

THE BEST CATHOLIC APPS FOR YOUR IPHONE OR IPAD

Dear Friends of St. Patrick's:

As we have become more and more an "electronic" society, we also have been blessed with so many Catholic resources on the internet and even our iPhones and iPads. Below are twelve resources for your consideration often recognized as the best sites available for use. - Fr. Pete

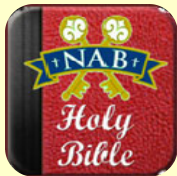


1. iPIETA (\$2.99) *In English or Spanish.* iPieta is "for all those who want to gain access to a vast library of Catholic documents, teachings, writings, prayers, and calendars. With the iPieta App, these Catholic Treasures are readily available, at home or on the go, for teaching, on the spot apologetics, and for the benefit of your own soul and those around you."

- ♣ The Douay-Rheims and Latin Vulgate Bibles
- ♣ Baltimore Catechisms #1, #2, & #3; Catechism of Christian Doctrine, the Roman Catechism
- ♣ Catechism of St. Thomas Aquinas
- ♣ Both the Ordinary (Novus Ordo) and Extraordinary (Tridentine) Calendars with access to the day's Gospel and Reading(s) from the D-R & Vulgate.
- ♣ Numerous devotions including a version of the Little Office of Our Lady, the 33-Day Total Consecration Preparation, Novenas to the Holy Spirit and to the Divine Mercy, St. Alphonsus Stations of the Cross, and the St. Bridget 1-Year and 12-Year Prayers.
- ♣ Spiritual writings by St. Louis Marie de Montfort, St. Teresa of Jesus, St. John of the Cross, St. Catherine of Siena, the Summa Theologica by St. Thomas Aquinas, the Imitation of Christ, Introduction to Devout Life by St. Francis de Sales, selections by St. Jean-Marie Vianney, and the Treatise on Purgatory by St. Catherine of Genoa. The Summa (apart from the Supplement) is also in Latin.
- ♣ Papal Encyclicals
- ♣ Ecumenical Council Documents
- ♣ Scriptural passages for meditating on the mysteries of the Holy Rosary
 - ♣ Examination of Conscience
 - ♣ Saint Notes (incomplete and in progress)



2. iBREVARIARY (\$0.99) iBreviary transforms your iPhone and iPod touch into a complete Breviary in five languages (Italian, French, Spanish, English & Latin), a mobile multimedia aid for all Catholics and an aid to hearing and reading the words of the Holy Father daily and on which you can read the official documents of the Catholic Church.



3. THE NAB BIBLE (Free). This iPhone/iPad app has been approved by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). This app does not require an internet connection to read the bible. The entire bible will be on your device after you download the app. This is the version of the bible read at Catholic Mass and includes the readings of the day.



4. LAUDATE (Free). The most popular and most comprehensive free Catholic App. Daily Mass Readings (with Saint of the Day and Reflections). Liturgy of Hours, New American Bible, interactive Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Seven Sorrows Rosary, Chaplet of St. Michael, Franciscan Crown Rosary, Latin Rosary, Stations of the Cross, searchable prayers and Latin prayers with English translation. Douay-Rheims Bible for offline use. Multiple podcasts for daily meditations and Rosary. Catechism of Catholic Church with ability to bookmark and share. My Prayers lets you store your own prayers and move them

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5. CATHOLIC ENCYCLOPEDIA (\$9.99) The Catholicpedia App makes The Catholic Encyclopedia available on iPhone, iPad and iPod Touch through an easy-to-use interface. Over 11,000 articles have been categorized by letter and related by tags.



6. ANSWERS 4 CATHOLICS (\$1.99) Use this application to quickly access a Biblical verse or subject when someone questions the reason you believe in a certain Catholic Doctrine, Discipline or World View. If you are not familiar with the subject or feel comfortable speaking to it – play the short video or even sit down and play the longer audio for the person asking you a question about your faith.



7. 2000+ CATHOLIC PRAYERS (\$2.99) 2000+ Presented in English, Latin, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, German and French, this easy-to-use, multi-language Christian Prayers database is the ultimate reference to Catholic Prayers for your iPhone and iPod Touch! Keep handy all of the Common Prayers listed in the Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church and many more. Browse and search Prayers by Category, Tag and Alphabetically!



