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Memo

To: Pastors, Parochial Vicars, Administrators, Deacons and Parish Staff
From: Miriam Sammartino
Date: May 23, 2022
Subject: *Laudato Si'* Anniversary week

Dear Pastors, Parochial Vicars, Administrators, Deacons and Parish Staff:

We invite you to participate in *Laudato Si'* week, May 22-29!

The weeklong global event will mark the seventh anniversary of Pope Francis' landmark encyclical on creation care and unite the world's 1.3 billion Catholics to listen and respond to the cry of God's creation.

You can join in the celebration by visiting the [Laudato Si' Week website and registering](#) to follow along all the daily global events.

Laudato Si' Week programming will focus on the 7 [Laudato Si' Goals](#), presenting one of them each day and enriching the conversation with online and offline activities as well as resources for prayer, study and action. The events will lift up Catholic teaching on biodiversity, responding to the cry of the poor, divestment, education, and eco-spirituality.

Respectfully,

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