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A Newsletter for Pastors and Parish Volunteers / Coordinators

## Parish Newsletter – YEAR OF FAITH – Edition 1



The Holy Father has called for a *Year of Faith* in his Apostolic Letter PORTA FIDEI. Starting October 11, 2012 and continuing to November 24, 2013, he encourages the entire Church to rediscover the journey of faith so as to shed ever clearer light on the joy and renewed enthusiasm of the encounter with Christ. Porta Fidei 1

Lighthouse Catholic Media's Mission has always been to support the call of the New Evangelization by serving the Church with inspirational CDs and other materials faithful to the Magisterium to help enrich and strengthen people's relationship with Jesus Christ and understanding of their Catholic Faith. Our prayer is that you will find our vast resources and ideas very helpful as you embrace the *Year of Faith* in your parish home. **Visit our website often for updates:** 

http://www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org/yearoffaith

## How to Introduce the Year of Faith to Your Parish

Here are a few suggestions to get you started:

- ☐ Official Year of Faith header board for existing 8-CD and 16-CD displays (\$17 plus shipping)
- ☐ Official *Year of Faith* kiosk square insert for floor kiosk (\$1)
  - If your parish is fortunate to partner with the Reditus Sponsorship Program, you won't want to remove the Sponsorships to put in the *Year of Faith* insert. Rather, check your Reditus CD balance and see how it can help fund your *Year of Faith* efforts.
- ☐ Give or promote Dr. Michael Barber's New CD *The Year of Faith.* \$1.50 EACH <u>Click here</u> for details and a preview of this talk.
- ☐ Offer TWO NEW booklets for the *Year of Faith* (only \$7.95 per 5-pack)
  - o Companion to Faith-12 sections focusing on practical ideas to increase knowledge and understanding of the Catholic Faith, a good starting point to help explore and grow one's faith, 72 pages.
  - Year of Faith Prayer Book Taking the main themes of the Year of Faith (CCC as the Deposit of Faith; relationship between personal faith and Faith of the Church), this booklet contains prayers and devotions that can be used daily, 56 pages.

## Ongoing faith formation...

- Faith
- Saints
- Prayer/Devotions
- Sacraments
- Catholic Beliefs
- Church History

Offer Lighthouse CDs, books, and booklets to help inform and deepen the faith of your parishioners

## In upcoming newsletters:

**OCT 11-** ( $20^{th}$  anniversary of publication of CCC) – *CDs on Church history and Church teachings, and the YOUCAT* 

**NOV – All Saints** - Celebrate the saints with CDs and *Catholic Truth Society* booklets

**NOV, DEC** – Celebrate Mary, Advent, the Trinity, and Christmas with CDs and Consecration to Mary

**Click here** for some suggestions for the **Year of Faith** 

Contact your Account Manager for assistance in customizing the order perfect for your parish!

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