8. CATHOLIC CALENDAR UNIVERSALIS (free version) The free version gives you a great liturgical calendar, the Liturgy of Hours and the Daily Mass reading. It's not as good as iBreviary because the translations are not the official ones so you can't pray the Liturgy of the Hours with others. You also have to download the Liturgy of the Hours day by day. The \$24.00 version gives you everything at Universalis as a download so that you don't need to download the prayers day by day. This would be nice if you live in an area that has little or no wi-fi.



9. MASS TIMES CHURCH DIRECTORY (free) So you're traveling and you need to get to Mass, as it is difficult to find Mass times on the web sites of local Catholic parishes (especially if you're browsing these sites on your iPhone). If you also have this problem, you need the Mass Times app. By teaming up with CatholicWeb.com and TheCatholicDirectory.com database, Mass Times helps you find the closest parish along with Mass times (and Confession times).



10. IBREVIARY (\$19.99) iBreviary transforms your iPhone and iPod touch into a complete Breviary in 5 languages (Italian - French - Spanish - English - Latin); a mobile multimedia aid for all Catholics; an aid to hearing and reading the words of the Holy Father daily and on which you can read the official documents of the Catholic Church.



11. IMISSAL (\$4.99) iMissal offers a full liturgical calendar, daily Mass readings, the Order of the Mass, Mass videos from CatholicTV.com, unique Bible verses for every day of the year (in three different Bible translations), and over eighty of the most popular Catholic prayers.



12. CONFESSION: A ROMAN CATHOLIC APP (\$1.99) The only iOS app with an imprimatur, Confession is designed to be used in the confessional with a personalized examination of conscience for each user, password protected profiles, and a step-by-step guide to the sacrament. This app invites Catholics to prayerfully prepare for

Indispensable Catholic Websites & Blogs

Source: Our Sunday Visitor

There is no shortage of Catholic websites. In fact, even if you spent all day wading through just the Catholic Internet, you still couldn't see it all. Part of that is due to the abundance of information out there, and part is due to the fact that in the last five years especially, more people, apostolates and organizations have taken the time to craft really great websites. These websites are what I consider indispensable. Whether you're looking for news or information about the Faith, trying to clarify what the Church teaches or to understand some difficult concept, these sites aren't those you bookmark, they're the ones you just know.

Catholic Online

www.catholic.org

A comprehensive site with news, links, saints, directories and Scripture, it offers an easily searchable database.

Catholic Answers

www.catholic.com

One of the largest Catholic lay apologetics site, it also offers links to the original Catholic encyclopedia and This Rock magazine archives.

American Catholic

www.americancatholic.org

The homepage of the Franciscan magazine, St. Anthony Messenger, this site offers a sampler from e-cards to movie reviews to saint of the day.

The Catholic Encyclopedia

www.newadvent.org/cathen

This includes online text of the original 15 volumes of history, teaching and general information from the 1917 Catholic Encyclopedia. It's excellent for historical research, but does not reflect modern thought or teaching.

The Vatican

vatican.va

You'll find enough here to keep you busy for hours on end.

On the home page is a handy way to find all the recent writings, activity and news relating to Pope Francis. You can check out photos and follow his current and upcoming activities. Do a bit more clicking and you can find just about any encyclical, papal writing or Church document you could want to read. The site's been overhauled recently, and while it's not perfect, it's better than it was - and there's no denying the usefulness and opportunity that's here!

EWTN Global Catholic Network

ewtn.com

Yes, there's the media linkage you'd expect to the TV and radio programming and the tireless news work they conduct. But there also are subsites on faith that could take you the rest of the year to plumb, including devotions, a document library and a dozen mini-sites that are beautiful, educational and awesome. They also have a subsite dedicated to kids, with games, prayers and TV programs.

