

Curatio Newsletter ~ October 2023 "Healing from the Heart of Christ"

Curatio's Mission is to strengthen the faith of all Catholic Healthcare Professionals so that, animated from the Heart of Christ and growing in holiness, we are equipped to reclaim our sacred vocation of caring, witnessing with zeal to the Gospel of Life.

St. Gianna Beretta Molla, patron saint of Curatio, intercede for us!



*Feature Article
October 2023*

Lenten Retreat 2023– Fr. Byron Hagan

The following is a transcript of the Lenten Retreat given by Fr. Hagan earlier this year.

Fr. Evans and I are here as a continuation of our project, which we believe is also a project of the Holy Spirit and the Blessed Virgin Mary – we certainly pray and hope that it is – which Archbishop Hebda has taken up as his own initiative here, to form an Oratory of St. Philip Neri, which is a Society of Apostolic Life of Pontifical Rite. And we are working towards that; we were working on this going back even when we were seminarians, which is over eight years ago. I was ordained a priest in 2015. So the archbishop sent us here, as the two chief patrons of the oratory – St. Philip Neri, of course, after which it is named, and also St. John Henry Newman, called the second founder of the oratory, who brought the Oratory of St. Philip into the English-speaking world –these are two of the archbishop’s closest saints, and he himself had considered a vocation as an oratorian when he was a seminarian, being from Pittsburgh. One of the great oratories in the English-speaking world is in Pittsburgh, which we visited several times.

So that’s what we’re doing here, and we’re happy to actually have the archbishop here today doing a baptism next door. I’m just kind of getting a sense for the progress that we’re making, and it’s great that I’m here busy on a Saturday so the archbishop gets to see me working and that people are in the church, and so you do a great service to me.

[Read Full Transcript Here](#)

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Annual
White Mass
for
Healthcare
Professionals



Healthcare workers, along with their spouses and families are invited to the Annual White Mass for Healthcare Professionals in honor of our patron, Saint Luke.

Reception immediately following in Hayden Hall (Cathedral, lower level).

Saturday, October 21, 2023 • 5:15 p.m.
Cathedral of Saint Paul
239 Selby Avenue, St. Paul



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Please RSVP by October 16 to Sonya Flomo at flomos@archspm.org or 651.291.4488.

Sponsored by the Saint Paul and Minneapolis Guild of the Catholic Medical Association and Curatio: An Apostolate of Catholic Healthcare Professionals in cooperation with the Archdiocesan Office of Marriage, Family & Youth.

Fall Retreat- Thank you!!!

For those able to join us at the Fall Retreat- thank you! Please look for additional pictures, comments, and retreat resources in the November Newsletter.



The **CPR** Team
Curatio **P**ayer **R**esponders will pray for you!

[Submit Prayer Requests Here>](#)

Please send us your confidential prayers, needs, sorrows and thanksgivings. They will be prayed for by the Adoration group and also offered up at First Friday Masses by priest chaplains.



Curatio's Monthly Prayer Intention - October

As we approach the Feast of St. Luke, who shared the parable of the Good Samaritan, we find inspiration for the care we provide as healthcare professionals: Father, let my care be life-giving, beyond the technical, the procedural, let my care arise from your love, a love that manifests you.

Make me an instrument of your peace and love!

