Catholic Websites

- 1. <u>Ascension</u> (ascensionpress.com). Well-known organization whose "mission is to present the truth and beauty of the Catholic Faith as the path to a fulfilled life and authentic happiness."
- 2. Courage (couragerc.org). Website of Courage and EnCourage International, a Church-approved apostolate that offers support for those who experience same-sex attractions and their loved ones.
- 3. Formed · The Catholic Faith. On demand. FORMED is a subscription service—free to all St. Thomas parishioners courtesy of Fr. Ray—offering access to thousands of studies, films, audios, and ebooks. Discover great digital media from over 40 of the best Catholic content producers including the Augustine Institute, Catholic Answers, EWTN, FOCUS, Ignatius Press, Knights of Columbus, Marian Press, Sophia Press, St. Paul Center, USCCB, and many more.
- 4. <u>Institute of Catholic Culture</u> Catholic Adult Education. The Institute of Catholic Culture is an adult catechetical organization, faithful to the Magisterium of the Catholic Church, dedicated to the Church's call for a new evangelization, and all its offerings are 100% free. The Institute seeks to fulfill its mission by offering educational programs structured upon the classical liberal arts and by offering opportunities in which authentic Catholic culture is experienced and lived.
- 5. <u>Knoxville Latin Mass Community (knoxlatinmass.net)</u>. Knoxville Extraordinary Form (EF) of the Mass community website.
- 6. Magis Center | Science, Reason, and Faith. The Magis Center's mission's to restore, reconstruct, and revitalize belief in God, the transcendent dignity of every human person, the significance of virtue, the higher levels of happiness, love, and freedom, and the real presence of Jesus Christ. Under "Resources," please click on "Credible Catholic" for free, educational resources, which is also available in Spanish. Fr. Robert Spitzer, SJ, Ph.D., is the president and co-founder of Magis and former President of Gonzaga University, and has a weekly show on EWTN, "Father Spitzer's Universe."
- 7. <u>MassTimes Find Catholic worship times for Mass, Confession, Adoration and Holy Days</u>. Find churches and worship times worldwide; 117,000 churches in 201 countries/territories.
- 8. The National Catholic Bioethics Center (ncbcenter.org). Promotes and safeguards the dignity of the human person in health care, e.g., end-of-life issues, and the life sciences. The Center is unique among bioethics organizations in that its message derives from the official teaching of the

- Catholic Church. The website has a link to an end-of-life guide, which covers a *Catholic* version of an Advance Medical Directive and of a Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care (or Health Care Proxy).
- 9. Steubenville Conferences | Steubenville Conferences. "Most people would say that their relationship with God is not where they would like it to be, but many also feel unsure of how to change it. The Steubenville Conferences offer six unique conference experiences to help people escape the spiritual desert and empower them to live every day as joyful disciples of Jesus Christ. For over 40 years, the Steubenville Conferences, an outreach of Franciscan University of Steubenville, have been helping people develop the relationship with God that they desire."
- 10. A Biblical Case for the Catholic Faith (angelfire.com). A compendium of articles demonstrating the apostolicity of the Catholic Church.
- 11. <u>Augustine Institute</u> | Catholic Educational Apostolate & Theology Graduate School. Another well-known organization that offers graduate classes, video productions, short courses, study programs, books, talks, and multimedia resources to help men and women to understand the Catholic Faith—and to live and share that faith with those whom the culture has abandoned to despair.
- 12. <u>Brant Pitre</u>. Dr. Brant Pitre's website. Dr. Pitre's a Distinguished Research Professor of Scripture at The Augustine Institute and received his Ph.D. in New Testament and ancient Judaism from the University of Notre Dame, Indiana. Since then, he has spent his time teaching, writing, and giving lectures on the Bible and on the Jewish roots of Christianity. A must-visit website that includes free excerpts and outlines of his works.
- 13. <u>Called to Communion</u> Catholic and Reformed Dialogue. "Are you 'Called to Communion?' In this LIVE call-in show, Dr. David Anders talks clearly with non-Catholics about the faith. We ask the question 'What would it take for YOU to become a Catholic?'" Airs on EWTN radio weekdays at 2 and 11 p.m. ET and on Sundays at 2 p.m. ET.
- 14. <u>Catholic-Hierarchy</u>: Its Bishops and Dioceses, Current and Past. The Hierarchy of the Catholic Church Current and historical information about its bishops and dioceses.
- 15. <u>Catholic Answers</u>. Website of Catholic Answers, "an apostolate dedicated to serving Christ by bringing the fullness of Catholic truth to the world. We help good Catholics become better Catholics, bring former Catholics 'home,' and lead non-Catholics into the fullness of the faith."
- 16. <u>Home (catholicbible101.com)</u>. Website that answers the question "Where is that in the Bible?"

