

OTHER RESOURCES: SEXUALITY AND LIFE ISSUES

PORNOGRAPHY

Integrity Restored: Resources for Overcoming Pornography Addiction

<http://integrityrestored.com/resources-for-overcoming-pornography-addiction/>

Resources, testimonies, referrals, studies, books, articles and more

Print Resources:

Fradd, Matt, and Cameron Fradd. *Restored: True Stories of Love and Trust After Porn*. El Cajon, California: Catholic Answers Press, 2015.

Fradd, Matt. *Delivered: True Stories of Men and Women Who Turned from Porn to Purity*. San Diego: Catholic Answers Press, 2013.

Fradd, Matt. *The Porn Myth: Exposing the Reality Behind the Fantasy of Pornography*. San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 2017.

Kleponis, Peter C. *Integrity Restored: Helping Catholic Families Win the Battle Against Pornography*. Steubenville, Ohio: Emmaus Road, 2014.

LeJeune, Marcel. *Cleansed: A Catholic Guide to Freedom from Porn*. Boston: Pauline Books & Media, 2016.

For individual and group help with this issue, please see the “Addictions” resource list, under the subheading, “Sex: Pornography and Other Compulsive Sexual Behaviors”.

For individual therapy, please see the “Emotional Needs and Counseling” resource list.

SAME-SEX ATTRACTION (SSA)

Courage: A Roman Catholic Apostolate

<https://couragerc.org/>

Resources, testimonies, referrals, studies, books, articles and more for men and women with SSA

Courage Ministry, Detroit
(313) 237-5900 (contact us confidentially)
encourage@aod.org

Main website

<http://www.aod.org/being-catholic/marriage-and-family/courage-ministry/>

What the Church teaches about SSA

- <http://www.aod.org/being-catholic/marriage-and-family/courage-ministry/what-does-the-church-say/>
- <http://www.aod.org/being-catholic/marriage-and-family/courage-ministry/recommended-resources/>

Resources for people with SSA and their parents

<http://www.aod.org/being-catholic/marriage-and-family/courage-ministry/recommended-resources/>

Print Resources:

Mattson, Daniel C. *Why I Don't Call Myself Gay: How I Reclaimed My Sexual Reality and Found Peace*. San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 2017.

Reilly, Robert R. *Making Gay Okay: How Rationalizing Homosexual Behavior Is Changing Everything*. San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 2015.

Smith, Janet E., and Paul Check, eds. *Living the Truth in Love: Pastoral Approaches to Same-Sex Attraction*. San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 2015.

*For individual therapy, please see the “**Emotional Needs and Counseling**” resource list.*

If desired, please call the parish office to arrange a meeting with a member of the clergy or the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to discuss this issue in more detail.

LIFE ISSUES AND RIGHTS (CONTRACEPTION, ABORTION, END-OF-LIFE)

Online:

Humanae Vitae (Of Human Life). Boston, MA: Pauline Books & Media, 1968.

http://w2.vatican.va/content/paul-vi/en/encyclicals/documents/hf_p-vi_enc_25071968_humanae-vitae.html

John Paul II. *The Gospel of Life: Evangelium Vitae*. Boston: Pauline Books and Media, 1995.

http://w2.vatican.va/content/john-paul-ii/en/encyclicals/documents/hf_jp-ii_enc_25031995_evangelium-vitae.html

Print:

Austriaco, Nicanor Pier Giorgio. *Biomedicine and Beatitude: An Introduction to Catholic Bioethics*. Washington, District of Columbia: Catholic University of America Press, 2011.

Browder, Sue. *Subverted: How I Helped the Sexual Revolution Hijack the Women's Movement*. San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 2015.

Eberstadt, Mary. *Adam and Eve After the Pill: Paradoxes of the Sexual Revolution*. San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 2012.

Glendon, Mary Ann. *Rights Talk: The Impoverishment of Political Discourse*. New York: Free Press, 1991.

Johnson, Abby, and Cindy Lambert. *Unplanned: The Dramatic True Story of a Former Planned Parenthood Leader's Eye-Opening Journey Across the Life Line*. Carol Stream, Ill.: Tyndale House Publishers, Inc., 2014.

Johnson, Abby, and Kristin Detrow. *The Walls Are Talking: Former Abortion Clinic Workers Tell Their Stories*. San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 2016.

Smith, Janet E., and Christopher Robert Kaczor. *Life Issues, Medical Choices: Questions and Answers for Catholics*. 3rd ed. Cincinnati, OH: Servant (Franciscan Media), 2016.

For individual therapy, please see the “Emotional Needs and Counseling” resource list.