

Society of Mary

Marists in the United States

Justice & Peace Alert

January 13, 2023



**An Online Public Dialogue on:
The Consistent Ethic of Life in 2023
Solidarity with Those Who are Poor
and Vulnerable**



2023 National Prayer Vigil for Life

Pray to Protect Human Life!

Join dioceses across the country in praying for the protection of human life throughout the 9 Days for Life novena (January 19th-27th).

Learn more about the novena [HERE](#).

9 DAYS FOR LIFE

**JOIN THOUSANDS AS WE PRAY
FOR THE RESPECT OF HUMAN LIFE.**

If taken seriously, the synodal process could transform race relations in the US church



IGNATIUS SOLIDARITY NETWORK
SLAVERY, THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, AND LESSONS FOR TODAY

A Conversation with Chris Kellerman, S.J.,
author of *All Oppression Shall Cease:
A History of Slavery, Abolitionism,
and the Catholic Church*

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 19
3:00 PM ET**

RSVP: igsol.net/pj

Webinar: Slavery, The Catholic Church, and Lessons for Today



Border bishop takes lead role in Catholic migrant ministry

A Brief But Spectacular take on Embracing Immigration



Webinar, Jan. 15: Reimagining King's vision – The fierce urgency of now

REIMAGINING KING'S VISION
THE FIERCE URGENCY OF NOW
SUNDAY, JAN. 15
4 – 5:30 PM EST

Tiffany Loftin
NAACP, NAACP

Rev. Liz Theoharis
Anti-Racism Campaign

Ash-Lee Henderson
Highlander Center

Medea Benjamin
CODEPINK

Luis J. Rodriguez
Ta-Chacha's Center of Cultural & Bookstore

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The World Day of Peace message asserts our need for one another

DO GOOD; SEEK JUSTICE.
(Isaiah 1:17)

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2023

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
(January 18th-25th)**

The Marists invite you to observe the week by participating in prayer for Christian unity. As we pray, let us call to mind this year's theme: "Do good; seek justice (Isaiah 1:17)." The entire scriptural passage for the theme is Isaiah 1:12-18, lamenting a lack of justice among the People of God. Yet, it also promises redemption by encouraging acts of justice.

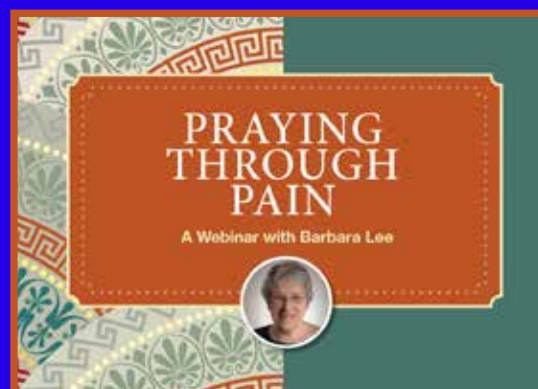
Click [**HERE**](#) to view more resources.

Marist District of Asia - General Chapter

The Society of Mary-Marists, District of Asia held its District Chapter from January 9-13, 2023. Fr. Bernard McKenna, SM, General Councilor led a 2-day guided reflection prior to the start of the Chapter. May Mary's gentle spirit continue to guide the District of Asia.



JPIC: Child Labor- now and then



**Praying Through Pain: A Webinar
with Barbara Lee**

Prayer for an Emerging Future

Wellspring of Compassion, Container of all life, Join us as we lean into a future coming to be through our humble efforts. Lead us into your emerging future. Empower us as we draw down our harms.

Transfigure our despairs, may they become the fertile fields of a world made new. We invoke your Good Spirit to enfold everything in a bounty of blessing. Open to us the life-force of all that lives, encourage us, teach us the art of co-creation in your world.

Whaea nui o te Taiao katoa, inoi mō mātou. Mother of the New Creation, pray for us.

[Peter Healy, SM New Zealand Ecology Commission]