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INFORMATION

To members of pastoral teams,
To priests, deacons, PCLs, LPAs,
To the faithful involved in their communities,
To members of religious congregations,
To the archdiocese personnel,

Brothers and Sisters, Good morning!

Following are a few brief news items:

1) Extension of the diocesan phase of the synod:

Some good news! The Holy Father has announced that dioceses now have until August 15, 2022 to provide a greater opportunity for the people of God to have an authentic experience of listening and dialogue. This allows us considerably more time to organize the great task of consultation which is involved.

- Follow our synod microsite here for updates and additions uploaded regularly: [link](#).

2) World Youth Day: November 14-21, an entire week of diocesan celebration!

At Pope Francis's request, WYD is now celebrated in the context of the Solemnity of Christ the King. In these uncertain circumstances, our courageous Youth Ministry team has boldly accepted the challenge and invites us to come together in celebration and participate in an entire week of activities.

Please read the letter of invitation from Archbishop Lépine: [link](#).

Visit our "WYD Montreal" microsite: [link](#)

Liturgical resources for celebrating WYD in parishes (at the Solemnity of Christ the King) are available here: [link](#)

3) The Diocese of Montreal's Official Newsletter

If you have not already done so, I urge all members of the pastoral staff of the Church of Montreal to subscribe to our weekly Newsletter, which is published by the Diocesan Communications Department: [link](#). In it you will find a wealth of information pertaining to the life of our Church.

I wish you all a fine month of November, and let us remember that our God is the God of the Living!

In Him,



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Auxiliary Bishop of Montreal