



June 16, 2016

Vocation Culture: *Reflection to Action*

Between 2012 and 2013, the National Religious Vocation Conference (NRVC) sponsored the *Women Religious Moving Forward in Hope* program. Generously underwritten by the GHR Foundation, these four regional gatherings brought together the vocation minister and the major superior or leadership team member of 115 canonically recognized religious institutes of women to explore the opportunities, challenges, and implications for new membership in religious life that are presented by the changing ethnic and generational demographics of Catholic women in the United States. This program also effectively fostered respectful dialogue among women religious inter-congregationally and between members of the two leadership conferences of women religious.

The final report of these gatherings identified eight critical issues for women's religious institutes regarding new membership that need to be addressed during this transformational period of religious life:

1. Establishing boundaries and clear identities as women religious
2. Increasing the cultural knowledge and sensitivity of members
3. Considering how communal decisions affect younger members
4. Increasing the communications among leadership and vocation personnel
5. Encouraging all to be inviters to religious life
6. Continuing the work of reconciliation and healing within a divided Church
7. Working with dioceses and parishes to promote vocations
8. Trusting in God's providence



With Bro. Paul Bednarczyk, CSC, Executive Director of NRVC is the team of religious sisters who developed the *Vocation Culture: Reflection to Action* resource.

In response to the expressed desire of the sister participants for assistance in addressing these needs, the NRVC has prepared a resource *Vocation Culture: Reflection to Action* which is being made available to women's religious institutes. The comprehensive reflective guide is intended to assist women's congregations to better understand and evaluate their strengths and challenges around the eight critical issues identified above.

In this time in the Church, this is an opportunity for religious communities to hold conversations with their members in large and small groups to thoughtfully consider how their current lived experience might encourage or hinder a culture of vocations.

Entering into such meaningful dialogue will better enable religious institutes to establish vocation priorities for the next five years – and beyond. ~ Bro. Paul Bednarczyk, CSC for NRVC

To read more:

https://nrvc.net/download/4534/todayscatholicsisters_executivesummary_4-23-2016.pdf?view=true



Career?
School?
Volunteer service?
CMC missionaries share
what's next.



Denzel Stanislaus

Served: 2015 – 2016, Cabrini High School, New Orleans, Service Learning and Campus Minister

What have you most appreciated about the CMC experience this year?

The opportunity to grow in understanding of and the living out of the charism of an incredible example of zeal, obedience and flexibility in the Catholic faith, Mother Cabrini. Also, having the freedom to forge my own path and adhere to my passions and values, while also receiving the tools, resources and support networks to help evaluate past experiences that still impact me; learn how to remain present within my current experience, and discern my future path.



What are your plans for the future?

This coming Fall, I have the distinct honor and privilege to return to my alma mater, Villanova University, and pursue my Master's Degree in School Counseling, while serving as a Campus Ministry intern. The internship will allow me to continue to do mission work and minister to young adults, while bolstering the Augustinian values of love, unity and truth, by increasing the presence of Campus Ministry in the everyday discourse of Villanova students.



Any thoughts you would like to express to the Cabrini Community as your commitment comes to a close?

I would like to thank the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, all of the lay advisors and especially, the Cabrini High School faculty, staff, students and administration for granting me the opportunity to serve Mother Cabrini and be a part of a mission much greater than all of us. Their time, effort, sacrifice and hospitality on my behalf will never be forgotten and I will live each day of my life in adherence to the principles of respect, excellence and service, which have been instilled in me this year.

Anything else?

May our paths cross again!



THE MATISSE CHAPEL Art and the Sacred

A TALK AND SLIDE PRESENTATION

June 30, 2016 7:30 pm

Fr. Paul Anel will present a talk about Matisse and the chapel he designed in France. Fr. Anel is a compelling speaker and he will talk from personal experience about the beauty of the space, the power of friendship, and the capacity of art to inspire hope and transcendence.



A native of France, Father Paul Anel is the Art Director of Heart's Home, an international Catholic community of volunteers. Based in Brooklyn, Father Paul leads an extensive and successful outreach program to the artist community. He was ordained a priest in Toulon, France, in June 2010. He celebrated his first Mass in the Matisse Chapel, in Southern France.

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When? NEXT Wednesday, June 22, 2016

Arrive: 6:00 p.m. Start time: 6:30 p.m. End time: 9:00 p.m.

Where? BowlMor Lanes, Chelsea Piers

Pier 60 – 23rd St and West Side Highway

By car: Chelsea Piers (Hourly) Parking Available

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SAVE THE DATE!

Birthday Celebration for Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini

Celebración del cumpleaños de Santa Francisca Javier Cabrini

Saturday, July 23
10 am – 4 pm

Sábado 23 de Julio
10 am – 4 pm



11:00 am
English Mass

Celebrant: Bishop Gerald Walsh

2:00 pm
Misa en Español

Following the family friendly masses there will be a full barbeque - rain or shine - on our beautiful campus. Live music, children's activities and more! Raffle tickets!



Después de las misa en Familia habrá una barbacoa completa - en nuestro hermoso patio. Música en vivo, actividades para los niños y mucho más!

Francesca Cabrini was born on July 15, 1850, in the village of Sant'Angelo. Villagers and members of her family recalled later that just before her birth a flock of white doves circled around high above the house.

Francesca Cabrini nació el 15 de julio de 1850 en el pueblo de Sant'Angelo. Los habitantes del pueblo y sus familiares recordaron posteriormente que justo antes de su nacimiento, una bandada de palomas blancas volaba en círculo sobre la casa.

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Please make a note:

There has been a change of
email address for
Sr. Lucy Panettieri, MSC.
The new email is:

lpnmsc@yahoo.com

Prayer Requests

Pierina Molon Calgaro and Terizinia Molon Santos

Please pray for the sisters of Sr. Romualda Molon, MSC. Pierina had hip surgery on Monday and Terizinia had surgery last Friday. Pray that they will each experience a swift recovery.

Alice Cullen

Prayers are requested for Alice Cullen who is seriously ill and may have to begin dialysis treatment.

Barbara Geraci

Please pray for Barbara, the mother of Josephine Geraci in the Province Office. Mrs. Geraci is now at home and doing well. Josephine is grateful for your prayers.

Victims of the Orlando Tragedies

Let us join with the families of those who were injured and those who lost their lives in the recent tragedy in Orlando, Florida. Let us pray too, for Christina Grimmie, the young entertainer who was shot and killed following her concert in Florida. Please pray for an end to senseless gun violence that destroys the lives of so many.

In Loving Memory

Edwina Amoroso

Your prayers are asked for Edwina Amoroso, the wife of Dan Amoroso, Jr., and the daughter-in-law of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dan Amoroso, Sr., long-time friends and benefactors of the Missionary Sisters. Edwina was called home to God on Tuesday, June 14th. May she rest in God's peace. Funeral arrangements are pending.

Sebastiani Tringalo

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Sebastiani Tringalo, the sister of Sr. Adelina Di Mare.