



Member Message May 18, 2020

Dear Mothers and Sisters,

The Nuncio has asked us to pass along the attached letter to all our member communities. You may find the letter [here](#).

The USCCB Committee on Clergy, Consecrated Life and Vocations assists bishops in promoting, supporting, and educating about the Church's pastoral needs and concerns for the [priesthood](#), [diaconate](#), and [consecrated life](#). The Committee is made up of a cross section of bishops, seminary rectors, permanent deacons and vocation directors. Along with the Leadership Conference of Women Religious and the Council of Major Superiors of Men, CMSWR is invited as an observer to the Committee's annual meeting in November. In preparation for this year's meeting the attached document, "[On the Eucharist and the Church](#)" was sent to us with the request that we ask our members to reflect on the questions raised and offer feedback to the Committee. In sharing the questions for reflection, the Committee noted that, "We are grateful for your prayerful reflection on this topic because it gives the bishops of the Committee a privileged opportunity to hear from a wide field of the Church about the state of Eucharistic faith in our country". What will be particularly helpful is if you can offer reflections on the questions as they relate to the people you serve in your particular missions. Please send your responses to the questions to me at executivedirector@cmswr.org and I will forward them to the Committee.

As mentioned in our last Member Message, the website for the Eucharistic Congress is now live, as is the registration portal. You can find it here: <https://cmswr.org/events/eucharistic-congress/>. Additional resources and information will continue to become available as we receive it.

God bless you and your communities in this Easter season. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to assist you.

In Christ,

Sister Mary Christine, RSM
Executive Director



Vision Statement

The Council of Major Superiors of Women Religious will be a collaborative body of life-giving women religious committed to "the full flowering" of religious life in the United States by placing our collective feminine genius at the service of the Church and one another. CMSWR will be a wellspring of hope and a trusted resource for the ongoing revitalization of religious life and the New Evangelization.

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