

# The Church and coronavirus

*As the world continues to react to the pandemic spread of the novel coronavirus, Our Sunday Visitor will serve as a key resource for Catholics to stay informed of how this virus has affected the Church and the faithful. We'll continue to update the resources on this page as more information becomes available through our many sources.*

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