is the Road to Emmaus. Homily about recognizing Christ in the Eucharist and the importance of Mass attendance where we break the bread.

3. Eucharistic Adoration before Sunday Masses at Saint Mary and Saint Joan of Arc in Advent: November 27, December 4, December 8, December 11, and December 18, 2022. Homilies will include the “why” of Eucharistic Adoration, the relationship of the Eucharist to grace and salvation, and how that relates to Mass.

St. Matthew Parish, Mt. Vernon

1. First Friday adoration: We'd like to offer adoration, even if only for a couple of hours, on the First Friday of each month. If the parish can find a few parishioners to take an hour of adoration each, then we could have adoration during the school day (8am–3pm each First Friday).
2. During a few consecutive weekly Masses with our kids in the fall, the parts of the Mass will be explained: going into some depth regarding the symbolism, the history, and the importance of how God offers praise through us to himself.
3. On 21 September 2022 (the patronal feast of the parish), we will have a public Eucharistic procession with our school children.

St. Peter Parish, Montgomery

1. Having a Parish Mission on Eucharist.
2. Presentation on the Eucharistic Miracles.
3. Having a Bible Study on Eucharist/Mass. As it's done at SOURCE + SUMMIT, set up a "Burning Bush" and do Eucharistic Adoration.
4. We will continue our monthly Religious Education Speakers Nights for our 6th-12th grade Religious Education students and their parents. During these, we will have more talks focusing on the Eucharist. Some of these will include the Biblical Background of the Eucharist, the Power of Adoration, and How to Receive the Eucharist More Reverently.
5. For our 1st-5th Release Time students, we will include monthly "Saint Story Time", where we talk about a particular Saint each month. This year, we will focus on Saints who had a devotion to the Eucharist or experienced the power of the Eucharist in their lives (i.e., St. Clare of Assisi who defended her community from an army by simply holding up the Eucharist and believing in the true presence).
6. We will continue requiring the parents of our First Communion students to watch the "Presence" videos before their children receive First Communion. This year, we will offer more in-person parent meetings for the parents to watch the videos together and discuss.
7. During one of our Religious Education Speaker Nights, we will have a Youth Witness on the Power of Adoration for 20 minutes in our Church. We will then have a Eucharistic Procession from the Church to our school building. We will spend the rest of the time in Adoration.
8. During our monthly High School Youth Group meetings, we will include 10 minutes of "Tabernacle Time" at the end of every meeting. We will have different forms of group prayer and personal prayer throughout the year during these times. The intention is to give the students the space to spend time with Jesus in the Eucharist and develop a personal devotion to the Eucharist.

St. Philip the Apostle Parish, Posey County

1. 12 Stations of the Holy Eucharist to be set up outside on the parish grounds for open pilgrimages. Envisioning an ongoing display, 24/7, that can be visited and prayed any time day or night.

2. Presentations on the Holy Eucharist, such as the meaning of the Mass/Eucharistic witnesses from various presenters (these being offered during the year, Advent and/or Lent).
3. As a continuation (possibly in year two) of the Eucharistic Renewal, a special presentation with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament that would include the “burning bush” and procession. With a special social gathering afterwards to commemorate the occasion.

St. Wendel Parish, Saint Wendel, and St. Francis Xavier Parish, Poseyville

1. For the next year, weekly provide in the Church bulletin a brief explanation of some element of the Mass.
2. Based on the Sunday Scripture readings, incorporate in the Sunday homily, whenever possible, how to go forth from Mass to reflect Christ to the world in the coming week.
3. Foster attendance at Mass, by engaging families who do not regularly attend Mass, through opportunities such as a Grandparents’ Day Mass, encouraging students who are preparing for Confirmation and First Communion to sign up to be gift bearers at weekend Masses, and reintroducing Liturgy of the Word for Children during Mass.
4. Incorporate catechetical materials that focus on the Mass/Eucharist in faith formation programs (children/family, youth, adults).
5. Foster moments of Eucharistic adoration in faith formation programs (children, youth, adults).
6. Highlight the celebration of the Eucharistic liturgy by inviting/seeking out students and families to serve in different ministry roles during Masses.

Sts. Mary and John Parish, Evansville

1. We will provide a class that will help people to understand the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.
2. We will offer a study of *Sacrosanctum Concilium* to clarify what the Second Vatican Council taught about the liturgy.
3. We will revive our Communion ministry to shut-ins so that they can be united to us through the Sacrament.
4. We currently already have a holy hour before every weekday mass.
5. Share information of the Real Presence, especially on FORMED. ORG. Try to develop a study on the Real Presence.
6. Invite more people to Mass and help them realize the great gift we have in the Mass.