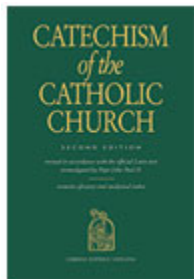


New Advent

newadvent.org

This isn't an optional site for me. It's a bit of everything: the Catholic Encyclopedia, St. Thomas Aquinas's *Summa Theologica* in its complete text, writings of the Fathers of the Church, the Bible, a library of Church documents that still makes us swoon, and my favorite part, if I'm honest: content curation.

Kevin Knight, founder, editor and webmaster, must read faster than I can imagine, because every day there's a collection of links from around the Internet (sometimes not just Catholic). There's no doubt that Knight's work at New Advent is having an impact in the here-and-now.



Catechism of the Catholic Church

scborromeo.org/ccc.htm

Have you ever wished you could look up a reference in the catechism or find all the places where a certain phrase was mentioned? Have you ever struggled to remember where you read something or wondered what the catechism has to say about a topic? While there are a couple of other places you can go to search the catechism, what this parish in Mississippi has put together beats them all.

You can search by a search string or phrase, by paragraph numbers or just peruse the entire book. The administrators just recently made the site mobile-friendly, so there's no need to shy away from getting all your questions answered, even when you're away from your computer.



U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops

usccb.org

Brace yourself. I always get a little dizzy on the USCCB website, in part because it reminds us of just how much there is to Catholicism. You'll find everything from news to readings for the day, beliefs and teachings to the complete Bible. In the 10 years I spent as our parish's bulletin editor, I was on this site no less than twice a week, and usually more.

Official Sites

The Holy See

www.vatican.va

All major Church documents, papal writings, the Catechism of the Catholic Church, art and even "secret" archives can be found here. The search engine is a bit cumbersome, and not all documents are available in English, but it's still the first place for all things Catholic.

U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops

www.usccb.org

The official site of the U.S. Catholic bishops includes an online Bible, the Catechism, publications, movie reviews and more.

Catholic Hierarchy

www.catholic-hierarchy.org

Current and historical information about bishops and dioceses.

Knights of Columbus

www.kofc.org

Home of the world's foremost Catholic fraternal benefit society.

OSV.com

After revamping our website last year, OSV.com has more content than ever - and we're constantly updating it with more news, opinions, spiritual reflections and much more. Here is just a sample of the things you shouldn't be missing at OSV.com:

OSV Newsweekly

<http://osv.cm/lgY62eE>

Get all the stories from the Newsweekly anywhere at any time. We make it easy to search stories by individual issues or by the topics you're interested in.

All things Pope Francis

<http://osv.cm/lieode6>

Keep track of what the pope is doing and saying at our page dedicated to the Holy Father.

Catholic Newshound

<http://osv.cm/lcpF8cO>

Updated several times a day on our website and on Twitter, our newshound sniffs out the latest in news about the Church.

[Go-To Catholic Sites](#)

You know that favorite pair of shoes you have? Well, I have a few favorite Catholic sites. They're all unfailingly true to the magisterium, and I love them each for different reasons.

Decent Films Guide

decentfilms.com

Though I like a good movie as much as the next gal, I'm not up on what's hot and what's not - or, more importantly, what's good and what's not. That's where film critic Steven Greydanus comes in. Not only is he Catholic, but he must watch movies all day long. And then he writes about them, rates them and lets you know what he thinks. It's a source I trust and a way to discover gems, too.

Word on Fire

wordonfire.org

Confession: I'm a Father Robert Barron fangirl. When I met him a few months ago, I barely restrained myself from just giving him a big fat hug. (No, really.) Part of what makes us such a fan of his is the amazing work he has done and continues to do through his Word on Fire apostolate. There are videos and podcasts and articles and more.

Star Quest Production Network (SQPN)

sqpn.com

One of the first things I did when I got my iPod seven years ago was start subscribing to almost all of the shows available through the SQPN network. There are shows for everyone, they're done professionally, and they're all free. This remains one of the best resources I know of for Catholic content.

Catholic Answers

catholic.com

When it comes to "getting the best Catholic web address," I think it's safe to say Catholic Answers won. The founders of the site haven't stopped just with a cool URL, though; they're working tirelessly to help us all know how to explain and defend our faith by teaching us to better understand it.

