

# A Family of Believers: Called and Sent by Jesus

## Content Overview—*What, Where and When*

Journey with us and learn with us this year as we reimagine what faith formation can be for the domestic church. We have adapted our parish's family/intergenerational faith formation model to be completely virtual for this year. We invite you to use these resources to interact with your parish in a way that will best serve your members...or simply draw from our approach as you develop yours.

Items listed in **blue** are designed to be easily used “as is” or modify as desired. Those listed in **orange** will work better if you adapt them for your own community (although they are available, as well). Go to [www.virtualfamilyofbelievers.weebly.com](http://www.virtualfamilyofbelievers.weebly.com) and click on the menu tab (left) to find monthly content.

We hope to have content uploaded the first day of the *prior* month. However, we may fall short of this goal at times, especially as things start up. So check the site frequently for new content. (Faith Formation LIVE recording will be uploaded to [ssjohnpaulfaithformation.org](http://ssjohnpaulfaithformation.org) after the session.)

### Monthly Menu

#### Main Course

Faith Formation LIVE — script and PowerPoint for each session; click on each month's menu

Adult Faith Formation LIVE — click on menu for month to find under “videos”

Sunday Gospel Reflections — click on menu for month to find under “videos”

Parish Connection — click on menu for month to find under Kitchen Table Faith

#### Side Dishes

Exploring the New Testament — click on menu for month to find under “videos”

Household of Believers — click on menu for month to find ideas for each category listed below under Kitchen Table Faith

- w/ Children
- w/ Teens
- Confirmation Connection
- Adults/Family Connection

#### Desserts

Click on menu for month to find ideas for each category listed below under Kitchen Table Faith

Saint of the Month

Our Catholic Traditions

Liturgical Year Connections

Faith in Action

For Fun

### What is provided for direct use or adaptation ?

These pieces will be added to the Virtual Family of Believers website for each month. You choose the elements you want to use in your Faith Formation program.

- Monthly Playlist
  - Access to online resources
  - Printable version available for download
- Our script, PowerPoint and some pre-recorded elements for Sunday/Wednesday LIVE sessions
- Adult Faith Formation Component (different national speaker on video)
- Pastor setting the context (video)
- Sunday Gospel Reflections (Tom Quinlan video)

### What is encouraged for local development?

These are the pieces your parish might want to adapt to fit your parish and pastoral dynamics.

- A LIVE interaction with households (possibly using our script, PowerPoint, and pre-recorded elements as a guide, incorporating your own people, parish updates, announcements, etc.)
- Post the “playlist” on your website or distribute the printed “newsletter,” or curate a playlist of your own
- Integrate with your means of sacramental formation
- Integrate with your youth ministry programs
- Parish Connection—use our ideas, but facilitate the interaction with your parish, or use your own ideas
- Faith in Action—you may decide to use our service learning idea, but you may decide something better fits your parish