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### *Registration is Open!*

Over half of the Dioceses in the United States have already committed to bringing a delegation to the 2017 Convocation. Take advantage of early bird registration rates and reserve spots for your delegation today!

[Register Now](#)



### *Presentation at Bishops' General Assembly*

Cardinal Dolan, Cardinal O'Malley and Bishop Malone presented an update on the Convocation at the Bishops' General Assembly in November. Watch their presentation [here](#).



*"The joy of the gospel fills the hearts and lives of all who encounter Jesus."*

— Pope Francis



### *Praying for the Convocation*

Now is the time to start praying with your delegation that the Convocation will bear great fruit within your diocese or organization and in the whole Church in the United States. May we begin by praying Pope Francis' prayer from [Evangelii Gaudium](#).

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