

Sponsorship NEWS

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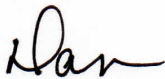


Dear Administrators,

In these challenging times, please know that the Office of Sponsorship continues to pray for you and the important work you do as a partner in mission. In the weeks to come, we will be communicating with you more frequently with the sole objective of supporting you in your ministry.

We offer the following resources to keep us connected as **people of faith**, to encourage each other as **followers of Mary**, and to offer mutual support as **people of community**. Please feel free to forward this newsletter to your faculty, staff, and board members.

In peace and prayer,



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News You Can Use

“How do we do school when we aren’t at school? And how do we do Church when we aren’t at Church?” Dr. Tim Uhl, superintendent of the Montana Catholic Schools, tackles these tough questions in his Catholic School Matters blog. Here is a summary of how he has approached the COVID-19 crisis:

- Pay attention to relationships
- Build routines
- Build your model of remote learning
- Be an educational leader
- Communicate what you are doing
- Share your plan for the future

[Click here](#) to read Dr. Uhl’s complete blog post, **Learning Without School**.

In 30 Words or Less

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How does being a Marianist-sponsored ministry help you face difficult challenges like we are facing with the Coronavirus?

[Click here](#) to share your thoughts with us. We will share these reflections in upcoming newsletters.

Strength for the Journey

Blessed Chaminade teaches us that **"The essential is the interior."** The key to a strong interior life is prayer. Here are some recommended resources. Pick one, and let the Holy Spirit guide you in prayer.

- [Sacred Space](#) – Daily Prayer and Reflection (free web access – App available)
 - [Give Us This Day](#) – Daily Prayer for Today's Catholic (free web access during Lent – App available)
 - [Pray As You Go](#) – Daily Prayer and Reflection (free web access – App available). (Includes the [Pray As You Stay](#) support series, for times of isolation and fear.)
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Together We Pray

*Holy Virgin of Guadalupe,
Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas.
We fly to you today as your beloved children.
We ask you to intercede for us with your Son,
as you did at the wedding in Cana.
Shelter us under the mantle of your protection,
keep us in the embrace of your arms.*

([Click here](#) for the full prayer from USCCB.org)

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