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## OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP

June 23, 2023

Dear Reverend Fathers, Deacons, RCIA Coordinators and RCIA Team Members,

As we look at and plan for the upcoming Catechetical Year, I am writing to make you aware of the upcoming RCIA trainings that will be given by our Archdiocesan Christian Initiation Leadership Committee.

The same training will be offered on three occasions throughout the archdiocese. Each training will include the Pre-Catechumenate, the Catechumenate and the Rites of Acceptance and Welcome. Please bring your Rite Book to the training. The trainings will be held from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. on 1) Saturday, July 29, 2023 at Queen of Heaven Parish in Albuquerque; 2) Saturday, August 12, 2023 at St. Rose of Lima Parish in Santa Rosa and 3) on Saturday, August 26, 2023 at St. Anne Parish in Santa Fe. There is no cost to attend these trainings. Lunch will be provided by the Catholic Daughters and Parishes. Limited resources will be available for purchase by cash or check only. **RSVP is required.** Please RSVP to Mrs. Melanie Mascarenas, Assistant, Office of Worship, by email at [worship.office@asfnm.org](mailto:worship.office@asfnm.org). When RSVPing please provide your name, parish, ministry role and your contact information – phone number and email. Please see the enclosed flyer for RSVP deadlines and specific details. For questions either email or call the Worship Office at 505-831-8128.

Thank you in advance for taking advance of this opportunity to attend this RCIA training and for your ministry to the people of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe. Thank you also to our Christian Initiation Leadership Committee, hosting parishes and Catholic Daughters for providing and supporting this training opportunity.

With every best wish, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads '+ John C. Wester'. The signature is written in a cursive style.

Most Reverend John C. Wester  
Archbishop of Santa Fe

Enclosure