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To: **Pastors**
From: Deacon Kevin Staszkow
Re: 2026 Consecration of the United States to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Resources
Date: Monday, May 18, 2026

Bishop Soto has asked each parish to offer 250 hours of Adoration and 250 Works of Mercy during the month of June to prepare our communities for the consecration of our nation to the sacred heart of Jesus for our nation's 250th birthday. We wanted to highlight a few of the resources that you can find for your parish to use in preparing for the consecration. The resources below and many more can be found on the website at <https://www.scd.org/consecration>.

250 Hours of Adoration

- Sacred Heart Holy Hour from the Knights of Columbus
- 250 Hours of Adoration: A Catholic resource for commemorating America 250 from the USCCB

250 Works of Mercy

- The Works of Mercy, a simple guide from FOCUS
- Works of Mercy ideas from the USCCB

In July, please share what your parish did in June to prepare for the consecration by completing our Parish Reporting Form found at <https://www.scd.org/consecration>.