



Pope declares 2021 a 'Year of St. Joseph'

Pope Francis announced Dec. 8, that the Church will celebrate a **Year of St. Joseph** in honor of the 150th anniversary of the saint's proclamation as patron of the Universal Church.

The year began Dec. 8, 2020, and will conclude on Dec. 8, 2021.

According to the decree, Pope Francis established a Year of St. Joseph so that "every member of the faithful, following his example, may strengthen their life of faith daily in the complete fulfillment of God's will."

It added that the pope had granted special indulgences to mark the year.

The Dec. 8 decree was issued by the Apostolic Penitentiary, the dicastery of the Roman Curia that oversees indulgences, and signed by the

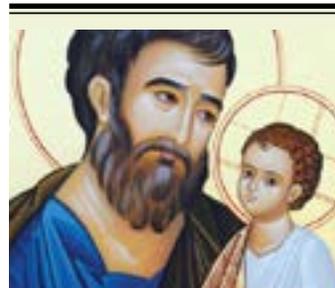
Major Penitentiary, Cardinal Mauro Piacenza, and the Regent, Msgr. Krzysztof Nykiel.

In addition to the decree, Francis issued an apostolic letter dedicated to the foster father of Jesus.

The pope explained in the letter, titled *Patris corde* ("With a father's heart") and dated Dec. 8, that he wanted to share some "personal reflections" on the spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

"My desire to do so increased during these months of pandemic," he said, noting that many people had made hidden sacrifices during the crisis in order to protect others.

"Each of us can discover in Joseph -- the man who goes unnoticed, a daily, discreet and hidden presence -- an inter-



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cessor, a support and a guide in times of trouble," he wrote.

"St. Joseph reminds us that those who appear hidden or in the shadows can play an incomparable role in the history of salvation."

Pope Pius IX proclaimed St. Joseph patron

of the Universal Church on Dec. 8, 1870, in the decree *Quemadmodum Deus*.

In its decree Tuesday, the Apostolic Penitentiary said that, "to reaffirm the universality of St. Joseph's patronage in the Church," it would grant a plenary indulgence to Catholics who recite any approved prayer or act of piety in honor of St. Joseph, especially on March 19, the saint's solemnity, and May 1, the Feast of St. Joseph the Worker.

Other notable days for the plenary indulgence are the Feast of the Holy Family on Dec. 29 and St. Joseph's Sunday in the Byzantine tradition, as well as the 19th of each month and every Wednesday, a day dedicated to the saint in the

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Latin tradition.

The decree said: "In the current context of health emergency, the gift of the plenary indulgence is particularly extended to the elderly, the sick, the dying and all those who for legitimate reasons are unable to leave the house, who, with a soul detached from any sin and with the intention of fulfilling, as soon as possible, the three usual conditions, in their own home or where the impediment keeps them, recite an act of piety in honor of St. Joseph, comfort of the sick and

patron of a happy death, offering with trust in God the pains and discomforts of their life."

The three conditions for receiving a plenary indulgence are sacramental confession, the reception of Holy Communion and prayer for the pope's intentions.

Francis said that the contemporary world required examples of true fatherhood. "Our world today needs fathers. It has no use for tyrants who would domineer others as a means of compensating for their own needs," he wrote.



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Prayer to St. Joseph

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.

15 ways to receive an indulgence during Year of St. Joseph

**By Courtney Mares
Catholic News Agency**

Catholics will have the opportunity to obtain a special plenary indulgence during the Year of St. Joseph..

There are many new ways that Catholics can receive an indulgence, including entrusting their daily work to the protection of St. Joseph the Worker or reciting the rosary with their families.

These acts must be accompanied by sacramental confession, Eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the pope's intentions, the usual conditions to obtain any plenary indulgence.

Plenary indulgences remit all temporal punishment due to sin and must

be accompanied by full detachment from sin.

The 15 ways to receive an indulgence in the Year of St. Joseph are:

- Participate in a spiritual retreat for at least one day that includes a meditation on St. Joseph.
- Pray for St. Joseph's intercession for the unemployed that they might find dignifying work.
- Recite the Litany of St. Joseph for persecuted Christians. Byzantine Catholics have the option of an Akathist to St. Joseph.
- Entrust one's daily work and activity to the protection of St. Joseph the Worker.
- Follow St. Joseph's example in performing a

corporal work of mercy.

