**Diocese of New Jersey**

**My Way of Love: Discipleship for Spiritual Growth**

BULLETIN AND E-LETTER ANNOUNCEMENT TEMPLATES

*Feel free to cut and paste these announcements to encourage the people of your parish to participate in this initiative, or edit to reflect the needs of your community. These can also be adapted for use in social media posts.*

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**Calling All Disciples in the Diocese of New Jersey!**

This week, our diocese is launching an important project for all our members (age 16+). Called *My Way of Love*, this 10-15 minute online survey will help you recognize where you are in your own discipleship journey as a follower of Jesus, wherever that may be at this time. When you participate, you can also receive a series of weekly emails with individualized formation guidance to grow in faith right now. While individual results are personal, this project will generate some diocesan-wide statistics and trends that will also help us support and equip each other for effective discipleship going forward. This is a wonderful opportunity for disciples all across our diocese, and we hope you will come with us on this journey!

This resource is only available during a short window, from **October 9 – 30**, so take the survey today! And it’s simple—follow the link and answer the questions honestly. The link is available at **www.dioceseofnj.org/mywayoflove.**

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**Looking to Grow in Discipleship? Start Here!**

We’re looking for people across our diocese to participate in a quick, online survey to capture a snapshot of where we are right now in discipleship here in New Jersey. It’s called *My Way of Love*, and we invite each of you to participate with us in this important project. Whether you attend church online or onsite, regularly, occasionally, or rarely, we value your voice! Participants will receive a series of individually-tailored weekly emails suggesting pathways for spiritual growth, and generalized statistics and trends from this project will help leaders across the diocese offer effective and accessible formation resources for all who seek to be faithful followers of Jesus Christ. Join us on this journey! *My Way of Love* is open from **October 9 – 30**, using the link available at **www.dioceseofnj.org/mywayoflove.**

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**Help Us Help You! Take the *My Way of Love* Inventory Today**

The Diocese of New Jersey is looking for as many folks as possible to participate in the *My Way of Love* project this month. Designed as an online survey, available in English and Spanish, this inventory only takes about 10-15 minutes to complete. This is a fast and simple way to provide the Diocese of New Jersey with some very valuable information, though! Individual participants will opt to receive a series of weekly emails with suggestions for spiritual growth, and the diocese will receive a snapshot of trends and statistics that will help congregational leaders across New Jersey offer effective and accessible formation resources to meet the needs of our congregations right now. The more people who participate, the more accurate our snapshot will be! Can you help us learn more about how we are following Jesus and practicing discipleship across New Jersey?

***My Way of Love* is only available at www.dioceseofnj.org/mywayoflove from October 9 – 30, so take it today!**

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**Last Chance! Don’t Wait to Join Us on My Way of Love**

In case you missed it, the Diocese of New Jersey needs your help today! We’re inviting all our members to take the My Way of Love spiritual inventory by this Sunday, **October 30**. Designed as an 10-15 minute online survey, this tool will give us important information about where we are right now as disciples of Jesus Christ across our diocese. Your participation will help us identify how to deploy our resources to effectively meet your formation needs, so we need your help! Participants can also opt to receive a series of weekly emails suggesting pathways for spiritual growth. The survey closes on October 30, so take the time today: **www.dioceseofnj.org/mywayoflove**.