

**As Offered**

**134th General Assembly  
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**H. R. No. 110**

**Representatives Ingram, Abrams, Brinkman, Denson, Kelly, Miranda, Seitz**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Archdiocese of Cincinnati on its Two  
Hundredth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 134th 1  
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Archdiocese 2  
of Cincinnati on its Bicentennial; and 3

WHEREAS, Erected by Pope Pius VII in 1821 as the Diocese of 4  
Cincinnati and elevated to archdiocese by Pope Pius IX in 1850, the 5  
Archdiocese of Cincinnati has offered the members of the 211 parishes 6  
it encompasses the pathway to a more meaningful life by illuminating 7  
and demonstrating the precepts on which the Roman Catholic Church was 8  
founded. The spirit of love and Christian fellowship that exists among 9  
its flock extend beyond the sacred walls of its churches to touch the 10  
lives of everyone throughout the many communities the archdiocese 11  
cares for; and 12

WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of Archbishop Dennis Marion 13  
Schnurr and his predecessors, the Archdiocese of Cincinnati has 14  
experienced continual growth and served as a moral pillar throughout 15  
the region. Also administering 110 associated schools, the archdiocese 16  
has impacted innumerable lives, and through its generous efforts, it 17  
has earned the gratitude and respect of the many citizens it has so 18  
capably served; and 19

WHEREAS, An occasion such as this is an important milestone that 20  
represents dedication and commitment. For two hundred years, the 21  
Archdiocese of Cincinnati has kept the spirit and message of Jesus 22  
Christ alive throughout our state, and on this special anniversary, 23  
this institution has accepted the challenge of carrying its beliefs 24  
into the future; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of 26  
the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, 27  
commend the Archdiocese of Cincinnati on its Two Hundredth Anniversary 28  
and salute all those who have supported its mission; and be it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 30  
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Archdiocese of 31  
Cincinnati. 32