Catholic Culture

catholicculture.org

In addition to news and commentary, you'll find liturgical readings, links, history, resources and even reviews of Catholic websites. It's a site well-done and one worth visiting often.

[Prayers, Saints & Scripture](#)

Catholic Treasury

www.catholictreasury.info

Catholic beliefs, prayers, spiritual teaching.

Catholic Prayers

www.catholicdoors.com/prayers/

Nearly 3,000 Catholic prayers from ancient to modern times.

Novenas

www.catholicdoors.com/prayers/novena.htm

A list of 182 novenas on virtually every topic imaginable.

Ebreviary

www.ebreviary.com

Daily Liturgy of the Hours.

Universalis

www.universalis.com

Office of Readings (British website, so texts and feast days may differ somewhat from U.S. texts).

My Daily Visitor

<http://osv.com/ljLCAdI>

Daily Mass readings and reflections.

Prayer intentions

<http://osv.com/libd4e5>

Fill out an easy online form and have your requests heard.

Adoration Chapel

louisville-catholic.net/WebCameras/AdorationChapel/tabid/825/Default.aspx

A 24-hour webcam at St. Martin of Tours Church in Louisville, Ky.

Sacred Space

www.sacredspace.ie

Mass Times

www.Masstimes.org

Times and places of Masses around the world.

[Marian](#)

Come, pray the Rosary

comepraytherosary.org

Not only is this a lovely website, but it's also a complete prayer experience. You can select whether you want to pray in real time with a "worldwide rosary" or on your own. You can also share your intentions.

The Mary Page

<http://campus.udayton.edu/mary>

Home of the largest collection of materials on Mary, from the University of Dayton in Ohio.

Sodality of Our Lady

www.sodality.ie

The Internet Padre: A Roman Catholic Resource on the World Wide Web

www.internetpadre.com

Directory of links to Catholic resources.

Beliefnet

www.beliefnet.com/index/index_10023.html

Catholic area of the general religious/spirituality site.

[Right to Life/NFP](#)

Americans United for Life

www.aul.org

Pro-life information.

National Right to Life

www.nrlc.org

The ultimate goal of the National Right to Life Committee is to restore legal protection to innocent human life.

Human Life International

www.hli.org

International pro-life organization.

Couple to Couple League

www.ccli.org

Information on natural family planning.

Pure Love Club

www.pureloveclub.com

Abstinence education from Catholic Answers.

[Staying on Top of the Catholic News](#)

Finding out what's going on in the Catholic world is sometimes a little tricky if you're relying on mainstream media. Thankfully, Catholic news sources have jumped into the online world and are savvy, relevant and worth following.

News.VA

news.va

The Vatican's official news network.

Catholic News Service

www.catholicnews.com

This is compiled by the USCCB and is full of great links and information.

Rome Reports

romereports.com

Not just news to read, there's also video. You won't be bored, and you don't have to watch the video if you're more inclined to read.

Zenit

zenit.org

It's a newspaper in your Web browser, with Catholic perspectives on everything.

[Catholic Blogs You Can Trust](#)



The Deacon's Bench

patheos.com/blogs/deaconsbench

Deacon Greg Kandra is a pro, and he saves us from having to read other sites. His blogging is equal parts interesting links and insightful commentary.



Conversion Diary

conversiondiary.com

Jennifer Fulwiler writes about conversion, life with small children and, if the season's right, scorpions. Her posts are always entertaining, unfailingly penetrating and usually worth sharing at least twice.



Gospel in the Digital Age

blog.archny.org

Cardinal Timothy Dolan blogs, and he blogs well. Reading his blog makes us appreciate the image of bishops as shepherds.



Ironic Catholic

www.ironiccatholic.com

Susan Windley-Daoust has been making us laugh for years. She writes in her site description, "Think The Onion written by someone who loves the Catholic Church."

Happy Catholic

happycatholic.blogspot.com

Julie Davis has been blogging since the early days, and she's as down-to-earth now as she was then. Her blogging includes links to other sites of interest, book reviews, movie comments and art. Yes, art.

