

## Overview

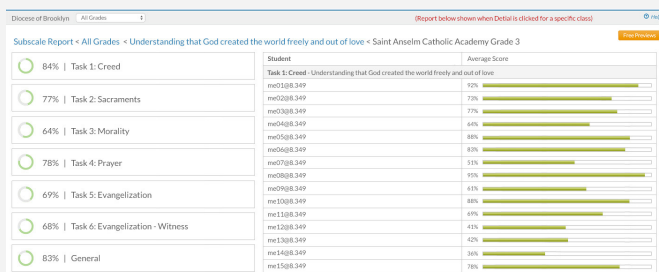
This whitepaper examines the Diocese of Brooklyn and how My Catholic Faith Delivered™ (MCFD) tailored a technology solution that uniquely met its needs. This document will examine the solutions and results. In addition, it will examine challenges that have presented themselves within the Catholic Church and a potential approach to solving them.

## Challenge | Diocese of Brooklyn

The Diocese of Brooklyn encompasses the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens in the state of New York. One and a half million people identify themselves as Catholic in this diocese, and it is 5th largest diocese in the United States. The greatest challenge the Diocese of Brooklyn faced was with catechist formation. How could we come up with a transcript for each catechist that recorded both online and local courses? We lacked a practical way of organizing and recording transcripts for our 6,000 catechists. In addition to the challenges of catechist formation, we had a need to assess what was going on in the parish and school programs. Because some of our parishes are not well equipped with computer hardware or software, it was imperative we come up with a plan to assess students using both online and off-line assessments. We then needed a report that combined both assessments for different levels and different programs.



## Solution | Ted Musco, Executive Director School of Evangelization



MCFD created an online store for our website that included both online courses and traditional courses. It is a great benefit that we now have a resource to send people to in order to fulfill their catechist training. Learners are now able to enroll in courses, track progress, receive certificates of completion, and create a permanent transcript.

Furthermore, MCFD was able to create an assessment and report that measured outcome based learning for the variety of programs and levels within our diocese. MCFD also assisted in creating an online RCIA online companion guide and launch a mobile application to allow courses to be used on phones.

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