WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

INTERNET MEDIA TABLE EXHIBIT

The Internet is a tremendous media tool with which to evangelize an entire world. If used properly, it is a dynamic means to disseminate information (Truth). Committee members should be familiar with the Internet and Catholic websites. This is a unique opportunity for younger members of the parish to get involved with World Communications Day.

Establish a committee of around 4 or 5 people. This committee will be responsible for gathering relevant Roman Catholic Orthodox Internet material. For the exhibit, the committee should have a laptop computer, Palm Pilot, and Blackberry with Internet access to the Father John A. Hardon, S.J. Media Apostolate Catholic website.

www.fatherhardonmedia.org/wcd.html

SHARED DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEE:

1. Explain Search Engines and their functions to gather Catholic information i.e.
   - Parishes – not all parishes have websites
   - Mass schedules nationwide
   - Eucharistic Adoration sites
   - Apologetics
   - Religious Vocations
   - Catholic Home Schooling
   - Lay Orders
   - Catholic Book Stores
   - Indulgences/Plenary
   - Bible study
2. **Catholic Web Sites**

- Provide list of web sites for handout, i.e.
  1. [www.vatican.com](http://www.vatican.com) / [www.vatican.va/phome_en.htm](http://www.vatican.va/phome_en.htm) – The Vatican Website
  2. [www.intermirifica.org](http://www.intermirifica.org) – Catholic means of social communication
  3. [www.therealpresence.org](http://www.therealpresence.org) – The Real Presence Association
  4. [www.zenit.org](http://www.zenit.org) – News agency, the world seen from Rome
  5. [www.fatherhardonmedia.org](http://www.fatherhardonmedia.org) – Father Hardon Media Apostolate
  7. [www.childrenofhope.org](http://www.childrenofhope.org) – Faith based educational web for children
  8. [www.web2.airmail.net](http://www.web2.airmail.net) – God’s Yellow Pages (Great Bible site)
  10. [www.christiancadre.org](http://www.christiancadre.org) – Great List of Catholic Sites
  11. [www.MYNABYOO.com](http://www.MYNABYOO.com) – Porn Blocker for Children

**SET-UP TABLE:**

1. Skirt on table (see diagram for set-up)

2. Several clear plastic 8 x 10 frames for information display Signs
   - WCD Internet Table
   - Help Yourself for handout material
   - Pictures of electronic communicators (Mother Angelica, Pope John Paul II, Pope Benedict XVI, Bishop Fulton Sheen, Father John A. Hardon, S.J.)
   - Printout of list of Catholic web sites
   - Freebees – magnets from EWTN, calendars of program schedules, Holy Cards with message from WCD, sponsorship cards
   - Live plant/flower arrangement or dish of candy
   - List of rules for Internet courtesy
   - Complete list of Catholic material on-line
   - How to email to register complains or compliment to a web site
   - Internet porno-blockers for children

3. Laptop computer, printer, chair and printer paper

4. Committee to Budget for the table
BUDGET FOR INTERNET TABLE:

- Table skirt
- Clear plastic frames
- Computer Paper
- Flowers/candy
- Magnets/holy cards/brochures/schedules/programs
- Printed hand outs

RESOURCES FOR FREE CATALOGS

1. Eternal Life
   902 W. Stephen Foster Avenue
   Bardstown, KY  40004
   1-800.842.2871
   www.lifeeternal.org

2. Ignatius Press
   P.O. Box 1339
   Ft. Collins, CO  80522
   1-800.651-1531
   www.ignatius.com

3. All Things Family (Educational/Entertainment Values)
   P.O. Box 30204
   Salt Lake, Utah 84130-0204
   1-800.326.4590
   www.allthingsfamily.com

4. Presentation Ministries, Inc.
   3230 McHenry
   Cincinnati, OH  45211
   1-513.662.5378
   www.presentationministries.com

   Email for publications & tapes:
   pubsandtapes@presentationministries.com


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6. Pauline Books and Media
50 Saint Paul Avenue
Boston, MA 02130-3491
1-800.836.9723
www.pauline.org

7. Our Sunday Visitor
200 Noll Plaza
Huntington, IN 46750
1-800.348.2440
www.osv.com

8. St. Joseph Communications
1-800.526.2151
www.saintjoe.com

9. Marians of the Immaculate Conception (Divine Mercy)
   Eden Hill
   Stockbridge, MA 01263
   1-800.462.7426
   www.thedivinemercy.org

10. Catholic Parish Websites (when available)
    **Important Information i.e., Mass schedule, Reconciliation, Adoration, etc.

11. Excellent Book: Catholics On The Internet by Brother John Raymond

12. Your Catholic Book Stores – Promote and support your Catholic Book Stores