- Perform one of the spiritual works of mercy.
- Pray the rosary together with one's family in order that "all Christian families may be stimulated to recreate the same atmosphere of intimate communion, love and prayer that was in the Holy Family."
- Engaged couples can also receive an indulgence from praying the rosary together.
- Meditate for at least 30 minutes on the Lord's Prayer, because St. Joseph "invites us to rediscover our filial relationship with the Father, to renew fidelity to prayer, to listen and correspond with profound discernment to God's will."
- Pray an approved prayer to St. Joseph on St. Joseph Sunday, the Sunday after Christmas in the Byzantine Catholic tradition.
- Celebrate the feast of St. Joseph on March 19 with an act of piety in honor of St. Joseph.
- Pray an approved prayer to St. Joseph on the 19th of any month.
- Honor Joseph with an act of piety or approved prayer on a Wednesday, the day traditionally dedicated to St. Joseph.
- Pray to St. Joseph on the Feast of the Holy Family on Dec. 27.
- Celebrate the feast of St. Joseph the Worker on May 1 with an act of piety or prayer.

Radio Maria adds FM station in Miami

The World Family of Radio is excited to announce the establishment of a new Radio Maria station in Miami!

On December 23, 2020, the newly purchased 50,000-watt radio tower that's actually located in Hammocks, Fla., switched from its previous airwaves, to the airwaves of Radio Maria at midnight

WMKL, 91.9 FM is where listeners in Miami will now have full access to hearing Radio Maria programs. At this time, the programs will be broadcast from 3:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. in English and from 3:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m. in Spanish.

"We are very excited about the addition of this new tower in Miami," said Carlo DiMaggio, Radio Maria USA president. "This new frequency has the potential of reaching an estimated 1 million listeners in the southern part of Florida. We are happy to expand our programs to this area."

The 100-mile radius coverage area will serve Southwest Florida, the Glades region, and the Florida Keys. It will also serve the Diocese of Miami which includes the counties of Broward, Miami-Dade, and Monroe. The Diocese of Miami includes one-half to 1 million Catholics in 105 parishes, 34,000 students in 62 Catholic schools, and four campus ministry programs at four universities.



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COVID-19 Vaccines & Abortion: What You Need to Know

Compiled from La Right to Life report and a CLI report

The COVID-19 vaccines are out. And there is plenty of discussion regarding their connection to abortion.

The discussion centers around whether the vaccines used abortion-derived cell lines in either their production or their testing.

For years, biological research has used cell lines derived from the fetal tissue of a few aborted babies in the 1960s and 70s to produce and test drugs and vaccines. The cells that were harvested from the aborted babies are replicated indefinitely, and research utilizing these cell lines does not require any further abortions to be performed.

This is not a new issue. For years, the same questions have faced us with other vaccines. For example, the MMR + Chickenpox vaccine utilizes the abortion-derived cell lines in its production. There is still no alternative that does not use the cells.

Charlotte Lozier Institute (CLI) has published a chart (see at right) detailing whether the eight leading COVID-19 vaccine candidates are produced or tested using cells derived from abortions.

The vaccine candidates evaluated are those

CHARLOTTE LOZIER INSTITUTE

Analysis of COVID-19 Vaccine Candidates
Includes vaccine candidates that received "Operation Warp Speed" funding or have been submitted to the FDA for emergency use approval

Sponsor(s)	Status	Development/ Production of Vaccine	Lab Testing
	Emergency Use FDA Application Approved		
	Emergency Use FDA Application Pending		
	Phase 3 Trials		
	Phase 3 Trials		
	Phase 3 Trials		
	Phase 1/2 Trials		
	Phase 1/2 Trials		
	Phase 1 Trials		

Key

- Does not use abortion-derived cell line
- DOES USE abortion-derived cell line
- SOME tests DO NOT use abortion-derived cells, SOME DO
- Currently undetermined

See here for a chart of all vaccines being tested and more detailed information about each: <https://s27589.gcdn.co/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/COVID-19-Vaccine-Candidates-and-Abortion-Derived-Cell-Lines.pdf>

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produced by Pfizer/BioNTech, Moderna, AstraZeneca, Johnson & Johnson, Novavax, Sanofi/GSK, Inovio, and Merck.

CLI's analysis found that most (six out of eight) of the vaccine candidates

did not use abortion-derived cell lines in their production. Several used abortion-derived cell lines in laboratory testing, or their use in testing could not be determined.

Accurate information

about the development and production of COVID-19 vaccines is essential, especially because many proposed candidates use newer mo-

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From gratitude springs forth peace, joy of the Lord

Dear Radio Maria family,

I wish you a blessed New Year! Thank you for your generous support of Radio Maria USA. This is such a rich time of year as we have so many wonderful celebrations in the church. We are in the octave of Christmas, have just celebrated the Feast of the Holy Family and on January 1st we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God.

