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# OFFICE OF ARCHBISHOP THOMAS WENSKI

#### **Priest Ordination:**

• Deacon Richard Giner will be ordained priest to the Order of the Most Holy Trinity (Trinitarians) who serve at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary-St. Richard Parish, on Saturday, Dec. 17, 2016.

## **Requiescat in Pace:**

† Fr. John Paszko, a priest of the Archdiocese of Miami who served most recently as Parochial Vicar at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, passed away on Nov. 20, 2016 at the age of 68.

<sup>†</sup> Mrs. Berta Veltman, mother of Myriam Leinweber of the Fingerprint Office of the Archdiocese of Mlami, passed away Nov. 24, 2016 in her hometown of Buenos Aires, Argentina.

<sup>†</sup> Mrs. Dot Hering, long-time employee of the Archdiocese of Miami and mother of Susan Wright (Bookkeeper of Little Flower, Hollywood Parish), passed away on Nov. 25, 2016.

# OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL

## **Priest Study Week:**

Topic: Contemporary Moral Issues Facing Today's Society.

January 22-27, 2017

St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary, 10701 South Military Trail, Boynton Beach, FL.

Each year St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary offers a study week for priests. The purpose of the Institute is to provide parish priests an attractive and illuminating program offering inspiring presentations, intellectual stimulation and time for prayerful recollection. This year's featured presenter will be Most Reverend Edward J. Burns, newly-appointed Bishop of the Diocese of Dallas, Texas.

For a complete conference schedule or to make a reservation please visit <u>www.svdp.edu</u>

## OFFICE OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

## March for Life 2017:

Registration is now open for young adults to attend the 2017 March for Life in Washington, DC. The Archdiocese of Miami pilgrimage will take place January 26-29<sup>th</sup>, and includes: airfare, 3 nights of hotel and a Metro pass at a cost of \$475.

For details on these events visit our website at <u>www.miamiarch.org/ADOMyouth</u> or call 305-762-1189.

## OFFICE OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE

## Fully Engaged Marriage Inventory Training:

Training for the official Fully Engaged Marriage Preparation Inventory for the Archdiocese of Miami, as shared at the Convocation.

Trainings for priests, mentor deacons and wives, and mentor couples by Chris Codden will be offered during the week of January 24-28, 2017. Lunch or dinner will be served in all events.

Schedule is as follow:

For priests:

Broward:

- ↓ 1/24—San Isidro from 11 a.m. 2 p.m.
- 1/24—Nativity from 6 9 p.m.

### Miami Dade:

- 1/25—St. Thomas University from 6 -9 p.m.
- 1/25—St. Augustine from 11 a.m. 2 p.m.
- ◆ 1/26—St. Richard from 11 a.m. 2 p.m.
- ↓ 1/27—Archdiocese Pastoral Center from 11 a.m. 2 p.m.

Mentor Couples / Deacons and wives:

• 1/27—Our Lady of Guadalupe from 6 – 9 p.m.

For deacons and wives, and parish mentor couples:

- ↓ 1/28—Archdiocese Pastoral Center from 9 a.m. 3 p.m.
- 1/28—FE Train the Trainers (required the FE training for couples previously) from 4 7 p.m.

You may contact Mildred Ratcliffe at (305)762-1140 or mratcliffe@theadom.org

The marriage preparation program *Transformed in Love* (counts as Pre Cana) will take place at St. Thomas University on two Saturdays, March 11 and March 18, 2017.

Registration at Archdiocese of Miami web page: <u>www.miamiarch.org/familylife</u>

#### Paper, Gold and Silver Wedding Anniversary Mass:

All couples married in the Catholic Church celebrating their Paper, Silver, Gold or 50 plus wedding anniversaries in 2017 are invited to attend Mass at St. Mary Cathedral on Saturday, Feb. 11, and to receive a blessing from Archbishop Thomas Wenski.

Couples interested in having their picture taken with Archbishop Wenski should arrive by 4 p.m. with Mass starting at 5:30 p.m.

(Announcement continues in the next page)

# OFFICE OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE (CONTINUES)

Participants will sit in a special designated area in the front pews.

For registration contact your local parish.

Year	Tradition
1 st	Paper
25th	Silver
50th	Gold

## **COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE**

#### Request for media coverage:

Interested in media coverage of events at your parish/school? Starting January, 2017, the Communications Office of the Archdiocese of Miami will require those interested in submitting events for media coverage to fill out the Media Coverage Form found at <u>www.miamiarch.org/Communications</u>

Media Coverage forms can be emailed to either Mary Ross Agosta, Director of Communications, at mragosta@theadom.org or Juan A. Di Prado, Media Coordinator, at jdiprado@theadom.org.