

August 1st, 2019

Dear Priests, Deacons, and all Parish Ministry Leaders,

The Office of Family and Faith Formation is pleased to announce Ministry Days 2019: **"Go, Make Disciples : Co-Responsibility for the Mission of the Church"** at St. Francis Catholic High School in Sacramento on Friday and Saturday – September 27th and 28th. This event is for all Catholics, but especially for those who are active in Parish ministry.

Please distribute the enclosed booklets to your catechists and other lay ministers.

Registration for Ministry Days is now open and can be completed online through our website: www.ministrydays.com. This website is your destination for all information about the event including descriptions of the keynotes and workshops, as well as the schedule for the event and cost information.

If you would like to allow your staff, catechists, or parish ministers to bill the parish for their registration, please have them use the code: **billmyparish2019**. The code must be entered in the "Promo Code" box at the start of the registration process. We do not distribute this code to participants, so please only distribute it to those individuals who are permitted to bill the parish for their registration.

In the Gospel of Matthew, the last words reported of Jesus are a commissioning: "Go, make disciples of all nations". In this spirit, we invite you and all of those involved in parish ministry to join us as we grow more deeply in faith and understanding of how to live that Gospel mandate through the work of the particular ministries entrusted to us.

We look forward to seeing each of you at Ministry Days in September!

Yours in Christ,

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