The Catholic Tugboat is written with parents in mind as the primary teachers of the Faith to their children. Links to sources used in the preparation of the articles are given each week, but the list is neither exhaustive nor always the most understandable to children. Thus, parents should review these with their children—and better still, search out other sources of information to add to their knowledge. We offer some suggestions below in searching the web.

## Internet sites that offer sound Catholic teaching\*

EWTN - search

http://www.ewtn.com/search.asp

**Catholic Resources** - by Fr. Felix Just, Ph.D.; search bar (home page) http://catholic-resources.org

**Catholic Culture - resources** 

https://www.catholicculture.org/culture/resources

Catholic Answers - Q & A

http://www.catholic.com/quickquestions

## E-Catholic

http://www.ecatholic2000.com/index.php

**the Real Presence** - by Fr. John A. Hardon, S.J.; Archives Index http://www.therealpresence.org/archives/archives.htm

New Advent - Catholic Encyclopedia

http://www.newadvent.org

for some classics, Catholic Treasury:

http://www.catholictreasury.info/library.php

...for Scripture look up (by passage, word, etc.):

**Bible Gateway** 

https://www.biblegateway.com

... for Catechetical Reference:

## **Catholic Planet**

http://www.catholicplanet.com/catechism.htm#\$2U

## the Vatican

http://www.vatican.va/roman\_curia/congregations/cfaith/ccc\_documents/rc\_con\_cfaith\_doc\_199 20625 informative-ccc\_en.html

<sup>\*</sup>Many of these websites have search boxes to research your questions. Whether or not they have

this, an even better way to find answers to your questions is to type into any search engine the website name, a comma, and then the topic you're researching. Then, you need only to scroll through the search results for that website that you typed in and hit on the link. If the website is sound, your information will be valid...!

e.g., type in "EWTN, Immaculate Conception":

Mary's Immaculate Conception - EWTN.com https://www.ewtn.com/faith/teachings/marya2.htm

In teaching that Mary was **conceived immaculate**, the Catholic Church teaches that from the very moment of her **conception**, the Blessed Virgin Mary was free...

This Method is especially helpful with Fr. Felix Just's website, Catholic Resources:

e.g., type in to your search engine: "Felix Just, symbols of Gospel authors" and up pops:

<u>Symbols of the Four Evangelists - Felix Just, SJ</u> catholic-resources.org/Art/Evangelists\_**Symbols**.htm

Oct 26, 2009 - Christian tradition has long connected the **authors** of the four canonical **Gospels** (Matthew, Mark, Luke, John) with the four "living creatures" that ...

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Thus, getting sound information just involves knowing which websites are trustworthy and which ones to avoid.

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