Ten Ways You Can Take Action for Faithful Citizenship

1. Check out the prayer and reflection resources for Faithful Citizenship at faithfulcitizenship.org
2. Commit to rise above vitriol and partisanship. Take the pledge to civility, clarity and compassion at CivilizeIt.org
3. Pray for policymakers and for their action on behalf of those who are poor or vulnerable.
4. Call, email, or connect with your policymakers. Let them know where you stand on important issues! (check out helpful hints on how to get started.)
5. Organize your community to take part in a civil dialogue.
6. Ask your friends if their faith impacts their political engagement. Why or why not?
7. Choose an issue that you don’t know much about and learn more. Take time to form your conscience through prayer, studying Church teaching, talking with experts, and reflection.
8. Make a commitment to defend life and human dignity and promote justice and peace wherever possible.
9. Pray this novena before an election.
10. For heaven’s sake—VOTE if you’re eligible! Help your friends get registered to vote, too.