[A Bouquet of Good Faith Writing](#)

These are the sites you can get lost in - I mean, for hours. You'll get done reading one brilliant piece and notice another, then another ...



Catholic Channel at Patheos

patheos.com/catholic

There is no other one-stop-shop for Catholic blogs like what managing editor Elizabeth Scalia has put together in the Catholic Channel at Patheos. You have priests and religious sisters, moms and dads, commentators and newshounds, critics and world travelers, normal people and quirky writers. It's truly a little bit of everything, and it's a buffet of good writing.

Integrated Catholic Life

integratedcatholiclife.org

Founded by Randy Hain and Deacon Mike Bickerstaff, this is an e-magazine that focuses on integrating faith, family and work. It features timely articles, quotes from the saints, questions and answers and blogs.



Catholic Exchange

catholicexchange.com

It is enriching Catholic reading from a variety of writers, with topics that range from news and feast days to books and opinion.



Ignitum Today

ignitumtoday.com

Not a dull moment here. It bills itself as "the social network of the New Evangelization Generation." They're on fire for their faith and that makes them fun to read - period.

Catholic Lane

catholiclane.com

This may be the only place you'll find new Catholic poetry, though I haven't researched that exhaustively. It's hard to categorize how I feel about Catholic Lane: there's plenty of news and commentary, but there's also unique content from an interesting group of writers. I never get bored here.

uCatholic

ucatholic.com

It's a lot of everything, from daily readings to saints of the day to apologetics. There's a daily catechism feature, a variety of prayers and commentary.

Catholic Stand

catholicstand.com

“Take a stand,” urge the folks behind Catholic Stand. And the columns here do - without a doubt. This is reading that will make you think (and maybe squirm).

Charities

Catholic Charities

www.catholiccharitiesusa.org

Network of social service organizations in the United States.

Catholic Relief Services

www.crs.org

The official international humanitarian agency of the U.S. Catholic community.

Catholic Network of Volunteer Service

www.cnvs.org

Listing of more than 200 volunteer opportunities in the United States and overseas.

Catholic Forum

www.catholicforum.com

A forum and discussion area for Catholics.

Catholic Culture

www.catholicculture.org

Information on Catholic life sponsored by Trinity Communications.

Education

Catechetical Resources

www.catecheticalresources.com

Free resources for Catholic catechists.

Catholic Educator's Resource Center

www.catholiceducation.org/index.html

Resource library of the Church's moral and social teachings.

Favorite Resources for Catholic Homeschoolers

www.love2learn.net

Seton Home Study School

www.setonhome.org

Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities

www.accunet.org

[Apolo-What? Keep on Learning the Faith](#)

Two-thousand years of information and history about the Catholic faith - how's a person to keep up? Enter the fine folks who make teaching the rest of us their life's work. They call it apologetics, and I'm glad they do it.



Jimmy Akin

jimmyakin.com

What's not to love about Jimmy Akin? He wears a cowboy hat, has a beard and can explain the Faith in ways that even someone who's slow to accept things can understand. (I speak of myself there.) He has weekly roundups, such as The Weekly Francis, as well as a Secret Information Club, which may be the most entertaining marketing scheme I've ever seen done so well.

LifeTeen

lifeteen.com

This is aimed at a younger audience, but I think that just makes it more entertaining for the old fogies like us who follow along. If all you do is listen to the "Sunday, Sunday, Sunday" podcast or watch the "Beyond Words" video podcast, you'll see what I mean. I've grown in my faith just from taking in Mark Hart's reflections on the upcoming weekend readings. The teaching component of the content on the website is attractive and well done.

Amazing Catechists

amazingcatechists.com

Founder Lisa Mladinich has pulled together two dozen catechists who post daily on topics of interest to parents and catechists and, really, anyone who wants to know their faith.

Cardinal Newman Society

cardinalnewmansociety.org

It's all about Catholic education, from grade school to college and beyond. How do you apply Catholic principles to educational needs? Here's a site to show you how it's done.

Strange Notions

strangenotions.com

This is designed as a place of dialogue for Catholics and atheists. Have questions about Catholicism and atheism? Here you go. Well done and with conversation to boot.

