



THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH DIOCESE OF TUCSON

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DEPARTMENT OF PASTORAL SERVICES

Office of Catechesis

Date: July 8, 2010

To: Parish Religious Education Directors, Catholic School Principals, Youth Ministry Coordinators, and certification participants

From: Mike Berger, on behalf of the Diocesan Office of Catechesis, the Office of Youth Ministry, the Department of Catholic Schools, the Jordan Ministry Team, and the Religious Education Advisory Board

Re: Diocesan Celebration of Catechetical Formation and Certification
October 2, 2010
Eucharistic Liturgy - Msgr. Tom Cahalane presiding

Summer Greetings!

We extend a special invitation to you to attend this diocesan Mass and celebration on Saturday, October 2, 2010, beginning at (please note the time) 2:00 p.m. at *St. Frances Cabrini Church*, which is located at 3201 East Presidio Rd. in Tucson.

The purpose of this diocesan celebration is two-fold:

- First, it is an appropriate way, early in the catechetical-school-program year, to highlight the importance of our shared catechetical mission to children, youth, and adults, and to draw strength from the Lord and one another in carrying out this ministry.
- Secondly, we want *to recognize and affirm* those, who within the last six years, have achieved *diocesan certification* in catechetical and youth ministries, both in school and parish settings. It is very important that we celebrate and acknowledge this commitment of parish catechetical leaders as they pursue ongoing training and formation to enrich and make more effective their respective ministries.

Please refer to the enclosed form, which will need to be completed and returned to the Office of Catechesis *no later than September 10* to ensure that the names of parish leaders who have been certified are placed in the liturgy program for October 2. Also, please be sure to invite and encourage families and friends of those being recognized to attend.

May your summer bring blessings of rest and renewal!

DIOCESAN CELEBRATION OF CATECHETICAL CERTIFICATION 2010
October 2, 2010 • St. Frances Cabrini Church, Tucson, AZ

Parish/School _____

Parish Staff or Individual (completing form) _____

Please print or type **names** of those attending who have completed certification requirements within the past six years (please send completed record form(s) if needed), the **ministry area** (i.e., catechist, youth minister, school teacher), the **date certified** (or to be certified) and **phone number**. Thank you.

LEVEL ONE CERTIFICATION

<i>Name:</i>	<i>Ministry Area:</i>	<i>Date Certified/ to be Certified:</i>	<i>Phone:</i>
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LEVEL TWO CERTIFICATION

<i>Name:</i>	<i>Ministry Area:</i>	<i>Date Certified/ to be Certified:</i>	<i>Phone:</i>
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