- 17. Catholic News, Commentary, Information, Resources, and the Liturgical Year | Catholic Culture. Catholic laymen who seek to enrich faith, strengthen the Church, and form Catholic culture according to the mind of the Church. Catholic Culture also includes reviews of selected websites.
- 18. <u>CatholiCity.com The Catholic Church Simplified</u>. Catholic CDs, booklets, novels, and much more.
- 19. Catholic League News and defending the Catholic Church. Website of The Catholic League, the nation's largest Catholic civil rights organization, which defends the right of Catholics to participate in American public life without defamation or discrimination, works to safeguard the religious freedom rights and free speech rights of Catholics whenever and wherever they are threatened, is listed in the Official Catholic Directory, and has won the plaudits of many bishops.
- 20. <u>Catholics Come Home | Welcome Home</u>. Geared to not only fallen-away Catholics as well as non-Catholics, but also to Mass-attending Catholics.
- 21. Home Catholic Vote org. Current events.
- 22. <u>Catholic Witnesses (cc2w.org)</u>. Catholics Called *to W*itness. Inspires Catholics to live the faith.
- 23. ChurchPOP | Make holy all the things! Part of EWTN. Culture brand that's fun, informative, and inspirational; available on daily emails, Facebook, Gab, Instagram, RSS feed, Signal, Telegram, Twitter, WhatsApp Group 1, and WhatsApp Group 2; and in English, Spanish, Portuguese, and Italian.
- 24. Diocese of Knoxville Knoxville, TN (dioknox.org). Our diocesan website.
- 25. <u>Eden Invitation</u> | Catholic | LGBTQ+ Disciples | United States. Similar to Courage International, "Eden Invitation is rooted in the belief in everything contained in the word of God, whether written or handed down in Tradition, which the Church, either by solemn judgment or by the ordinary and universal Magisterium sets forth to be believed as divinely revealed. We firmly accept and hold each and everything definitively proposed by the Catholic Church regarding teaching on faith and morals."
- 26. EWTN Global Catholic Television Network: Catholic News, TV, Radio | EWTN. EWTN (Eternal Word Television Network)'s website.
- 27. <u>Ignatius Press</u>. Solid Catholic publishing organization; you can't go wrong buying anything from them.
- 28. <u>CATHOLIC ENCYCLOPEDIA: Prothonotary Apostolic (newadvent.org)</u>. Catholic encyclopedia. Gives its readers full and authoritative information on the entire cycle of Catholic interests, action, and doctrine. Website also includes links to the Church Fathers, Summa, and more.

- 29. <u>Patrick Madrid</u>. Well-known Catholic apologist, speaker, and author. Edited and co-authored the multivolume *Surprised by Truth* series, a collection of stories of converts to Catholicism.
- 30. <u>Red Bird Ministries</u>. Red Bird Ministries' mission is to serve those who are suffering from loss of a child.
- 31. Welcome to the Roman Theological Forum (rtforum.org). An association of scholars working with other interested persons for the advancement of theology and philosophy within the tradition of the Catholic Church and from a Thomist point of view.
- 32. <u>Catholic Bible Verses Quotes, Quotations & Sayings 2023</u> (searchquotes.com). Catholic Bible quotes.
- 33. <u>St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church (sthomaslc.com)</u>. Our own St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church website.
- 34. <u>Strange Notions</u>. "StrangeNotions.com is the central place of dialogue between Catholics and atheists. It's built around three things: reason, faith, and dialogue. You'll find articles, videos, and rich comment box discussion concerning life's Big Questions. The site was created by **Brandon Vogt** (brandon@brandonvogt.com) and operates under the aegis of *Word on Fire*."
- 35. Thomistic Institute. The Thomistic Institute (TI) "exists to promote Catholic truth in our contemporary world by strengthening the intellectual formation of Christians at universities, in the Church, and in the wider public square. The thought of St. Thomas Aquinas, the Universal Doctor of the Church, is our touchstone. The TI is an academic institute of the **Pontifical Faculty of the Dominican House of Studies** in Washington, D.C."
- 36. <u>United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (usccb.org)</u>. Website of the US Conference of Catholic Bishops.
- 37. The Holy See (vatican.va). Everything you wanted to know about the Holy See to include papal writings dating back to Leo XIII (1878-1903); a halo around the head of the pope = saint.
- 38. <u>Home Word on Fire</u>. "Word on Fire Catholic Ministries is a nonprofit global media apostolate that supports the work of Bishop Robert Barron and reaches millions of people to draw them into—or back to—the Catholic faith."
- 39. <u>Homiletic & Pastoral Review America's foremost pastoral publication.</u> Since 1900. (hprweb.com). "Priests, deacons, and laity alike have relied on HPR for decades ... We don't bend and sway with every passing fad. Built on the solid foundation of the Catholic Church, we espouse the timeless truths of faith that never change."

- 40. <u>Catholic Evangelization Organizations | New Evangelization | Portal (gbdioc.org)</u>. List of Catholic evangelization organizations from the Diocese of Green Bay, WI.
- 41. <u>Catholic FAITH FACTS</u> | <u>Catholics United for the Faith (cuf.org)</u>. Addresses some of the most common questions Catholics have about the Catholic Faith.
- 42. <u>Catholic Straight Answers by Rev. William P. Saunders</u>. "Everything you want to know about the Catholic Church...but are afraid to ask."