Just for Fun

Greeting Cards

www.catholicgreetings.org

Free online e-cards with Catholic inspiration.

Pope Benedict Fan Club

www.popebenedictxvifanclub.com

Just what it says -- a fan club for the pope.

Catholic Doors

www.catholicdoors.com/musi2/index.htm

Midi music of favorite Catholic hymns.

Fisheaters

www.fisheaters.com/jokes.html

Clean Catholic jokes.

General Catholic sites

Catholic Way

www.catholicway.org

The only Catholic area on Christianity.com.

Catholic First

www.catholicfirst.com

Catholic Icing

catholicicing.com

Who said raising Catholic kids was boring? As someone who's decidedly craft-challenged, I appreciate Lacy Rabideau's sunny instructions and her plethora of ideas. She makes it easy to smile about sharing the Faith with my kids.

Equipping Catholic Families

equippingcatholicfamilies.com

Some people, I have decided, must not sleep, and Monica McConkey is one of them. How else do you explain the way she transforms things like egg cartons into a liturgical feast day celebration centerpiece, complete with a prayer service and a pseudo-bingo game on top? Well, OK, I'm exaggerating, but only slightly. Equipping Catholic Families shares plenty of ways to involve your whole family in actively being Catholic.



Catholic Foodie

catholicfoodie.com

You don't have to love to cook to love Jeff Young's brand of Catholic. His goal is to highlight "how food - good food - can be a sign of God's love and care for each of us and our families."

[Media](#)

Our Sunday Visitor

www.osv.com

Home of Our Sunday Visitor, with news, information and archives.

Vatican Radio

www.vaticanradio.org

Programs in 40 different languages from 61 different countries.

Zenit -- The World Seen from Rome

www.zenit.org

International news agency focusing on the Vatican and the Church.

Catholic World News

www.cwnews.com

Global news coverage with Catholic emphasis.

Catholic News Service

www.catholicnews.com

The oldest and largest news service specializing in reporting on religion.

EWTN Global Catholic Network

www.ewtn.com

Site of the Eternal Word Television Network with TV, radio and library resources.

Catholic Exchange

www.catholicexchange.com

News, comments, reviews, movies, blogs from well-known authors.

U.S. Catholic

www.uscatholic.org

General interest magazine for American Catholics.

Busted Halo

www.bustedhalo.com

Online magazine for spiritual seekers in their 20s and 30s from the Paulists.

Godspy

www.godspy.com

Online magazine covering politics, science, economy and the arts.

Ignatius Press

www.ignatius.com

Research

Papal Encyclicals

www.papalencyclicals.net

An extensive collection of papal encyclicals and other papal documents from the current pope back to Pope Honorius (1226).

Biblia Clerus

www.clerus.org/bibliaclerus/index_eng.html

Sacred Scripture, its interpretation in light of Sacred Tradition and the teachings of the magisterium, with appropriate theological commentary and exegesis.

Catholic Liturgical Library

www.catholicliturgy.com

All things related to the Latin rite of the liturgy.

Code of Canon Law

www.intratext.com/X/ENG0017.htm

Entire code of canon law online.

CatholicHistory.net

www.catholichistory.net

History of Catholicism in the United States.

Catholic Biblical Association of America

cba.cua.edu

Association for scholarly study in Scripture.
Saints and places

Catholic Shrines

www.catholicshrines.net

List of all Catholic shrines in the United States.

Divine Mercy

www.divinemercysunday.com/index.htm

Information about the devotion to Divine Mercy.

Lourdes

www.lourdes-france.org/index.php?goto_centre=ru&contexte=en&id=405

Official site of the shrine at Lourdes, with online prayer requests.

Index of Patron Saints

saints.sqpn.com/indexsnt.htm

Ideal for confirmation names.

Hagiographies

www.catholic.org/saints/stindex.php

Biographies of many of the saints of the Catholic Church.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patronness of the Americas

www.sancta.org

Extensive information on Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico City.

