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OFFICE OF PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS

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Dear Director/Principal,

National Vocation Awareness Week will fall this year on November 7-13, 2021. And in order to create awareness of the need of men and women to serve the Church and humanity as priests and religious sisters and brothers, we suggest the following events at your institutions:

- 1. Praying a rosary offered for more vocations.
- 2. Visiting the Blessed Sacrament and offer it for more vocations.
- 3. Writing a thank you letter for the pastor or Newman Center chaplain.
- 4. Inviting a priest or religious sister to give a talk about vocations.

You may find resources in the following websites: <u>https://www.usccb.org/committees/clergy-consecrated-life-vocations/national-vocation-awareness-week</u>, <u>www.nrvc.net</u>, <u>www.vocationnetwork.org</u>, http://www.vocationsandprayer.org/ and www.vianneyvocations.com.

For more information, please visit our website or contact us directly.

We remain united in the work of forming new generations of men and women dedicated to know, love and serve the Lord.

Blessings,

Fr. Guillermo Hernández Director of Vocations