

Exploring the National Shrine

Find the Web site of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception by entering the phrase "national shrine" into a search engine. Explore the Web site to complete the assignment.

1. In what city is the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception located?
2. Why is the national shrine, known as America's Catholic Church, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary under her title of the Immaculate Conception?
3. Name two devotions that visitors to the shrine can share in (in addition to the celebration of the Sacraments).
4. Name three types of prayer requests that you can submit online at the basilica's Web site.
5. Name four titles for Mary represented in artwork located in the upper church.
6. Name five nationalities represented in the basilica's chapels.