Virtual Holy Land Tour

www.md.huji.ac.il/vjt/sub2.html

Visit the Holy Land from your computer.

Online Guide to Saint Benedict of Nursia

www.e-benedictine.com

The life of St. Benedict and instruction on Benedictine theology and modern monasticism.
Scripture

Scripture Catholic

www.scripturecatholic.com

Two thousand Scripture citations from the Old and New Testaments defend the Church's teachings.

New American Bible

www.usccb.org/nab/bible/index.htm

New American Bible online with search engine.

St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology

www.salvationhistory.com/home.cfm

Resources for Bible study from Scott Hahn.

Social Media

Facebook: [facebook.com/OurSundayVisitor](https://www.facebook.com/OurSundayVisitor)

Twitter: twitter.com/OSV

Pinterest: [pinterest.com/osv](https://www.pinterest.com/osv)

Tumblr: <http://osvnews.tumblr.com>

YouTube: [youtube.com/oursundayvisitor](https://www.youtube.com/oursundayvisitor)

Shopping

The Catholic Company

www.catholiccompany.com

Books, gifts and statues that are uniquely Catholic.

Sacred Silks

www.sacredsilks.com

Art inspired by the sacred places of the world.

Stella Maris Books

www.stellamariscatholicbooks.com

Books, gifts, hard-to-find liturgical items, statues.

Restored Traditions

www.restoredtraditions.com/

Famous religious art work from great Catholic artists over the centuries.

[Spiritual Resources & Information for Catholic Caregivers.](#)

Courage

www.CourageRC.org

For men and women who wish to live chaste lives in accordance with the Church's teaching on homosexuality. There is a link to Encourage, a ministry for parents and siblings of people with same-sex attraction.

Mirror of Justice

www.mirrorofjustice.net

Blog dedicated to Catholic legal theory.

Canon Law

www.canonlaw.info

Dr. Edward Peters' canon law resources.

Catholic Match

www.catholicmatch.com

Catholic singles and dating site.

Catholics in the Military

www.catholicmil.org

[Articles on Faith & Family Life with a Catholic Emphasis](#)

Catholics Come Home

catholicscomehome.org

Ministry for fallen-away Catholics who wish to return to the Church.

Catholic Mom

catholicmom.com

Founded by popular speaker and writer Lisa Hendey, the site is almost a portal of things Catholic. There are daily features such as Daily Gospel Reflections, Tech Talk and Book Notes. Each Sunday, there are new Gospel activities. Each week there's a giveaway of great Catholic resources. There are book club discussions and posts, a weekly Small Success link-up for moms to encourage one another and at least a half-dozen new columns a day from various contributors.

Catholic Dads

catholicdadsonline.com

"Catholic moms rock when it comes to building community. We men ... not so good." And according to their "about" page, that's what Catholic Dads is out to do. The topics range from masculinity to finances and include reviews, family life and culture concerns.

Dads.org

www.dads.org

Site of St. Joseph's Covenant Keepers, a site for husbands and dads.

Family Life Center International

www.familylifecenter.net

Your Aging Parent

www.YourAgingParent.com

Catholic Youth Networking

www.catholicyouth.freeservers.com

Networking site for Catholic youth.

Café Theology

cafetheology.org

Faith-sharing website for young Catholic adults.

Catholic Jobs

www.catholicjobs.com

Job listings in Catholic organizations.

Cantemusdomino

www.cantemusdomino.net

Resource for sacred liturgical music.

Association of Hebrew Catholics

hebrewcatholic.org

Designed to preserve the identity and heritage of Catholics of Jewish origin within the Church.

Finance

Veritas Financial Ministers

www.veritasfinancialministries.com

Financial advice from a faithful Catholic perspective.

Spirituality

[Blogging](#)

Editor's Notebook

<http://osv.cm/Rj7YUj>

Every weekday, OSV Newsweekly editor Gretchen R. Crowe keeps readers up-to-date about what's going on in the Church, as well as other hot topics.

Confessions of a Catholic Dad

<http://osv.cm/lvTgc6b>

OSV Newsweekly associate editor Scott Warden gives you a laugh-out-loud look into the busy life of a Catholic husband and father.

