



EVANGELIZATION RESOURCES



SMALL-GROUP OR HOME STUDIES ON EVANGELIZATION

Gather friends in your home or parish and have a small group using one of these resources:

- CCO Small Group Resources (available in English, French & Spanish) - store.cco.ca/collections/faith-studies
- Discipleship Quads - steubenvilleconferences.com/discipleship-quads
- The Rescue Project - rescueproject.us/watch

ADDITIONAL READING ON EVANGELIZATION

Understand the faith better and share it with others using these resources:

- "Clear & Simple: How to Have Conversations That Lead to Conversion" by Andre Regnier
- "Jesus: The Story You Thought You Knew" by Deacon Keith Stroh
- "Rescued: The Unexpected and Extraordinary News of the Gospel" by Father John Riccardo
- "The Contagious Catholic: The Art of Practical Evangelization" by Marcel Lejeune
- "From Christendom to Apostolic Mission: Pastoral Strategies for an Apostolic Age" from University of Mary



TEACHINGS ON THE PROCLAMATION OF THE GOSPEL

Bishop Donald Hying:
youtu.be/b6A5EiSqS00

Bishop David Ricken:
youtu.be/DZsHk6Nc6hc

Archbishop Allen Vigneron:
youtu.be/CJl29-iAf-Y

Father John Riccardo:
youtube.com/watch?v=XqafKxFiktQ

Evangelical Catholic on Formed: watch.formed.org/evangelical-catholic

Steve Dawson:
hprweb.com/2022/07/the-universal-call-to-evangelization

PRAYER OF RESPONSE TO THE GOSPEL

"Today Christ is asking you the same question which he asked the Apostles: 'Who do you say that I am?' Respond to Him with generosity and courage, as befits young hearts like your own. Say to Him: 'Jesus, I know that You are the Son of God, who has given Your life for me. I want to follow You faithfully and to be led by Your word. You know me and You love me. I place my trust in You and I put my whole life into Your hands. I want You to be the power that strengthens me and the joy which never leaves me.'"

— Pope Benedict XVI, Homily for Closing Mass, World Youth Day 2011

PRACTICAL STEPS TO EVANGELIZE

- Participate in one-day evangelization training in May from St. Paul Evangelization Institute. *See below.*
- Form a street evangelization team at your parish. Contact the team at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish to help get started.
- Evangelize in your everyday life. Here are some ideas.



10 Ways to Evangelize - It's Easier than You Think:
focusequip.org/10-ways-to-evangelize-its-easier-than-you-think/



How to Evangelize:
wikiHow.com/evangelize



Catholic Evangelization - 6 Clear-Cut Strategies that Really Work:
reverentcatholicmass.com/blog/catholic-evangelization-6-clear-cut-strategies-really-work

EVANGELIZATION TRAINING

Become equipped to confidently share your faith in the Eucharistic Lord with anyone through this one-day evangelization training offered by St. Paul Evangelization Institute.

Fort Wayne

May 6, 2023 | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
St. Vincent de Paul

Granger

May 13, 2023 | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
St. Pius X Parish

QUOTES

"In virtue of their baptism, all the members of the People of God have become missionary disciples (cf. Mt 28:19). All the baptized, whatever their position in the Church or their level of instruction in the faith, are agents of evangelization, and it would be insufficient to envisage a plan of evangelization to be carried out by professionals while the rest of the faithful would simply be passive recipients. The new evangelization calls for personal involvement on the part of each of the baptized. — Pope Francis, *Evangelii Gaudium*, 120

"Since, like all the Christian faithful, lay persons are designated by God for the apostolate through baptism and confirmation, they are bound by the general obligation and possess the right as individuals, or joined in associations, to work so that the divine message of salvation is made known and accepted by all persons everywhere in the world. — Code of Canon Law, Canon 225

"Friendship with Jesus will also lead you to bear witness to the faith wherever you are, even when it meets with rejection or indifference. We cannot encounter Christ and not want to make him known to others. So do not keep Christ to yourselves! Share with others the joy of your faith.
— Pope Benedict XVI, Homily for World Youth Day, 2011



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