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**To:** Priests, Deacons, and Principals  
**From:** Bryan J. Visitacion, Director of Media and Communications  
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**Subject:** Implementing "Vos estis lux mundi"

Dear Fathers, Deacons, and Principals:

Last May, Pope Francis issued a "motu proprio" entitled [\*Vos estis lux mundi\*](#) (You are the Light of the World), which established new procedures for reporting abuse worldwide. As part of the implementation of this letter, the USCCB expects to launch in mid-to-late-March a third-party reporting system for misconduct by bishops.

As the launch date approaches for the reporting system, the Office of Communications will be providing resources to parishes and schools. These resources will include bulletin announcements, social media graphics, and a personal statement from Bishop Soto, among other resources in development.

Sincerely,

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