

Morning Briefing

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[New Catholic bishop named for Erie](#)^[1] Bishop-elect Lawrence T. Persico says he doesn't bring any preconceived plans to his new job as leader of the Catholic Diocese of Erie

[Scottish Catholic Church under fire over gay comments](#)^[2] A senior figure for the Roman Catholic Church in Scotland has come under fire for claiming that medical evidence proves that homosexual behaviour "leads to early death"

[Australia: Catholic teachers expected to join strike](#)^[3] Catholic schools are expected to join teachers from the state system in a strike next month

[Peru: academics battle Vatican for religious freedom](#)

^[4] Rome cracks down on a university, orders the school to drop "Pontifical" and "Catholic" from its name, over its alleged refusal to comply with ecclesiastical law

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