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# Public Memo

Date: October 14, 2025

To: The Faithful of the Diocese of Whitehorse

From: The Bishop's Office

**Re: Apostolic Exhortation, *Dilexi te***

We are pleased to announce that on October 9, 2025, Pope Leo XIV released his first Apostolic Exhortation, *Dilexi te* (“I have loved you”), on the Church’s care for the poor.

It is attached here in both [English](#) and [French](#), and links to the Vatican document have been posted on our [diocesan website](#) and [Facebook page](#).

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) has published an announcement on their website:

English: <https://www.cccb.ca/announcement/pope-leo-xiv-released-his-first-apostolic-exhortation-dilexi-te-i-have-loved-you/>

French: <https://www.cecc.ca/annonce/le-pape-leon-xiv-a-publie-sa-premiere-exhortation-apostolique-dilexi-te-je-tai-aime/>

You are welcome to share this information with all who may be interested.

The Holy Father has also prepared [a short letter of accompaniment](#) to introduce *Dilexi te* to the Bishops of the world in which he expresses his hopes that “*Dilexi te* help the Church to serve the poor and help bring the poor to Christ.”

May this latest teaching from Pope Leo XIV inspire us to continue to live a faith that acts and to follow the example of Jesus to love and serve all those in need, most especially the poor and vulnerable.