

[Apps for the iPhone/iPad that Catholics may find useful:](#)

Laudate

Laudate is a fantastic single-source app for a variety of Catholic needs. But what makes this app truly shine is its price-tag: free. There's no excuse not to download this gem, even if it's just for the prayer content. There is so much available for the faithful "smart device" user that I have replaced several past recommended apps with this one. Truly impressive.

The Catholic Mega App

Much like Laudate, this app has a huge amount of material for Catholics. I have not yet explored even 10% of it.

The Pope App

Most people know the Pope has a Twitter account, but did you know he has an app? As you might have guessed, The Pope App is all about the Pope. It's powered by news.va, which is run by the Pontifical Council for Social Communication.

If you like the Pope, you're gonna love this app. You can browse photo galleries of recent General Audiences and Papal events, watch video clips of the Pope's addresses, read transcripts of his speeches, check out the Pope's upcoming schedule of events, and even watch live streaming video.

The Pope App also has a Pope News section, links to other great resources (Pope's Twitter account, various Vatican news sources, etc.), and Vatican webcams. Wish you could see who's praying at JP II's tomb or how many people are in St. Peter's Square right now? Now you can!

iBreviary Pro

This App has all the Readings and Mass parts for each day.

iConfess

This App is a complete guide to the sacrament of Confession. It has an explanation of the sacrament, a guide to an examination of conscience, prayers for confession and some readings on the sacrament.

Confession: A Catholic App

Making confession easier

This app was developed for Catholics who frequent the sacrament and those who wish to return.

Personalized for any user

With a personalized examination of conscience for each user, password protected profiles, and a step-by-step guide to the sacrament, this app invites Catholics to prayerfully prepare for and participate in the Rite of Penance.

Some sites of interest with Catholic content:

- www.wordonfire.org This is Bishop Barron's website. Excellent source of thoughtful material.
- www.americamagazine.org. This is the site of the Jesuit newspaper in the US.
- www.decentfilms.com. A site for Catholic reviews of current movies.
- www.eyeofthetiber.com. A satirical and Catholic view of the news.
- www.vatican.va. The official site of the Vatican.
- www.thejesuitpost.org. A site run by young Jesuits who discuss all manner of subjects.

People to follow on Twitter:

- @PiusOP
- @Pontifex (This is the Pope's official Twitter account, really)
- @JamesMartinSJ