AmericanPapist

americanpapist.com/blog.html

Canterbury Tales

cantuar.blogspot.com

Cardinal Seán's Blog

cardinalseansblog.org

Catholic and Enjoying It!

markshea.blogspot.com

Catholic Dads

catholic-dads.blogspot.com

Charlotte was Both

amywelborn.wordpress.com

Cottage Blessings

alice.typepad.com

Creative Minority Report

creativeminorityreport.com

Danielle Bean

daniellebean.com

Domine, da mihi hanc aquam!

hancaquam.blogspot.com

"Et tu?"

conversiondiary.com

Happy Catholic
happycatholic.blogspot.com

JimmyAkin.Org
jimmyakin.typepad.com/defensor_fidei/

Moniales OP
monialesop.blogspot.com

The Anchoress
theanchoressonline.com
The New Liturgical Movement
thenewliturgicalmovement.blogspot.com

The Shrine of the Holy Whapping
holywhapping.blogspot.com

What Does the Prayer Really Say?
wdtprs.com/blog

Whispers in the Loggia
whispersintheloggia.blogspot.com

The Star Quest Production Network
sqpn.com

According to its mission statement, SQPN (Star Quest Production Network) is a multimedia organization specializing in the production of audio and video programs faithful to the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church. The video and audio productions are in various languages to reach an international audience and cover topics ranging from Q and As about the faith to the pope and even to Catholic humor.

Disciples with Microphones
www.discipleswithmicrophones.org/

Disciples with Microphones features more than 50 podcasts from well-known Catholics, including Cardinal Francis Arinze, Father Stan Fortuna and Michael Barone.

Catholic Podcasts
catholicpodcasts.info/

This site lists resources and various podcasts from parishes and individuals.

Daily Mass Readings
www.usccb.org/nab/nabpodcast.shtml

The American bishops offer a daily podcast of Mass readings as well as other podcasts that are both informative and spiritually uplifting.

Youtube
www.youtube.com

Daily Gospel

www.dailygospel.org/www/presentation2.php?language=AM

The daily readings, Psalm and saint of the day in a free, personalized e-mail.

Vatican Information Service

mlists.vatican.va/mailman/listinfo/visnews_en

The daily newsletter from the Holy See Press Office is available through free subscription. You can choose from several languages.

Zenit

www.zenit.org/600?l=english

Daily news from the international news agency Zenit can be received via e-mail subscription. It's Greek, or Latin, or something to me

Internet Vocabulary

Blog:	A web log or journal that is available online.
Blogcast:	A combination blog and podcast.
Cyber:	A prefix used to describe something high-tech.
E-mail:	Electronic mail.
Favorites:	A way in browsers to store links to websites you want to return to. Also known as Favorites.
IM:	Short for instant messaging (see above)
Http:	Hypertext Transfer Protocol is a communications protocol for the transfer of information on the intranet and the World Wide Web.
Internet or Net:	worldwide, publicly accessible series of interconnected computer networks.
Podcast:	Digital media files which are distributed over the Internet using syndication feeds for playback on portable media players and computers. Podcast can mean either the content itself or to the method by which it is syndicated (which is also called podcasting). The host or author of a podcast is often called a podcaster.
RSS:	Short for "real simple syndication," it is a format for storing online information in a way that makes that information readable by lots of different kinds of software.
RSS newsreader:	This gathers news from multiple blogs or websites via RSS, allowing readers to access all their news from a single web site or program.
Social networking:	Websites that help people connect with friends or discover new friends or colleagues by illuminating shared interests, related skills or a common geographic location. Examples include Facebook and Linked In.
Streaming Media:	multimedia received over a telecommunications network such as a television or computer feed as opposed to non-streaming media, such as books or audio cassettes.
Web:	a system of interlinked documents and pages accessed via the Internet.
Web 2.0:	Term for advanced Internet technology and applications such as RSS and wikis that encourage greater interaction and collaboration among users.
Wiki:	A type of website that allows users to add, remove or edit content. Wikipedia is the most famous example. "Wiki" means quick in Hawaiian.