Sts. Peter and Paul Parish, Petersburg

1. Day of Eucharistic Adoration once a month.
2. Encourage use of Eucharistic hymns at the weekend Masses.
3. Do an explanation of the Mass and its Scriptural background.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Annunciation at Holy Spirit School, Evansville

1. Be more purposeful with prayer opportunities for students and staff.
2. Continue to search for ways to be more intentional with the Lent season, as well as Advent.
3. Increase opportunities for students to participate in the liturgy.

Corpus Christi School, Evansville

1. Students and staff will participate in monthly adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, the rosary, and confession. During Mass, a petition and songs will be included reflecting the Eucharistic Renewal.
2. Corpus Christi School will commit to providing students an environment that reflects the Eucharistic Renewal theme in classroom and hallway bulletin boards and in school/classroom designated prayer spaces. Morning prayer will focus on the Eucharistic Renewal theme for the school year.
3. Corpus Christi School will commit to quarterly service projects that reflect the Eucharistic Renewal theme.

Flaget Elementary School, Vincennes

1. Flaget commits to promoting the Eucharistic Renewal as the school's theme for the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Flaget commits to providing student an environment that reflects the Eucharistic Renewal theme.
3. Flaget commits to educating our families through education via school newsletters.

Good Shepherd School, Evansville

1. Good Shepherd Catholic School commits to promoting the Eucharistic Renewal as the school's theme for the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Good Shepherd Catholic School will commit to educating our families through the Ram Gram and social media and through providing resources.
3. Good Shepherd Catholic School will commit to enhancing the student Adoration monthly experience by providing prayer resources.
4. Good Shepherd Catholic School will commit to encouraging families to attend Tuesday night Mass and Adoration.

Holy Cross School, Fort Branch

1. Thoughts, prayers and activities centered around the Eucharistic Renewal theme will be shared with students and school families.

2. Assignments will be researched, completed and shared in the classroom and with school families, as well as members of the parish. Studies will be centered around building faith that the Eucharist is the Body of Christ.
3. A more meaningful and concrete method of adoration will be developed and fulfilled at Adoration (1st Thursday of each month).

Holy Redeemer School, Evansville

1. Encourage each class (K-8) to go to the Adoration chapel as appropriate throughout the school year.
2. Introduce the Adoration chapel to families at the Back-to-School Bash and encourage families to check it out during the year.
3. Invite individual classes to attend weekend Masses to encourage participation, attendance and fellowship.

Holy Rosary School, Evansville

1. All parish activities will have a related component for school children.
2. October 2022: Eucharist-Centered Mission for Spanish Speaking community.
3. Spring 2023: Faith Day Event, Eucharist topics and presentations.
4. Fall 2023: Parish Mission, Eucharist Theme.
5. Spring 2024: Weekly Lenten Holy Hour (Presentation, Mass, and Faith-sharing gatherings).

Holy Trinity School, Jasper

1. Holy Trinity will commit to educating our families via school newsletters.
2. Holy Trinity will commit to providing students an environment that reflects the Eucharistic Renewal theme in classroom and hallway bulletin boards.
3. Holy Trinity will commit to ensuring student and faculty activities will have emphasis on the theme of Eucharistic Renewal.

Reitz Memorial High School, Evansville

1. Come Rest in Jesus: Eucharistic Adoration every Monday and Wednesday during homeroom. Monday is a simple form of silent Adoration with exposition and reposition. Wednesday consists of a rotating communion prayer with benediction.
2. All School Marian Procession and Senior Eucharistic Procession: faith initiatives that promote certain key elements of the Catholic faith.
3. Weekly class Masses: opportunities to enhance and grow devotion to the Eucharist in a more intimate setting.

Resurrection School, Evansville

1. By reaching our parishioners through things they hear, see, and information in their hands, Resurrection will embark on a homily series explaining Eucharistic miracles and encounters at weekend Mass, Bible studies, parish podcast, and bulletin.
2. Resurrection will offer catechesis on the Eucharist and parent/teacher-centered discussion questions to our school students for their take-home folder once a month. Information and

reflection questions on the Eucharist will also be included in our Adoration chapel. Teacher-centered catechesis will also be developed.

