



## DIOCESE *of* LACROSSE

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August 6, 2009  
Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord

Dear Religious Educators:

One of my great responsibilities as well as great joys is insuring that our Faith is transmitted in an authentic way to the young souls entrusted to our Diocese. This is a responsibility which I share with you in the proper presentation of the Catholic teachings of our Faith. We need to excite our young people in the understanding of their Faith so that they may be bold proclaimers of the living Jesus as witnessed in His Church.

I implore you to familiarize yourselves with the content of this program, which is comprehensive and rich in the faith relationship needed to strengthen the lives of our young people. They will look to you to be excited about the Faith. They will seek from you your ability to take this rich content and challenge them to experience it in the world in which they live.

Together we can ignite a spark of the Spirit, which can result in fashioning our Diocese in holiness and transforming the world in Christ.

Thank you for all of your efforts on behalf of the Diocese of La Crosse.

May God bless you!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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