2020 was a difficult year for so many people, and yet in all things we give thanks to God because our hope is in Jesus and His promise of everlasting life for those who love and obey Him. We are to be joyful witnesses of the gospel of life

From the Desk of **Fr. Dan**

Fr. Dan Reehil
National Priest Director
Radio Maria



– new life in Jesus Christ. Recall Paul’s words to the Romans, “We know that in everything God works for good with those who love him, who are called according to his purpose”.

Our hope is in the Lord, and our hearts can only be grateful when we consider the unfathomable things He has done for us. From our gratitude springs forth the peace and joy of the Lord.

I am so grateful for all

of you who help to keep Radio Maria USA on the air, bringing the gospel message to millions of people. On this past December 23, Radio Maria began broadcasting to the city of Miami over WMKL’s radio signal on 91.9 FM. This is an enormous acquisition for Radio Maria with the potential of reaching an additional three million listeners! We give all the glory to God and to Our Lady for

her powerful intercession in opening all the right doors. There is so much to be grateful for as we begin this new year.

Gratitude to God is a guarantee for an attitude of humility and blessedness. The word blessed comes from the Greek word *makarios*, which literally means happiness or beatitude. It describes a kind of joy which is serene and untouchable, self-contained and independent from chance and changing circumstances of life. It is difficult to be grateful and not be full of joy and contentment. When we reflect on His salvation and grace in Jesus Christ, we are left

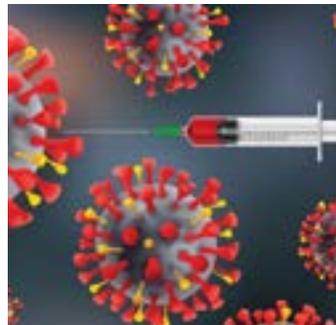
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lecular technologies for production of a viral vaccine. CLI’s analysis utilizes data from the primary scientific literature when available, along with data from clinical trial documents, reputable vaccine tracking websites, and published commercial information.

CLI says they will continue to provide the public with access to timely and accurate information so that individuals and families can weigh all factors – including secular science and religious traditions – and make vac-



cine decisions in line with their conscience.

A number of faith and ethical groups have issued opinions on the moral perspective on taking these vaccines.

The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops **has always held that the patient’s connection to the creation of the vaccine**

is almost non-existent, and as long as there is not a more ethical alternative available that does not use the abortion-derived cell lines, it is morally permissible to take the vaccines of these nature.

In the situation of the COVID vaccines, this same logic applies. The USCCB does point out that the vaccines that were produced with abortion-derived fetal cell lines, such as those from AstraZeneca and Johnson & Johnson, are “more morally compromised” than the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines due to the

reasons discussed above.

It is important to note that **the USCCB does point out that the moral responsibility of the company that chooses to use the abortion-derived cells is different from that of the patient.**

The Congregation for the Doctrine of Faith (CDF) at the Vatican has stated that the vaccine should be voluntary and must not be mandated or forced. In a press release issued on December 21, the CDF stated, “Vaccination is not, as a rule, a moral obligation and that, therefore, it must be voluntary.”

From the desk of Fr. Dan

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awestruck that almighty God would freely give us the gift of His only Son. Indeed, grateful Christians never get over the forgiveness and freedom they have in Christ Jesus. It is to our benefit to develop an attitude of gratitude!

How can we renew our thinking each day to be appreciative when so many negative thoughts assault our minds?

It is healthy for humans to give thanks to the God who made us; to tell Him how wonderful He is, and to renew our love for Him. The spring in our step and the delight in our eyes comes back to us when you remember Christ's incredible love and acceptance for us. The more we meditate on the life of Christ, the more we grow in love with Him.

Pope Saint Paul VI wrote a beautiful address about the Holy Family on January 5, 1969. Let me leave you with some of his wise words:

Nazareth is a kind of school where we may begin to discover what Christ's life was like and even to understand his Gospel. Here we can observe and ponder the simple appeal of the way God's Son came to be known, profound yet full of hidden meaning. And gradually we may even learn to imitate him.

Here we can learn to realize who Christ re-

ally is. And here we can sense and take account of the conditions and circumstances that surrounded and affected his life on earth: the places, the tenor of the times, the culture, the language, religious customs, in brief, everything which Jesus used to make himself known to the world. Here everything speaks to us, everything has meaning. Here we can learn the importance of spiritual discipline for all who wish to follow Christ and to live by the teachings of his Gospel.

