

Dear Pastors, Deacons, Pastoral Agents, Catechists and Catechumenate Leaders,

In a few weeks, we will enter the high season of Lent. As you well know, the first Sunday of Lent marks the beginning of the period of final, more intense preparation for the sacraments of Christian initiation. It is on this Sunday that the rite of Election and Enrollment of the Name is usually celebrated.

In our Diocese, this rite will be celebrated by Archbishop Christian Lépine on

**Sunday, March 9, 2025, at 2.30pm
at Mary Queen of the World Cathedral.**

Entrance on René Lévesque boul. West, corner of rue de la Cathédrale.

To better prepare this event, we would appreciate if you could use this link:

<https://forms.office.com/r/VMuyNbtvyu>

To register for the rite of Election your catechumens deemed suitable to receive the sacraments of Christian initiation at the next Easter Vigil and submit all the necessary information to us.

As the Rite of Election is a time of discernment, the people journeying with the catechumens are invited to consider the matter carefully and arrive at a judgement about the catechumens' suitability and readiness. In order to know what such an exercise should focus on and what to rely on to do it, resources are available [here](#).

if you have any questions, please contact: Johanne Egglefield

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Thanking you in advance for your help.



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