

Ways of Using the Pack

- It should be stressed again that the material is not a structured programme. It is intended to be a basis for further development by each diocese for particular needs. The stories, homilies, blessings etc, are all examples, not in any way an exhaustive or essential list.
- Dioceses will want to reproduce and distribute the material according to parochial and other needs. Special mailings may help, but the Ad Clerum, the local Catholic newspaper, the local radio, parish bulletins and newsletters may prove equally useful.
- Organisations may wish to duplicate relevant parts of the material and distribute it through their newsletters and usual channels of communication.
- The lists of resources are not all-inclusive. Please use the boxes available to add on local resources.
- Different sections may be used in different ways, eg the NFP section could be used for educational purposes in schools or marriage preparation groups. It is important to establish which diocesan groups would benefit most from which sections.
- The Bishops' Committee for Marriage and Family Life do need feedback from the unit if the project of six units over the next three years is going to be successful. Please let us have your comments and criticisms. In particular encourage people to send in odd phrases or stories to illustrate the next unit we shall be producing ie "A Shared Life", which will be looking at the next stage in family life - work, children, the home, money, doing things outside the family, living on one's own. Please forward any thoughts to:

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Note: Several sections of this pack give the address of the CMAC in Lansdowne Road for further information. However, the CMAC will be moving to new premises at the beginning of July. Any correspondence after this date should be sent to Father John Guest at the address above, and will be forwarded from there.