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Benedictine Sisters assist with Tucson diocese discernment retreat

TUCSON, Ariz.— Members of the Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration’s Tucson monastery recently assisted with a bilingual discernment retreat hosted by the diocese on Sept. 25 at the Bishop Moreno Pastoral Center.

Sister Lupita Barajas, OSB, Sister Lynn Marie D’Souza, OSB and Postulant Erma Re-lunia helped with the day-long event presented by the Diocese of Tucson’s Women Religious Vocations. Thirty-two girls and women, ranging in age from 14 to 42, spent the day learning about the call to religious life, the longing to make Jesus' mission her own, community life and about married, single and religious vocations.

“The retreat was an undeniable success,” Sister Lynn remarked. “They eagerly and enthusiastically participated in sharing and talks and asked insightful questions. There was much hope kindled as we saw so many young women sincerely seeking to know God’s will for their lives.”

The diocese will hold a similar retreat in December. For more information about vocations with the Benedictine Sisters, please contact Sister Lupita at (520) 325-6401 or vocation-tucson@gmail.com.

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