How I would like to return to my childhood and attend the simple yet profound school that is Nazareth! How wonderful to be close to Mary, learning again the lesson of the true meaning of life, learning again God's truths. But here we are only on pilgrimage. Time presses and I must set aside my desire to stay and carry on my education in the Gospel, for that education is never finished. But I cannot leave without recalling, briefly and in passing; some thoughts I take with me from Nazareth.

First, we learn from its silence. If only we could once again appreciate its great value. We need this wonderful state of mind, beset as we are by the cacophony of strident protests and conflicting claims so characteristic of these turbulent times. The silence of Nazareth

should teach us how to meditate in peace and quiet, to reflect on the deeply spiritual, and to be open to the voice of God's inner wisdom and the counsel of his true teachers. Nazareth can teach us the value of study and preparation, of meditation, of a well-ordered personal spiritual life, and of silent prayer that is known only to God.

Second, we learn about family life. May Nazareth serve as a model of what the family should be. May it show us the family's holy and enduring character and exemplify its basic function in society: a community of love and sharing, beautiful for the problems it poses and the rewards it brings, in sum, the perfect setting for rearing children—and for this there is no substi-

tute.

Finally, in Nazareth, the home of a craftsman's son, we learn about work and the discipline it entails. I would especially like to recognize its value—demanding yet redeeming—and to give it proper respect. I would remind everyone that work has its own dignity. On the other hand, it is not an end in itself. Its value and free character, however, derive not only from its place in the economic system, as they say, but rather from the purpose it serves.

Thank you again for all your support to Radio Maria USA. Please go to radiomaria.us or call 1-888-408-0201 to continue supporting Radio Maria and the mission of Our Blessed Mother. I leave you with a prayer for the New Year:

Prayer for the New Year

Come, Holy Spirit,
Spirit of the Risen Christ,
be with us today and always.
Be our Light, our Guide, and our Comforter.
Be our Strength, our Courage,
and our Sanctifier.
May this new year be a time
of deep spiritual growth for us,
A time of welcoming your graces and gifts,
A time for forgiving freely and unconditionally,
A time for growing in virtue and goodness.
Come, Holy Spirit,
Be with us today and always. Amen.

New Programs/Presenters

Home School Lifeline
with Katie Moran and
Melissa Savage
Wednesdays
5 p.m. CT/6 p.m. ET

So many of you are faithful followers of one of our special and distinctive programs, **Home School Lifeline**, hosted by Katie Moran.

The show covers all issues concerning homeschooling, from the person considering homeschooling, to the novice homeschooler, all the way to the veteran homeschoolers.

In keeping with our home schooling topic, Katie is bringing back to Radio Maria several rotating presenters, each of whom brings their own unique perspective, with a focus on homeschooling in these unprecedented times.

The first returning presenter is Melissa Savage. Melissa has been married to Jerome for 23 years and they are the parents of 6 children. She is in-



Melissa Savage

involved in many ministries through her diocese and parish in Raleigh, North Carolina, where she resides.

The Savages began homeschooling after realizing the public school system would not work for their eldest child. Melissa was reluctant to home school at first because she thought she lacked what it would take to accomplish the task. As it turns out, God has given her what she needed at every stage.

Melissa's work has been published on CatholicHousehold.com, and she is co-author of *Planting the Seeds of Faith*. She is also a featured

speaker at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Home School Conferences. She speaks on topics relating to homeschooling, Catholic parenting among the chaos, and loves to share how to find God's grace and love through it all.

Join Melissa on Wednesdays, at 5:00 pm Central/6:00 pm Eastern, as she guides us in successfully navigating homeschooling waters by helping to hone leadership skills, prioritizing your life, tips on choosing the right curriculum, and achieving a peaceful home school.

Beyond Fatima

Hosted by Katie Moran
Mondays
1p.m. CT/2 p.m. ET

Many of you know Katie Moran from her programs, **Home School Lifeline** and **Am I Not Here?**

As of Dec. 7, Katie began presenting a new program titled **Beyond Fatima**.

This program will cov-



Katie Moran

er the Church's teaching on Fatima topics, along with historical and background information and material taken from the writing of the Saints.

Katie is president of the World Apostolate of Fatima-Byzantine Division, and a board member on the World Apostolate of Fatima, USA. Over the years, she has been asked to speak on topics related to the Fatima message.

Join Katie on Mondays, at 1 p.m. CT/2 p.m. ET, and learn how the message of Fatima is the summation of the gospel message and the teaching of the Church.

