

CCOA's 2024 CONVOCATION



CCOA's 2024 Convocation was held at Christ in the Desert Retreat Center in Carefree, Arizona. This center offers beauty, peace, and serenity.



Following the Bishops' time of retreat and meeting, the general convocation opened to all, beginning with a day of silent reflection, facilitated by Archbishop Kristina Rake. ->



<- Our other keynote presenter was Dr. Kathryn Damiano, who led us through the topic: Include and Transcend.

This year we were blessed with the light of the full moon.



As well as our silent retreat time and our personal devotions, we had many opportunities for worship. These opportunities included Morning and Night Prayer, a special Rosary, and Holy Eucharist, including the annual Chrism Mass. Following the mass, the oils were prepared for distribution to the clergy.



+Mark and Dn. Richard



+Mark



+Theodore, +Mark, +Linda, and +Michael;



+Michael and Dn. Richard preparing the oils for distribution.

**CCOA gained a new priest this year when Mother Elizabeth
incardinated into our jurisdiction.**



Presiding Bishop Mark and Mother Elizabeth



Mother Elizabeth



Worship



**One of the best things about convocation is not the planning and the learning,
and the praying and worshipping; it is simply being together!**



Elizabeth+, +Linda, Benoit+, Dn. Richard, +Mark,
+Theodore



Dn. Richard and Cynthia+



+Mark and +Michael



Ron+ and Noreen



+Mark



+Theodore, +Michael, and Sean



Sean, Cynthia+, Celeste+, Ron+, and +Linda



Ron+, Benoit+, and John



We enjoyed great meals!!!



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CCOA's Bishops



Bishop Michael, Mother Elizabeth. Presiding Bishop Mark, Bishop Linda, and Bishop Theodore



Father Benoit with Presiding Bishop Mark



Participants at Convocation 2024
(even the photographer hiding off on the side!)

LOOKING AHEAD

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OCTOBER 15-20, 2025