

# Bring *Walking with Moms in Need* to Your Parish, TODAY!



*Walking with Moms in Need* is a parish-based, yet nationwide, initiative to better serve pregnant and parenting mothers facing difficulties. It provides parishes with a streamlined process to help them walk with and accompany moms in their communities.

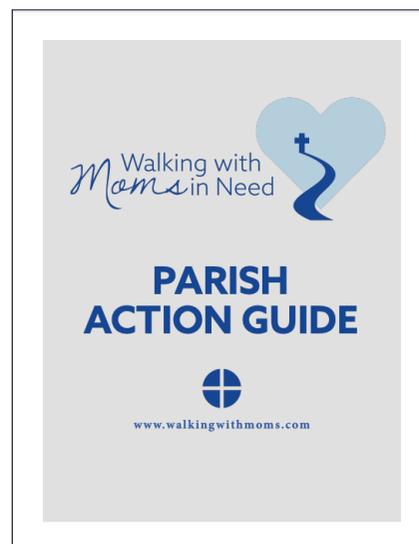
## *Walking with Moms in Need* provides an opportunity to:

- ◆ Improve outreach and support to pregnant and parenting mothers in need
- ◆ Empower clergy and laity to make a positive impact together
- ◆ Change the national pro-life conversation
- ◆ Engage parishioners in a new vision of what it means to live the Gospel of Life
- ◆ Communicate the Church's commitment to women and their children
- ◆ Utilize existing resources and assistance more effectively
- ◆ Build relationships between ministries and helping agencies
- ◆ Better communicate help to those in need
- ◆ Transform what is often seen as a partisan divide into pastoral unity

## FREE, Ready-to-Go Materials at Your Fingertips

Everything parishes need to implement *Walking with Moms in Need* is available for immediate download online in both English and Spanish.

Leaders are equipped with all the tools they need, from sample announcements, to email templates, to tips on running a meeting and how to build a parish support network.





## Easy-to-Use Website

All resources and materials for *Walking with Moms in Need* can be found on the website with easy-to-navigate menus and pages.

Leaders can sign up to receive regular email updates, access webinars, download educational materials, and more!

[www.WalkingWithMoms.com](http://www.WalkingWithMoms.com)

## Fully Adaptable Timelines

All provided sample timelines can be fully customized for parishes to implement *Walking with Moms in Need* at any time. They are designed to be adjusted to account for other schedules or events, and parishes are encouraged to move at the pace that works best for them.



## Diocesan Staff Available to Support You

Our diocesan staff is eager and ready to help your parish in any way they can. In addition to answering general questions, our staff can address specific parish needs, assist you in reviewing diocesan resources, and support you in finding creative solutions to better serve mothers in need.

For more information or to bring *Walking with Moms in Need* to your parish, **contact:**

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*Thank you for helping to make your parish and our diocese a place of welcome, support, and assistance to pregnant and parenting mothers in need.*



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