3. Resurrection will engage in our church's artistic tradition and invite creative parishioners and school students to create Eucharist-centered artwork for the narthex of our church.

Rivet Middle School/High School, Vincennes

1. Rivet commits to promoting the Eucharistic Renewal as the school's theme for the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Rivet will commit to providing students an environment that reflects the Eucharistic Renewal theme in classroom and hallway bulletin boards and in designated prayer spaces/chapels.
3. Rivet will commit to ensuring student and faculty retreats will have emphasis on the theme of Eucharistic Renewal.

St. Benedict Cathedral School, Evansville

1. St. Benedict Cathedral and School will commit to educating our families via school newsletters, emails, parish bulletins and school displays on topics of Eucharistic theology and engagement.
2. St. Benedict Cathedral and School will enhance and increase adult faith formation opportunities throughout the coming year, especially centering on Pope Benedict XVI's document, *Sacramentum Caritatis*, including catechesis and prayer opportunities for our parish ministries.

St. Bernard School, Rockport

1. Saint Bernard Catholic School commits to promoting the Eucharistic Renewal as the school's theme for the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Saint Bernard Catholic School will put an emphasis on the "Eucharistic Renewal" theme for our staff retreat and other spiritual development.
3. Saint Bernard Catholic School students/classes will be encouraged to schedule monthly visitation to Adoration during the school day.

St. James School, Haubstadt

1. We will integrate the diocesan theme of the Eucharistic Renewal into every aspect of our day, including bulletin boards, parent newsletter, church bulletin news, faculty meeting agendas, and Friday teacher notes. The marquis sign will display the logo.
2. The principal will compose a morning prayer of commitment that will renew student and staff appreciation of the Eucharist, allowing us to start each day with Jesus as the focus.
3. On First Fridays, students will substitute the closing hymn with *O Saving Victim*, as Fr. Betz exposes the Blessed Sacrament. Throughout the day, all classes will spend time in Adoration at church.

St. John the Baptist School, Newburgh

1. Saint John the Baptist Catholic School commits to promoting the Eucharistic Renewal as the school's theme for the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Saint John the Baptist Catholic School commits to providing faculty spiritual development opportunities with an emphasis on the theme of the Eucharistic Renewal.

3. Saint John the Baptist Catholic School students/classes will be encouraged to schedule regular visitation to Adoration during the school day.

St. Joseph School, Princeton

1. Teach our children about the meaning and symbolism behind the items used at Mass.
2. Do a monthly reflection or discussion on the Eucharist in the classrooms.
3. Offer Eucharistic Adoration to our students twice a year.

St. Matthew School, Mount Vernon

1. First Friday adoration: We'd like to offer adoration, even if only for a couple of hours, on the First Friday of each month. If the parish can find a few parishioners to take an hour of adoration each, then we could have adoration during the school day (8am–3pm each First Friday).
2. During a few consecutive weekly Masses with our kids in the fall, the parts of the Mass will be explained: going into some depth regarding the symbolism, the history, and the importance of how God offers praise through us to himself.
3. On 21 September 2022 (the patronal feast of the parish), we will have a public Eucharistic procession with our school children.

St. Wendel School, Saint Wendel

1. Saint Wendel Catholic School commits to promoting the Eucharistic Renewal as the school's theme for the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Saint Wendel Catholic School will commit to educating our families through education via school newsletter.

Sts. Peter & Paul School, Haubstadt

1. The *Anima Christi* is a prayer used after receiving the Body and Blood of Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in Holy Communion. Students will learn this prayer and practice it daily in school. Students will learn to recite this prayer after receiving Holy Communion at Mass. Students can find the prayer on the back of our hymnals located in the pews as well (this may be needed as we are first learning the prayer). The prayer will be displayed in classrooms as well.
2. Students will attend adoration at least one time per month. We will call this special monthly commitment "Behold the Blessed Sacrament." Teachers and students will have the opportunity and will be encouraged to attend adoration on other Fridays during the month, but one time per month will be a commitment we keep as a school. Parents will be encouraged to join us in adoration on our "Behold the Blessed Sacrament" commitment day.
3. Parents will receive a monthly update on our Eucharistic Renewal journey. This will be included in our monthly communication and will consist of literature pieces and videos that engage families in learning more about the Eucharist. We will call this our "Behold the Blessed Sacrament Corner" of our monthly update.