Message From Dianne, Mission Director,

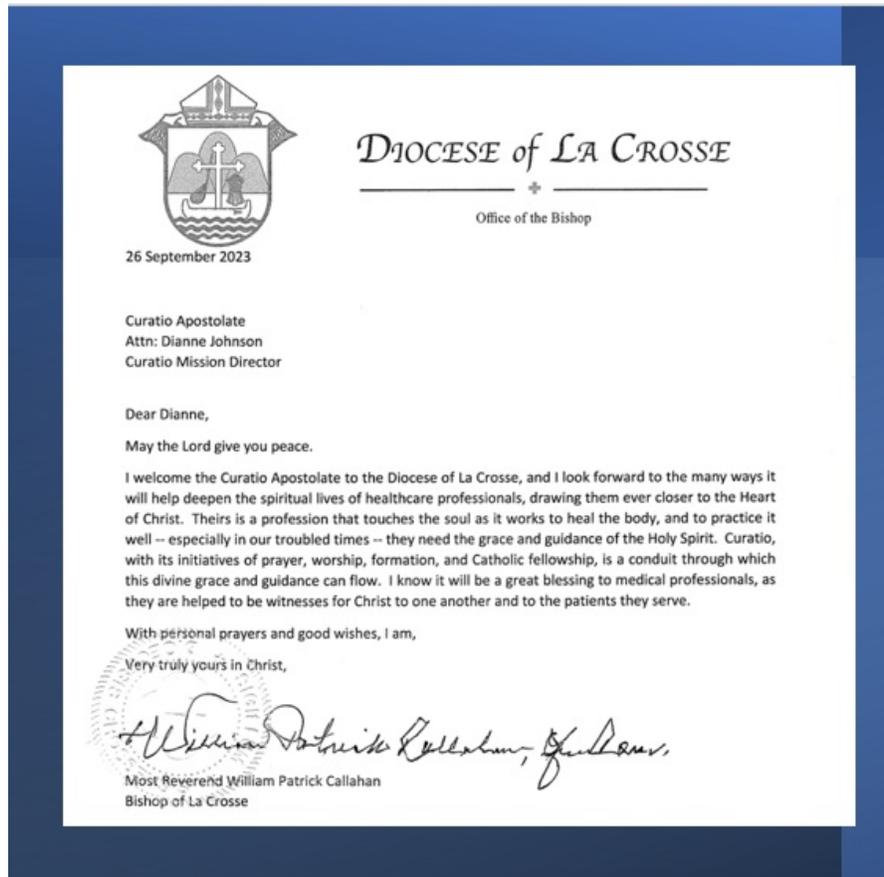
Your financial support for our Curatio Expansion Campaign is greatly appreciated and much needed for developing a solid Curatio program that will be

piloted first in the Rochester, Winona diocese; recently approved by Bishop Barron. Please spread the word and join us in prayer. We greatly appreciate your consideration of an ongoing annual (or one time donation) supporting our humble efforts to ensure Catholics remain faithful to Christ while working in healthcare. Thank you.

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May our hearts in the Curatio Apostolate belong entirely to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Letter of Endorsement from the Diocese of La Crosse



Curatio Prayer

Heavenly Father, Divine Physician we ask Your blessings & inspiration as we continue the work of Curatio. Make holy & sanctify those entrusted to the care of Your people. Dearest Jesus, may the work of our hands be a living tribute to the beauty of creation & homage to Your salvific love for each of us. May our actions be witness of Your healing love. Holy Spirit, help us to touch each heart & soul as we care for those in pain, remembering that in suffering, we may all be one with Christ. Amen.

Please consider a Holy Hour with our Lord

The First Friday of every month is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Adoration is Thursday, October 5th.

Everyone is welcome to join us for Holy Hour 7 pm–8 pm every Thursday before the first Friday of each month, at St. Charles Borromeo Parish or consider spending a Holy Hour at your local chapel.

St. Charles Borromeo offers perpetual adoration. Address: 2739 NE Stinson Pkwy, St Anthony, MN 55418.

*Curatio, a Catholic apostolate to health care workers,
supports life from conception until natural death following
the teachings of the Catholic Church.*

Please see these reputable resources and consider signing up for their communications to remain an informed and active Catholic citizen.

[Minnesota Catholic Conference \(mncatholic.org\)](http://mncatholic.org)

ethicalcaremn.org

*Please prayerfully consider a kind
donation to the Curatio Apostolate
as we strive to continue our work
in the healing love of Christ!*

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Here!

Do you know of other health care workers that would benefit from this monthly newsletter? Please forward this message and encourage they check out Curatio!

[Check out our Curatio website here!](#)

As a lay apostolate in this ministry, we rely on and are prompted by the Holy Spirit and thus remain in healthcare for the long haul. We are the hands and feet of Christ - We spiritually care for and nourish Catholic healthcare professionals to stay the course as we remain a foundation of healing from the heart of Christ.

We, Curatio, are boots on the ground in the new evangelization.

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