

## Statement of Archbishop Broglio on Executive Orders Signed by the President

"Our prayer is one of hope that, as a Nation blessed with many gifts, our actions demonstrate a genuine care for our most vulnerable sisters and brothers, including the unborn, the poor, the elderly and infirm, and migrants and refugees. The just Judge expects nothing less."

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"Helping young people accept their bodies and their vocation as women and men is the true path of freedom and happiness," says Bishop Barron

Bishop Barron offered a statement in response to the Executive Order signed by President Trump. *Read more*.

Bishop Thomas Welcomes Restoration of Protections for Preborn Children

Reflecting on pardons issued for pro-life activists earlier in the week, he further added, "Pro-life Americans have a right to pray in public, to counsel women who are considering abortion, and to peacefully protest. We welcome support for men and women who are exercising these rights to witness to a culture of life, and, at the same time, we absolutely reject resorting to force or violence." <u>Read more.</u>

## The Work to Promote Religious Liberty Must Remain Anchored to the Truth of the Gospel, says Bishop Rhoades

The ministry of the bishops to promote our first, most precious liberty has sought to remain anchored to the truth of the gospel, and we ask for the grace of this Jubilee to continue to remain steadfast in our principles.

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## Facing ongoing pressure, more religious orders leave Nicaragua

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While one order says it left because of a lack of vocations, sources say that government pressure was almost certainly a factor in its departure, especially as government officials have warned in recent months that religious in the country would see their residency permits rescinded. *Read more*.