

## ***Into the Breach* FAQ**

### **1. What is the *Into the Breach* video series?**

*Into the Breach* is a 12-episode video series produced by the Knights of Columbus. This video series seeks to answer the question of what it means to be a man and how to live as a man in today's world. It is inspired by the Apostolic Exhortation for Catholic men written by Bishop Thomas Olmsted of the Diocese of Phoenix.

### **2. What does each episode consist of?**

Each episode focuses on a different aspect of authentic Catholic masculinity and features interviews with well-known Catholic commentators, as well as the personal story of a man who has deeply experienced the episode's topic in his own life. Each episode runs approximately 12 minutes.

### **3. What is "authentic Catholic masculinity?"**

Much of our modern culture is beset by misunderstanding and contention about what it means to be a man. Many men receive mixed messages concerning who they are and what their role is. *Into the Breach* contends that men are made for greatness and the true expression of that greatness is to be heroically virtuous—and that Catholic masculinity means to have character marked by goodness and truth, strength and courage, in imitation of Christ.

### **4. What are the names of the 12 *Into the Breach* episodes?**

The 12 episodes are titled: Masculinity, Brotherhood, Leadership, Fatherhood, Family, Life, Prayer, Suffering, Sacramental Life, Spiritual Warfare, Evangelization, and The Cornerstone.

### **5. What is the goal of *Into the Breach*?**

The goal of *Into the Breach* is to help men grow in their faith and become the men that God is calling them to be.

### **6. Where are the episodes available?**

All 12 episodes can be found at our website: [kofc.org/intothbreach](http://kofc.org/intothbreach)

### **7. How should the episodes be used?**

The series is designed as an extension of the Knights of Columbus' existing Faith in Action program. *Into the Breach* was created to encourage discussion between men about the topics presented and are ideal for small group discussions, as well as for individual viewing. Through the *Into the Breach* program, men are encouraged to discuss topics present in the *Into the Breach* video series or apostolic exhortation. To facilitate small group discussion, each episode is accompanied by a study guide. This study guide can also be used for individual reflection on the series.

**8. Where can the *Into the Breach* study guide and other resources be found?**

Reflection guides for small group discussion, as well as detailed instructions on program implementation and a toolkit for offering the program can be found at [kofc.org/intothebreach](http://kofc.org/intothebreach).

**9. Is the video series available in another other languages besides English?**

*Into the Breach* is currently available in English, Spanish and French. You can access [the Spanish series here](#) and you can access [the French series here](#).

**10. Who is featured in the *Into the Breach* video series?**

*Into the Breach* features over fifty speakers, including:

- Matt Birk – Speaker & Former NFL Player
- Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers – Speaker & Author
- Jeff Cavins – Speaker & Author
- Matthew James Christoff – The New Evangelization Project
- Mother Agnes Mary Donovan – Superior General | Sisters of Life
- Jason Evert – Founder | Chastity Project
- Matt Fradd – Host | Pints with Aquinas
- Clarence Gilyard Jr. – Actor
- Dr. Tim Gray – President | Augustine Institute
- Dr. Scott Hahn – Author & Theologian
- Fr. Sean Kilcawley – Director of the Office of Family Life | Diocese of Lincoln
- Curtis Martin – Founder & CEO | FOCUS
- Darrell Miller – Speaker & Former MLB Player
- Bishop Thomas Olmsted – Diocese of Phoenix
- Fr. Mike Schmitz – Director of the Office of Youth Ministry | Diocese of Duluth
- Sr. Maris Stella – Sisters of Life
- Mike Sweeney – Speaker & Former MLB Player
- Dr. Paul Thigpen – Editor | TAN Books
- Teresa Tomeo – Hostess | Catholic Connection
- Jared Zimmerer – Director | Word on Fire Institute