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From: Chris Owens, Director

Re: Please add these announcements to your bulletins (English and Spanish Translation)

Date: January 13, 2020

Included are new and current announcements from the Office of Family and Faith Formation. We would greatly appreciate if you could add these announcements to your bulletins and cycle them until the event date. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Family and Faith Formation at 916-733-0177. New and updated announcements are highlighted in yellow!

Lay Ministry Formation and Parish Support

Event Title LA Congress Hospitality Dinner NEW

Date & Time Friday, February 21, 2020

Location La Casa Garcia, 531 Chapman Ave., Anaheim, CA

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If you are attending L.A. Religious Education Congress, join us at the Diocese of Sacramento Hospitality Dinner at La Casa Grande. Space is limited. Please register online at https://lacongressdinner.eventbrite.com. For questions please contact Martha Haig • mhaig@scd.org • 916-733-0131

Family & Respect Life Ministries

Event Title Life & Liberty: A Catholic Approach to Sex Ed NEW

Date & Time Location Tuesday, February 11, 2020, 1-3:30 pm
Pastoral Center, 2110 Broadway, Sacramento

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All priests, deacons, DRE/CRE's, Youth Ministers, principals, teachers, and catechists are invited to *Life & Liberty: A Catholic Approach to Sex Ed.* Join Bishop Jaime Soto and Ray Burnell from the California Catholic Conference for a workshop discussion about sexual education from a Catholic perspective.

The recent legislation, the California Healthy Youth Act (CHYA), has mandated "comprehensive sexual education" to be taught at all levels. During this workshop, we will cover exactly what the CHYA law entails, and what parish and school leaders can do to inform and empower parents, as well as provide resources on how parents can opt their child out of the public school program. Of interest to both parishes and Catholic schools alike, there will be a presentation on various Catholic sex education curricula and resources for parents, catechist, teachers and religious education programs., including the opportunity to view sample curricula and get questions answered from curricula presenters. If you are interested in attending this workshop, please RSVP at the following link before February 5th: loveandliberty.eventbrite.com