Date: May 5, 2021
To: Pastors, Administrators
From: Very Rev. Michael Pham
Re: Invitation to “Pentecost Mass for all People”
4th Annual Diocesan Pentecost Celebration

The Holy Spirit calls us, Catholics from all nations and cultures, to come together to be nourished in the Eucharist, proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ, and to serve the needs of all God’s people. We are called to live in harmony and solidarity as One Church, the Body of Christ.

I, along with Bishop McElroy, Bishop Dolan and Bishop Bejarano, proudly invite you, your clergy to join us in celebrating our Catholic family at this fourth annual diocesan Pentecost event. Bishop McElroy will concelebrate the outdoors mass with Auxiliary Bishops John Dolan, Ramón Bejarano and Diocesan clergy on Saturday May 22nd at Good Shepherd parish.

The day begins at 10:00 a.m. with praise and worship. The mass will begin at 11:00 a.m. Please bring your alb and red stole, and arrive by 10:30 a.m. After the mass, please join our communities for the cultural festival that includes heritage exhibits and food tasting.

I’m also requesting your assistance in promoting the event – flyers are enclosed. Digital versions that may be posted on your website or parish Facebook page have been emailed through the weekly communication announcements. Let us pray, celebrate and share the many gifts of our universal Church!

Sincerely in Christ,

Father Michael Pham
Vicar for Ethnic and Intercultural Communities

Please use the form below or email us with your plans to join us – by May 14.

Diocesan Pentecost Event 2021 -- Response Form

Name: ___________________________ Parish: ___________________________

☐ Yes, I will attend and concelebrate on May 22, 2021.

Please respond by May 14 by mail or email: ADiaz@sdcatholic.org