## Memo

Date: September 9, 2019

**To:** Priests, Deacons and Men in Formation

**From:** Deacon Dennis Dorner, Sr., Chancellor/Director of Permanent

Diaconate

**Re:** Online Spanish Classes for Non-Spanish Speaking Deacons and

Priests - Fall 2019

The Archdiocese of Atlanta is offering Spanish classes for priests, deacons, wives of deacons and men in formation that are willing to serve at Spanish Masses in their parish.

Please see the attached flyer for more information.

For questions or to register, please contact Deacon José Espinosa at jespinosa@archatl.com.

Thank you.

## Online Spanish Classes for Non-Spanish Speaking Priests, Deacons, Wives of Deacons and Men in Formation

The Archdiocese of Atlanta will offer an Online Spanish Course, Level I, for priests, deacons, wives of deacons and men in formation that are willing to serve at Spanish Masses in their church.

**Objective:** This course will serve as an introduction to the study of the Spanish language with the goal of serving Spanish-speaking parishioners. Emphasis will be on practical vocabulary and grammatical structures necessary for fundamental communication. Instructors will provide materials, which will utilize biblical themes and stories.

Classes will be done through internet sessions. Once you sign on for the Level I class, you will receive written instructions on the procedure to connect to the class and additional details regarding the format of the course. Classes will run from November 11 through March 18, and meet twice per week (Monday & Wednesday) for 1 ½ hours each day starting at 6:00 p.m. It is expected that classes will run for a 16-week period. The first 20 applicants will be accepted for the course. Please send your name to Deacon José Espinosa at jespinosa@archatl.com.

The Archdiocese of Atlanta will offer an Online Spanish Course, Level II, for priests, deacons, wives of deacons and men in formation that have completed Level I.

**Objective:** This course will continue on practical vocabulary and grammatical structures necessary to strengthen fundamental communication, especially when delivering homilies. Instructors will provide materials, which will utilize biblical themes and stories.

Classes will be done through internet sessions. Once you sign on for the Level II class, you will receive written instructions on the procedure to connect to the class and additional details regarding the format of the course. Classes will run from October 12 through March 19, and meet twice per week (Tuesday and Thursday) for 1 ½ hours each day starting at 6:00 p.m. It is expected that classes will run for a 16-week period. The first 20 applicants will be accepted for the course. Please send your name to Deacon José Espinosa at <a href="mailto:iespinosa@archatl.com">iespinosa@archatl.com</a>.

God bless you all and thanks for your Ministry!