

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY



Our Right to the Truth

"We have a right to the truth because, without the truth, we cannot be at peace in this life, nor reach our heavenly destiny in the life to come."

But others also have a right to the truth, and this places a heavy obligation on us to share the truth that we possess. I would go so far as to say that the most fundamental duty we have in life is to love others by giving them what others have given to us, namely, a knowledge of the truth."

Father John A. Hardon, S.J.



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World Communications Day is to be celebrated by the entire church in every parish in the world."



The Theme

The Holy Father announces the "New" theme for World Communications Day on September 29th, every year.

The Pope's Published Message

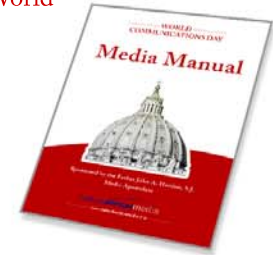
The Holy Father's World Communications Day message is published on January 24th, to allow Bishop's and Diocesan Offices sufficient time to prepare materials for public announcements.

The Day of Celebration

The entire Church is to celebrate World Communications Day on the Sunday before Pentecost.

How Can My Parish Learn More about World Communications Day?

The World Communications Day Manual is your *Guide* for World Communications Day in your Parish.



What Information is in the World Communications Day Manual?

- The Manual includes directives for pastors and the laity.
- The Manual contains the necessary information on "HOW TO" conduct a successful celebration.
- The Manual includes specific plans for each area of the media: Cinema, Internet, Press, Radio, Telephone and Television.
- The Manual contains information, handouts and resources, to be used to promote truth in the modern media.

Where Can I Access a Copy of the World Communications Day Manual?

Download The Manual Free Of Charge by visiting online <http://www.fatherhardonmedia.org/wcd.html>