

175th Anniversary of the ARCHDIOCESE of MILWAUKEE *Patch*



ARCHDIOCESE
of **MILWAUKEE**

HOW TO START:

Research the history of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.

You can find the answers to the questions below using:

- <https://www.archmil.org/AboutUs/175th-Anniversary.htm>
- <https://www.archmil.org/About-Archdiocese-Milwaukee.htm>
- Feel free to use other sources

1st-5th Grades: Complete the first 4 requirements and any 2 activities.

6th-12th Grades: Complete the first 4 requirements plus one more, and any 3 activities.

Adults: Assist youth with requirements and activities (i.e. reviewing responses and sharing experiences), and fill out the order form and submit.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Pray the 175th Anniversary Prayer.
- After reading about the history of the early missionary period of our diocese ([AD 30-1843](#)), answer the following questions: What year was the diocese created? Who was the first Bishop of the diocese?
- Learn about one key priest in the early missionary period of the Archdiocese:
 - Fr. Jacques Marquette*
 - Fr. Florimond Bonduel*
 - Fr. Martin Kundig*
- Pick one other period of diocesan history, and learn about important events that happened during this time period, as well as some key people during that time period.
- The Archdiocese of Milwaukee is currently made up of 10 counties. Name all 10 counties within Archdiocese's jurisdiction.
- There have been 11 Archbishops since the creation of the Diocese of Milwaukee. Name all 11 Archbishops.

ACTIVITIES:

- Color a few of the [175th Anniversary Coloring Pages](#)
- Participate in any [175th Anniversary Event](#):
 - Pray, Reconcile and Rejoice: 12 Hours of Reconciliation
 - 175th Anniversary Exploration
 - 175 Alive
 - Seven Days of Service
 - Closing Mass
- Learn about whom or what your parish is named after.
- Be a Parish historian. What year was your parish founded? Learn about life in your parish/neighborhood when it was founded. How has it changed?
- Ask your parent or a relative what being Catholic was like when they were a kid.
- Interview someone who has been in your parish for a long time. Ask them what the parish was like back when they joined.
- Visit one of these historic places in the Archdiocese:
 - Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist
 - Saint Francis de Sales Seminary
 - Basilica of Saint Josaphat
 - Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary Help of Christians at Holy Hill
 - St. Peter's Cathedral at Old World Wisconsin
 - Archdiocesan Marian Shrine (Milwaukee Fatima Shrine)
 - Any Catholic Cemetery (Archdiocesan or Parish)

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