



Office of the Bishop

Diocese of Richmond

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Mr. Jason Simon, Director
Evangelical Catholic
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Dear Mr. Simon,

On behalf of the Diocese of Richmond, I am pleased to offer this letter of endorsement and support for The Evangelical Catholic.

The Evangelical Catholic has provided guidance for evangelization ministries in this Diocese. As a result, our priests and ministry leaders have experienced a great deal of success in leading our lay people into a deeper faith and love for Our Lord and his Church in this time of new evangelization.

Our parishes and Catholic campus ministries are perfectly positioned to form, and train lay leaders for this mission. Unfortunately, they often lack practical guidance and the tools needed to have the impact they seek. The Evangelical Catholic has the staff, experience, and resources to fill this gap.

I have seen our parishes and campus ministries flourish in their partnership with The Evangelical Catholic. I fully endorse their work and hope to see more Catholic communities across the country work with them to fulfill the Great Commission of lay discipleship.

With my gratitude and every best wish, I remain

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Barry C. Knestout
Bishop of Richmond