

CPATS.ORG Christmas Newsletter

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"promoting Catholic apologetic support groups loyal to the magisterium."

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From CPATS Webmaster and Catholic Apologist, Mike Humphrey

Dear CPATS web site visitor,

Along with my volunteer apologists, I want to wish you and your family a Happy and Holy Christmas as we approach the most joyous day on our liturgical calendar, next to the Annunciation, in my opinion.

May the JOY of Christmas stay within your heart forever.

What's new at CPATS?

o More Questions....and Answers!

The site was updated with 62 more new questions and answers between October 12th, and December 14th, 2002.

CAT-Q's: http://www.askacatholic.com/Catholic_Answers.cfm

As of December 14th, there are 205 questions and answers for you to look through. As always I would like to thank, my Catholic apologists/colleagues for there help, especially the long-timers. Without their assistance, this site would not have such a high ranking on Peter's Net.

First time: AAB Second time: ABB

Thanks guys!

The YOU-Q's [(Yo)ur (U)nanswered (Q)uestions] page has worked out well and I plan to improve it in the future.

It is similar to our CPATS knowledge base: CAT-Q's: CPATS Answers To your Questions, but will allow "YOU", the practicing Catholic apologist, to share in our Internet ministry! Priests and Religious loyal to the magisterium are welcome to answer any question(s) they believe they can help out on.

If you are a practicing Catholic apologist interested in helping us out take a look at

YOU-Q's [here](#).

o Interested in meeting other practicing Catholics?

Sometimes many people visit our site but don't use all the needed tools in order to meet like-minded practicing Catholics.

For this reason, I wanted to list "My 3 favorite support group pages" for the site:

1. COCFr, the Close Orthodox Catholic Friend Finder

CPATS.ORG Favorite Links

[CPATS home](#)

[CPATS Knowledge base](#)

[Unanswered Questions](#)

[Mike's Theology Corner](#)

[Our Mission and Philosophy page](#)

[Vatican Mailing Address'](#)

[Complete list of Popes from 33AD](#)

[Catholic Convert page](#)

[Catholic Humor page](#)

[Catholic Youth Study Tools](#)

[The Vatican web page](#)

[Catholic Family page](#)

[Our Politics page](#)

[CPATS Download page](#)

[Vocation's page](#)

[Home Schooling page](#)

[Our Pro-Life page](#)

[Our Early Church Fathers page](#)

[Catholic Churches on the 'Net'](#)

[Our Apologetics page](#)

[Holy Sacrifice of the Mass page](#)

[Our Holy Scriptures page](#)

[Our Philosophy page](#)

Just go to the home page and click on the graphic at the top of the page that reads: "Interested in meeting like-minded Catholics near you?" It may take from one to three weeks to be put in, but I will e-mail you when your in.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: E-mail me when you CHANGE your e-mail address. A new Catholic friend can't contact you with an outdated e-mail address.

2. Also check out our "Starting your own CPATS" page at:

http://www.cplats.org/starting_yourowncpats.cfm

3. and our Pizza member pages at: <http://www.cplats.org/pizzamembers.cfm>

o Call to Experienced/Advanced Cold Fusion/Javascript/E-learning Developers

If you are a skilled Cold Fusion Developer or Javascript'er and would like to help me improve the site with Cold Fusion and/or Javascript get on the:

CCF-DHL, CPATS Cold Fusion Developer's Helper List. or

CJS-DHL CPATS Javascript Developer's Helper List

I'm also interested in people who have knowledge of on-line games, tests and teaching tools who would be willing to assist me with new ideas I have.

E-mail me and put

"Put me on your Cold Fusion Helper List" or

"Put me on your Javascript Helper List" or

"Put me on your E-learning Helper List" in the subject line.

Include your full name and telephone number where I can reach you on whatever days at whatever night and/or daytime hours.

I do have some web skills obviously, but there are a few ideas I want to implement that require a Cold Fusion guru. knowing a JS guru would be helpful too.

o Are you a Catholic e-retailer or do you know a Catholic e-retail?

Do you know someone who is interested in bring more dollars to their web site? We have modified our advertising rates. Currently we have from 1,200 to 1,600 monthly unique visitors to our site and the numbers are growing. Our niche visitors are:

- practicing Catholics
- confused Catholics
- curious and searching Protestants

Tell them to call me at 508-653-3777 nights to talk about advertising on the CPATS web site. If I'm not in, just leave a name, phone number and message with a time and day you can reached on my answering machine.

o Religious order priest with a knowledge of sacramental theology.

I have one or two questions that require the knowledge of a religious order priest who specializes in sacramental theology. You can reach me at: mike.humphrey@rcn.com

o It's updated!

I have updated my commentary on the Crisis in the Church. What idea does Staples the Office Superstore have that can help restore Catholic seminaries to a state of holiness? Read my update at: _WhatsNews/mikestheologycorner/ChurchCrisis_2002.cfm

and if someone can forward my commentary to someone in the Vatican, go right head!

o **Feedback and new ideas.**

New ideas for the site are in development but we are interested in your ideas too!

What you like to see on our site? What would help you answer questions from others about the Catholic Faith?

Mike

CPATS Closing

Special thanks go to Robert Coutinho who is always there to assist in prove reading my commentaries and the CPATS questions and answers before posting on the site. Please keep Rob, Mary Jo and the Coutinho family of Westboro, Massachusetts in your prayers. Thanks Rob!

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