



May 15, 2007 - Catholic TV's Ordination Week Schedule Featuring Vocations Programming, Rosary Bowl

Programming the week of May 21 focuses on vocations, Blessed Mother; culminates with ordination

NEWTON, MA - CatholicTV in Boston (BCTV) will offer a special week of programming the week of May 21 to celebrate the Archdiocese of Boston's Ordination to the Priesthood on Saturday, May 26. Specials will include half-hour shows on vocations, the presbyterate and to honor the Month of Mary, a show examining icons of Mary and a re-broadcast of The Rosary Bowl from Pasadena, California.

The air times of CatholicTV's programming are as follows:

1. "A day in the life of..." - Fr. Robert Reed spends a day with seminarian Matt Westcott who will be ordained May 26. Airs: Monday 6PM, Tuesday 2:30AM and 1PM, Wednesday 7:30AM, Thursday 9AM, Friday 1:30PM
2. "This Is The Day" - Fr. Reed and Jay Fadden host this bi-weekly talk show and will focus on vocations, Mary and the ordination this week. Airs: Tuesday 10:30PM and 8PM, Wednesday 6PM, Thursday 11AM, Friday 10:30AM and 6PM, Saturday 6PM, Sunday 6:30PM
3. "Conversations With Cardinal Sean" - Jay Fadden talks with Archbishop of Boston, Sean Cardinal O'Malley, about vocations and ordination to the priesthood. Airs: Tuesday 11AM, Wednesday 12:30AM, 9PM, Thursday 6:30PM, Friday 1:30AM and 12:30PM
4. "Windows to Heaven: the Mother of God" - In this three-part mini-series, Fr. Lenny Tighe takes a look at icons related to Mary. Airs: Monday 5:30PM, Tuesday 1:30PM, Wednesday 3:30AM, Thursday noon, 9PM, Sunday 3:30PM
5. "Ordination to the Priesthood" - Cardinal Sean presides over this special Mass at Boston's Cathedral of the Holy Cross where seven men will be ordained to the presbyterate. Airs live Saturday at 9am, rebroadcast at 4pm.
6. "The Rosary Bowl" - Fr. Reed provides commentary for this three-hour event honoring Mary featuring Eucharistic adoration, witness talks and The Rosary prayed simultaneously in 40 different languages at Pasadena's Rose Bowl. Airs Saturday at noon.

www.CatholicTV.com also has special online features for the week. CardinalCast featuring Cardinal Sean has a month-long series of podcasts on the priesthood. Fr. Reed's "the priest" has released a special vocations tripod. These podcasts are available for download through www.iCatholic.com. Meanwhile all the station's vocations week programming will be available for viewing on demand at CatholicTV.com.

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