

Dear Father,

On Friday evening October 7<sup>nd</sup> 2011, Bishop Lee Piché will lead the Annual Candlelight Rosary Procession from the Minnesota State Capitol to the Cathedral of Saint Paul. By means of this powerful prayer and public witness to our Catholic Faith, it is the goal of the Processions Committee to unite thousands of individuals and families in prayer and adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament. We pray for the intentions of families and for greater understanding of the sanctity of marriage and family life.

Gathering time at the Capitol is 6:30 pm; the Procession starts at 7:00 pm.

In these times of serious challenge and uncertainty, Our Lady **continues to turn our attention to the power of the Holy Rosary**. Together let us rededicate ourselves to this prayer, the prayer she has repeatedly held out to us in all her approved apparitions. Together let us pray we are approaching a time of renewal and evangelization for all.

Please place this special event on your parish calendar and forward the enclosed bulletin and pulpit announcements to your bulletin editor.

Please mark your parish calendars for the two Annual Rosary Processions in our Archdiocese: the May Day Family Rosary Procession, always on the first Sunday in May, and our annual Candlelight Rosary Procession on the First Friday in October.

Please appoint a contact person for your parish to receive e-mail updates and information such as reserving a bus for those who wish to attend. They may sign up via our website: [www.familyrosaryprocession.org](http://www.familyrosaryprocession.org)

For your information to reserve a bus simply call:

First Student – 651-645-3959

For additional information please visit us at:

[www.familyrosaryprocession.org](http://www.familyrosaryprocession.org)

[www.fatimaonline.org](http://www.fatimaonline.org)

[www.childrenoftheeucharist.org](http://www.childrenoftheeucharist.org)

Gratefully, In the Hearts of Jesus and Mary,

Family Rosary Processions Committee