



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

Real Presence

Quarterly News & Updates from the Diocese of Buffalo
June 2022

What is the National Eucharistic Revival?

Our world is hurting. We all need healing, yet many of us are separated from the very source of our strength. Jesus Christ invites us to return to the source and summit of our faith—his Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist.

Scandal, division, disease, doubt. The Church has withstood each of these throughout our very human history. But today we confront all of them, all at once. Our response in this moment is pivotal.

In the midst of these roaring waves, Jesus is present, reminding us that he is more powerful than the storm. He desires to heal, renew, and unify the Church and the world.

How will he do it? By uniting us once again around the source and summit of our faith—the Holy Eucharist. The National Eucharistic Revival is the joyful, expectant, grassroots response of the entire Catholic Church in the U.S. to this divine invitation.

What's Next? How do I involve myself?

The National Eucharistic Revival is an invitation over the next three years to culminate with Pentecost 2025, with some milestones along the way. To assist your participation in this journey, the Office of Worship and the Renewal Team will be providing updates on a quarterly basis, as well as more frequently via the Diocese of Buffalo's webpage, similar to our celebration of the Year of Saint Joseph. You are invited to pray, journey, and bring others to the *Real Presence* of Christ in our midst.

<https://www.buffalodiocese.org/eucharistic-revival/>

Year of Diocesan Revival June 2022 - 2023

Launching on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, or Corpus Christi, the first year invites diocesan staff, bishops, and priests to what Pope Francis has described as “a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ”—particularly the transforming power and mercy of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist.

Each Diocese will offer events that encourage the faithful to grow in their understanding and devotion to Christ in the Eucharist, complemented by online formation and resources that will raise up Eucharistic Missionaries at all levels of the Church! Please join us in prayer for the renewal and healing of the United States as we answer this historic call to revival.

Upcoming Events

CORPUS CHRISTI NOVENA

June 10-18, 2022 — Available in English and Spanish. Pray with your family, youth group, or Bible study! Prepare for the great feast that celebrates the greatest gift as we embark upon the National Eucharistic Revival.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSIONS

Sunday, June 19, 2022, join us for 10:30 AM Mass at Saint Joseph Cathedral for the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. After Mass, there will be a period of adoration and procession with the Blessed Sacrament, leading to benediction. Hospitality with light snacks and beverages will be available in the Msgr. Britt Social Room

Other processions are planned throughout the diocese. Share your experience with the hashtags #EucharisticRevival and #RealPresenceBuffalo

Resources are also available from the Office of Worship to help you plan a procession.

GOD IS CALLING YOU TO BE A PART OF SOMETHING NEW

Visit <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/get-involved> for more information, to give witness, or to sign up as a prayer partner!

Questions?

Email worship@buffalodiocese.org or call (716) 847-5545

Eucharistic Adoration in the Diocese of Buffalo

Most of these locations offer 24-hour or at least daily adoration.

Christ the King
Snyder

Nativity of Our Lord
Orchard Park

Saint Bernadette
Orchard Park

Saint Gregory
Williamsville

Saint John Paul II
Lakeview

Saint Michael
Buffalo

Queen of Heaven
West Seneca

