



Focus on Religious Freedom

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"The liberty enjoyed by the people of these states of worshipping Almighty God agreeably to their conscience, is not only among the choicest of their blessings, but also of their rights."

-George Washington

July 17 to 21 Eucharistic Congress, Indianapolis, IN Five Days of Inspiration, Guidance, Adoration and Spiritual Revival

Followed by:

The culmination of the three year Eucharistic Revival - The Year of Mission.

Per Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Bishop of Crookston and Chairman of the National Eucharistic Revival we are reminded of the mission of the Eucharistic Revival, "to form Catholics to live out their Eucharistic encounters with Jesus and send them as credible witnesses to the joy of the Gospel; to encourage centers of mission (parishes, dioceses, religious communities, apostolates, etc.) to continue providing opportunities for encounter that lead to a deeper Eucharistic identity and sustain a Eucharistic life."

The vision for this Eucharistic Revival being, "To raise up a company of Catholics from across the country who have been healed, converted, formed, unified and sent out on Eucharistic mission for the life of the world."

Read more and download the Year of Mission Playbook: July 2024-June, 2025

<https://tinyurl.com/4y5bhvc9>

The United States' freedom of religion, much broader than a mere freedom to worship within the four walls of our churches, protects our rights to participate fully in all the events of the Eucharistic Processions and Eucharistic Congress. It also protects our rights to continue in the Eucharistic Mission to publicly reflect our beliefs in our own lives and to evangelize openly in word and deed inviting others to enter into the fullness of a deep Eucharistic life.

"It cannot be emphasized too strongly or too often that this great nation was founded, not by religionists, but by Christians; not on religions, but on the gospel of Jesus Christ. For this very reason peoples of other faiths have been afforded asylum, prosperity, and freedom of worship here."

Patrick Henry - Ratifier of the U.S. Constitution