



COVID-19/coronavirus Communication to Clergy & Administrators

Operations**• PPP UPDATES FROM CLA:**

- This latest video from CliftonLarsonAllen gives Agribusiness Insights and PPP/EIDL Updates. [Click here and go to minute 18](#) for applicable insights on PPP Loans.

General Updates**• ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE OPPORTUNITIES:**

- Our apologies; some of the links in this document sent Wednesday were not working properly. Your parishioners have likely asked you how they can assist those who were hardest hit by the violence in Minneapolis and St. Paul following the death of George Floyd. Click [this link](#) to find those giving opportunities, added to the document containing ways to help those affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

• PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION DATE OPTIONS:

- The Peter's Pence collection is scheduled for the weekend of June 27 & 28, 2020. Due to the current COVID-19 impact on parishes, the Holy Father has suggested the weekend of October 3 & 4, 2020, as an alternative for the Peter's Pence Collection. Each parish can decide which date would work best for them based on their parish situation – June or October.
- As we are all dealing with the global COVID-19 pandemic, this collection is timely as it provides the Holy Father with the financial means to respond with emergency assistance to those who are suffering as a result of disease, oppression and natural disaster. Thank you for your generous support.
- If you have questions, contact Mickey Friesen, friesenm@archspm.org, or 651.291.4445.

• MASS SIGN UP – TWO SYSTEMS:

- If your parish is managing Mass capacity by having parishioners sign up, here are two programs:
 - Flocknote – If you already use this for messaging, take advantage of their new Mass sign up capabilities at no additional cost. [Watch this video](#) to get started.
 - [Book a Pew](#) – This is an inexpensive program designed for this very purpose. It could be used for other events as well, when they can resume.
- We recommend having an option to reserve a seat by phone. To track all reservations in one place, perhaps a staff member could register callers in the online system.

Ministries**• LITURGICAL GUIDES FOR SUNDAY:**

- Here are Catholic Family Guides for this Sunday's liturgy in the absence of a priest in [English](#) and [Spanish](#), written by Father Scott Carl, SSL, of St. Paul Seminary.

• HOLY KIDS! VIDEOS ON THE GOSPELS:

- The Pro Ecclesia Sancta Sisters have created videos for kids that talk about the Sunday Gospels, called [HOLY KIDS!](#) You may wish to consider sharing [their YouTube channel](#) with your parish and school families as a faith-filled message to watch at home.

• LATEST HEADLINES FROM [THE CATHOLIC SPIRIT](#):

- [How faith grows in quarantine](#)
- [Pope phones Brazilian archbishop as pandemic spreads](#)
- [Loving the Eucharist in 'Covidian' times](#)

Find COVID-19 resources for parishes and schools - including those mentioned above - at [archspm.org/covid19resources](https://www.archspm.org/covid19resources).