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10 Essential Steps

for Keeping Artificial Intelligence at the Service of Humanity

“In the era of artificial intelligence, when human dignity is threatened by new forms of dehumanization, ours is the pressing duty to remain profoundly human.”

- Pope Leo XIV, *Magnifica Humanitas*, no. 15

1 | Safeguard the Inherent
Dignity of All Human Life.

2 | Protect Children and
the Vulnerable.

3 | Promote the Dignity
of Work.

4 | Ensure Human Beings Are
Responsible for Decision-Making.

5 | Be Responsible Stewards
of Creation.

6 | Defend Truth in
the Digital Age.

7 | Protect Privacy, Personal Data,
and Personal Freedom.

8 | Ensure Transparency and
Accountability.

9 | Direct Innovation toward
the Common Good.

10 | Build International Cooperation
Rooted in Solidarity.

“The inherent dignity of every human person must always be at the center of technological development.”

- [USCCB Letter to Congress on Artificial Intelligence Principles and Priorities](#), June 9, 2025