

# Suggestions for the Parish Bulletin

## October Represents World Mission Month

Please use any or all of these incentives to highlight the importance of *Mission Sunday* in your Parish. Bulletin inserts/announcements for *World Mission Sunday*.

### INSERT #1

October 8, 2017



This year, *World Mission Sunday* will take place on October 22. On that day, we celebrate who we are as Christians: missionary disciples. It's a time of prayer. We are also invited to look beyond our local Church in Canada and assist through financial gifts, the missionary work needed in the young dioceses in many developing countries. An example of this work is providing health care centres, building schools, and empowering lay pastoral workers, construction of convents and presbyteries. Please pray for the missions and show generosity on *World Mission Sunday*.

### INSERT #2

October 15, 2017

FOR THE WEEK BEFORE *WORLD MISSION SUNDAY*



Next Sunday our parish will celebrate *World Mission Sunday*. It represents a global sign of the universal Church and Mission. We are invited to reach out and help build the Church in the most remote areas across our world. Your prayers and donations will support churches, hospitals, schools, and vocations to priesthood and religious life. Please show your generosity as much as possible during this collection, because it provides assistance to the young dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands.

### INSERT #3

October 22, 2017

FOR *WORLD MISSION SUNDAY*



Today, we celebrate *World Mission Sunday*! We are called to offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, for the worldwide mission of Christ. We are asked to reach out to the peripheries, people in remote villages, towns, and cities by using the witness and work of missionaries and local priests. Please keep all missionaries in your daily prayers.

### INSERT #4

October 29, 2017

FOR THE WEEK AFTER  
*WORLD MISSION SUNDAY*



**THANK YOU**

Thank you for your generous response to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith on *World Mission Sunday*. It's a blessing for young dioceses, priests, sisters, brothers and catechists who depend on it. Please continue to pray for all who serve in mission countries that they may remain strong in faith and in their vocation as they go about proclaiming the Good News of Christ.

