## **Eucharistic Revival Supplement – June 2023**



#### **Eucharistic Revival News & Updates**

#### Brothers and Sisters, we are in the midst of the National Eucharistic Revival!

At their meeting last November, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops voted overwhelmingly to hold a **National Eucharistic Congress** in the summer of 2024 with two years of preparation leading up to the event and one year of mission following it.

In fact, it will be the first Eucharistic Congress in our country in **48 years!** In the words of the Bishop who is in charge of the Eucharistic Revival:

"We want to start a fire, not a program." ~Bishop Donald Cozzens

He is right! Fires need time to kindle! So...

#### Here's the Plan

**2022-2023 (Year of Diocesan Revival)** – to educate and motivate the **197 Dioceses** in the United States to participate in the National Eucharistic Revival

**2023-2024** (Year of Parish Revival) – to spread the fire to the **17,000 Catholic Parishes** across the United States in preparation for the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis (July 17-21, 2024).

National Eucharistic Pilgrimage – May and June 2024, leading up to the Eucharistic Congress.

**2024-2025** (Year of Going Out on Mission) – during which we share the gift of our Eucharistic Lord as we enter the universal Church's jubilee year in 2025.

Please make sure to visit the Bishops' Eucharistic Revival's website: (EucharisticRevival.org).

### Our New Eucharistic Revival Novena

Remember: The Eucharistic Revival begins with us!

To do our part in the Eucharistic Revival, we have prepared a beautiful *Eucharistic Revival Novena* for anyone and everyone to pray as we get ready for Corpus Christi.

The nine days leading up to the **Solemnity of Corpus Christi** – June 11<sup>th</sup> this year – are a time of preparation for one of the most significant feast days of our Church.

**The Novena begins on Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Make sure to join us by downloading the Novena at our website dedicated to promoting this special prayer: <u>https://9daysofprayer.com/</u> There is no charge for the download – we want everyone to pray!

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