Washington Catholic Schools, Washington

1. We will have a renewal period for the Adoration Chapel at Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church that will be celebrated in our parish and our school in celebration of the Eucharistic Renewal.

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2. Our schools will focus on the Eucharistic Renewal theme through the display of bulletin boards, music at mass, and all retreats, both students and faculty.

Religious Communities

Poor Clare Nuns (of the Order of Saint Clare, OSC, in Evansville)

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“Our souls are thirsting for the Living God”

This time in the Church of the Eucharist Renewal, is a time to stop and be renewed by the gift of God’s presence in the Holy Eucharist. But it is also time to celebrate and know that the LIVING AND LOVING God is here with us...in the Holy Eucharist, in our Churches, our homes, our hearts, and in our daily life.

Yes, in a period of time, Christ walked the face of the earth, suffered and died for our salvation and rose again, to open the gates of heaven for EACH of us. But He left His promise on Holy Thursday with us that He will be with us until the end of time and that is His presence in the Holy Eucharist.

He is just not only the beginning and summit of all life but also the many moments inbetween. It is His strength that gets us up in the morning, lives beside us during the day, and lets us rest in His deep love at night. Without Jesus, alive and present in the Eucharist, we have no love to hope for and share with all those around us. That is how we proclaim His presence, by loving one and other.

As Contemplative Nuns in the Evansville Diocese, following the rule of St. Clare of Assisi, our whole purpose of life is to adore Jesus in the Eucharist and carry to Him all your needs and intentions, your sorrows and joys, and hopes and dreams. We have daily Mass at 8:00am each day (you may call ahead to confirm: 425-4396) and you are always welcome to join us in our Chapel. Our daily recitation of the Liturgy of the Hours is said thru out the day and you would be invited to join the community for Morning Praise at 7:25am or Vespers at 4:30pm.

May this time of renewal enrich your hearts with Christ’s deepest love and enable you to grow closer to Him.

Sincerely in Christ,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sr. Jeanne Muffet, OSC". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name "Sr. Jeanne Muffet, OSC".

OTHER GROUPS

Communion and Liberation

1. Do a work to judge and to educate what it means to know something is “real.” What does it mean that something is “real” and how do we come to recognize it as such?
2. Create and present an exhibit that is the fruit of our work and that will hopefully contribute in some small way to the goals of the diocesan Eucharistic Renewal initiative.

Evansville District Council of St. Vincent de Paul

1. For parish conference meetings, the District Council will provide selections on the Eucharist from the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* for prayer and reflection.
2. For parish conference meetings, the District Council will provide resources being created at the National Council office for Eucharistic Renewal for prayer and reflection.
3. Prior to commencing parish conference meetings (if conducted on church grounds), Vincentians are being encouraged to pray the rosary together before the Blessed Sacrament.

John Paul the Great Homeschool Co-op

1. During our weekly classes, we hope to allow parents (and possibly youth) an opportunity for private adoration by taking turns and sharing responsibilities.
2. We plan to continue to promote the Eucharist by continuing to offer First Friday Family Friendly Evening Adoration at Divine Mercy Parish in Schnellville. Each month, we gather to adore our Lord, as we pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet, sing songs, and hear a reflection from a priest or deacon before having a potluck and games in the church basement.
3. We are helping the younger children prepare for the Eucharistic Renewal by doing a unit on the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary.
4. We will continue to promote the Eucharist in our classes and conversations.

Knights of Columbus, Saint Anthony of Padua Council 15777

1. Our council is planning on participating in a Eucharistic procession on June 18th, after 4:30 pm Mass (First Communion). The first communicants will be leading the procession.
2. Our council is planning on making a Holy Hour but still coming up with the details.
3. Our council will be organizing a pilgrimage to a nearby parish that has a Blessed Carlo Acutis Eucharistic Miracle display.

Source + Summit

1. Annual Source + Summit Eucharistic-Centered Retreat to be held on March 17–19, 2023.
2. Have a Mass of Thanksgiving celebrated for all of the blessings bestowed during the 2022 Source + Summit Retreat.

Teens Encounter Christ

1. We plan to end each Core Group Meeting with a few minutes of adoration.
2. We plan to end each TEC formation with a few minutes of adoration.
3. We will continue to promote the Eucharist by continuing to emphasize the importance of Mass/adoration as an integral part of our follow-ups, reunions, retreats, etc.
4. We hope to host an extra event with the sole theme and purpose being the promotion of devotion to the Eucharist, but details for this have not been ironed out yet.