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*"Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me."
Psalm 51*

Eucharistic Revival Movement Outlined by the Bishops of the United States

Preserving Religious Freedom for all, "in 2021 the U.S. Supreme Court granted a historic ruling (Tandon v. Newsom), ensuring the constitutional right to worship for all Americans." (1). This was yet another ruling meant to protect the foundational right to religious liberty in America and will ensure freedom for all churches to join the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' (USCCB) plans for "Eucharistic Revival."

"In a spiritual sense, 'Revival' means coming to life, an awakening as the mighty Spirit of God that brings new life to His Body the Church and to us as individuals who are part of that grand fellowship. It means a stirring of our hearts to the very core of our being - which results in joy," wrote Guidelines.org.(2)

"At every level of the three-year process, we will engage partnerships with ministries, apostolates and catechetical organizations to animate events at the local level and provide formation and resources for all ages and stages of faith," according to USCCB preliminary documents.(3)

Beginning on June 19, 2022, diocese across the country will be encouraged to hold Eucharistic events with a primary focus on providing free teaching materials on the Eucharist. The following year, in July, 2023, parishes will be encouraged to do the same. "Grassroots creativity" will be encouraged.(4)

"We want to encourage every parish to think about increasing Eucharistic adoration as part of the life of this revival," said Bishop Cozzens. "There's a strong sense among those who work with young people that the encounter (with Jesus) happens profoundly through Eucharistic adoration.(5)

(freedomrevival.org, 1/8/22(1); guidelines.org((2); angelusnews.com, 6/7/21(3); ncregister.com, 6/29/21(4)(5)

***"If my people who are called by My name will humble themselves and pray and seek My face,
and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven
and will forgive their sins and heal their land." 2 Chronicles 7:14***