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6:00AM	Angelus, Holy Rosary with Various Bishops, Litany							7:00AM	
6:30AM	Full Rosary Pope John Paul II	Food for the Journey, Sr. Ann Shields					Mary Queen of Peace Fr. John Fletcher	7:30AM	
7:00AM		Morning Prayers & Holy Rosary					Morning Prayer & Holy Rosary	8:00AM	
7:30AM	Morning Prayers	Morning Office of the Liturgy of the Hours (Lauds) and Preparation for Holy Mass					Lauds & Bishop Glen Provost	8:30AM	
8:00AM	Healing Through the Mass Fr. Duane Stenzel	Sacrifice of the Holy Mass							9:00AM
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9:00AM	The Catholic "Take" on Truth & Culture Fr. Peter Plisner	Battle Ready Fr. Dan Reehl				Homeschool Lifeline Katy Moran	Companions on the Journey Mark Polutanow and Michael Norton	10:00AM	
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10:00AM	Sacrifice of the Holy Mass time varies by week	Catholic Classics Fr. Joseph Koterski	Beyond the Veil Fr. Thomas Loya	Marian Apparitions Mary Pypier	The School of Mary (A Kindergarten of The Divine Will) Depsina	Aim High Fr. Jason Kukczynski	Carmelite Teresian Spirituality Dr. Patrick DVicenti	11:00AM	
11:00AM	Renewing Our Faith Dcn. Bill Brennan	Think On These Things Dr. Domenico Aquila	Quest for a Culture of Life in America Steve Koob	Hearty Recipes for Life and Love Francesca Franchina	The Flame of Love (1st, 3rd, 5th) Vicki McGrath The Good News Hour: Personal Testimonies (2nd, 4th) Penny Antill	Pro-Life Activism from Creation to Death Jim Sedlak	Learning to Live in God's Divine Will Fr. Joseph Iannuzzi	Noon	
Noon	Angelus, Midday Office of the Liturgy of the Hours & Holy Rosary							1:00PM	
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2:00PM	Companions on the Journey Mark Polutanow and Michael Norton	Sacred Treasures In The Church Kathie Duggan	Be Your Best As A Catholic Christian John Wright	A Light In the World Christine Rossi	Meet the Author Ken Huck	Catholic Classics Fr. Joseph Koterski	Jesus: the Promised Messiah of Judaism Roy Schoeman	3:00PM	
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5:00PM	Marian Apparitions Mary Pypier	Cross Roads Mark Newman	Gospel of Life: Pro-Life Issues Priests for Life	Homeschool Lifeline Katy Moran	Apologetics - Understanding Catholicism Jimmy Seghers	Good Night, Good Day Marta Varga	Beyond the Veil Fr. Thomas Loya	6:00PM	
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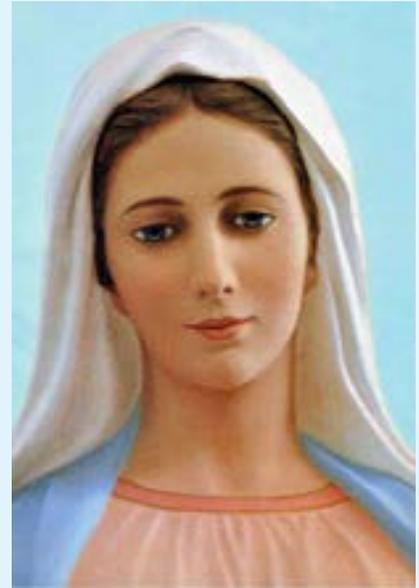


December 25, 2020 Message to Marija

“Dear children!

I am carrying to you little Jesus who brings you peace, Him who is the past, present and future of your existence. Little children, do not permit for your faith and hope in a better future to be extinguished, because you are chosen to be witnesses of hope in every situation. That is why I am here with Jesus that He may bless you with His peace.

Thank you for having responded to my call.”



December 25, 2020 Our Lady of Medjugorje's Special Christmas Message given to Jakov Čolo

“Dear children!

Today, on this day of grace, in a special way I am calling you to open your hearts and to implore Jesus to strengthen your faith. Children, through prayer with the heart, faith and works you will come to know what it means to live a sincere Christian life. Often times, children, darkness, pain

and crosses overwhelm your life and your hearts. Do not waver in faith and ask ‘why’ because you think that you are alone and abandoned. Instead, open your hearts, pray and believe firmly and then your heart will feel God’s nearness and that God never abandons you - that He is beside you at every moment. Through prayer and faith, God will answer your every ‘why’ and transform your every pain, darkness and cross into light.

Thank you .”

Note: These messages are not yet recognized by the Catholic Church as having a supernatural origin.

Friday, January 1

• Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

(A Holy Day of Obligation)

• The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord

• First Friday of the Month

• New Year's Day



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