DIOCESE OF KINGSTOWN

Report of The Biblical Commission

Achievements

The Biblical Commission comprises two important components, namely: Bible and evangelization. The two are inextricably linked and responds to the Synod 2015 mission to build community through Word, Eucharist and service.

The Biblical Commission collaborated to plan and host a training for all lectors throughout the diocese.
This was very well attended. Lectors were encouraged to by encounter God spending time each day with the Word.



- •The Bible was enthroned in all your Catholic churches across the diocese and the number of enthronements in homes also increased.
- •During the period under review, Lectio Divino was promoted on local radio programs.
- •As part of the thrust to build a Bible culture in the Diocese of

Kingstown, Section is done/practised

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meetings, relevant events, and formation programs at diocesan parish levels including youth meetings. There has also been an increase of lectio practiced in families as part of their daily devotions.



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 We did a bible distribution drive to the natural disaster victims. This was done in collaboration with the charitable distribution of humanitarian aid done by the



Stewardship & Development Commission.

•T h e highlight was a Bible



Museum exhibit which was done during Bible Week. This was a first of its kind in the Diocese of Kingstown. Some of the

featured exhibits/displays included, examples of Dead Sea scrolls, Ark of the Covenant, Bible facts, decalogue, bible map, examples of potteries and utensils used during bible time, projection of the

merciful scene, Jesus writing in the sand, various types and versions of the Bible (including Hebrew text), quran, paper maché sculpts of the Last Supper, Pieta and more. Each of the exhibits was accompanied by a 'Where in the Bible is that' card, which referenced the Bible passage. The was generally well received and largely appreciated, so much so that many echoed the recommendation to establish a permanent Bible Museum.