



Ministry Resource & Publicity Center (MRC)

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The Ministry Resource Center serves all those in the Archdiocese of Santa Fe by making print, audio and visual resources available and by providing information regarding Catholic Faith and Ministry.

Policies for Use of Resources

- Any Catholic parishioner of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe may borrow the resources housed at the MRC. There are no fees except for lost or damaged items.
- Materials can be mailed to patrons outside of Albuquerque. The MRC will pay outgoing postage for materials we mail out of town. Patrons are responsible for the return of materials.

Books and audiotapes may be borrowed for four weeks (or longer by arrangement)

- DVDs and videotapes may be borrowed for two weeks (or longer

by arrangement). It may be helpful to call or email ahead and reserve materials that are needed for programs on particular dates.

- DVDs and videotapes may be previewed at the Center. Center staff can make recommendations of materials for certain programs, and for other informational needs.
- Care and consideration of materials, and returning them on time are of greatest importance to insure that materials are available to everyone served by the Center. Users are responsible for paying for items that are lost or damaged.

Topics Available Through Books and Tapes

Biographies & Collected Works – including lives of the saints.

Children’s Books

Christology

Church including Ecclesiology, Vocations, and Church History

Curricula: all ages from pre-school through adult including faith formation programs and Bible studies

Faith Formation and Catechetical Resources for all ages, including intergenerational, special needs, evangelization, stewardship and technology

Liturgy and Sacraments: Architecture, art & environment, ritual books, funeral planning, homily helps, liturgical ministry resources, music, RCIA, Sacramental theology, sacramentals and seasonal resources

Mariology and Pilgrimages including Marian sites and apparitions, and Marian spirituality

Morality & Catholic Social Teaching:

Just Faith resources, Parish Social Ministry, Abortion, Bioethics, Death Penalty, Economic Justice and Business Ethics, End of Life Issues, Environmental Justice, Liberation Theology, Justice, Peace and Human Development, and Sexuality

Official Church Teaching including Canon Law, the Catechism, Papal Teaching and Pastoral Letters of the USCCB

Pastoral Ministry:

Disabilities Ministry, Ethnic Ministry, Pastoral Counseling, Marriage & Family, Men’s & Women’s Studies, Parish and Pastoral Leadership, Prison Ministry, Personal Growth & Development, Psychology, and Administration

Philosophy

Religious Art and Literature

Science & Religion

Scripture

Spiritual Life: Prayer Books, Prayer Methods, Spiritual Direction, Modern and Classical Spiritual Writers.

Theology: Including History of Theology, Patristics, Medieval, Reformation, Modern and Speculative Theology

World Religions: Ecumenism, Eastern Religions, Modern Religious Movements, Native American, and Western Religions

Non-Circulating: Liturgy, Scripture, Catechetical, Official Church Teaching, Annual Guides and Directories, Encyclopedias and Dictionaries.