



# Moderator of the Curia

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## The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington

Dear Brother in Christ,

I write today to provide you with updates and will continue to share with you information as needed.

### **Final Synod Listening Session**

Parishes in D.C. are reminded that the final synod listening session will be held this Saturday, May 14, 2022 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, SE D.C. from 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. followed by Mass at 4:30 p.m. Cardinal Gregory will be present for this listening session and will be the celebrant for Mass.

Please remind your synod delegates to RSVP for this listening session using the link [here](#).

### **A Day of Fasting and Prayer**

Archbishop Jose H. Gomez of Los Angeles, President of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) and Archbishop William E. Lori of Baltimore, Chairman of the USCCB's Committee on Pro-Life Activities invite Catholics throughout the country to join together in fasting and praying the Rosary to protect life and end abortion.

They ask that in the midst of current tensions following the leak of a draft opinion in the case of *Dobbs V. Jackson Women's Health Organization*, you and your parish join them this Friday, May 13, 2022 as we celebrate the Memorial of our Lady of Fatima, looking to the Blessed Mother for peace and comfort. To learn more about this special Rosary please see the USCCB's website linked [here](#).

### **Remind the Faithful of Information on the Website**

The archdiocesan website is updated regularly. Please see [adw.org/coronavirus](https://www.adw.org/coronavirus) for information related to the coronavirus, [adw.org/live-streamed-masses-and-](https://www.adw.org/live-streamed-masses-and-)

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[prayers/](#) for a listing of live stream Masses and prayers, and [cathstan.org](#) and [elpreg.org](#) for the *Catholic Standard* and the Spanish-language *El Pregonero* newspapers.

As always, should you have questions or need assistance from my office and the Pastoral Center, please let us know.

With gratitude for your priestly ministry, I am  
Sincerely in Christ,  
Very Reverend Daniel B. Carson  
Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia