

TO PAX CHRISTI EL PASO AND FRIENDS

Newsletter Pax Christi El Paso October 2021

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PAX CHRISTI VIRTUAL MEETING Tuesday, October 5, at 7 pm MT

We will "meet" again on Zoom. If you did not attend last month, and would like to receive an invitation and link, please send me your email. phdelgado3583@gmail.com You may attend with a computer, smart phone. or by audio using any type of phone. All are welcome!

Study/Discussion: We will continue to discuss presentations from the Pax Christi USA Conference in July.

1) Here is the YouTube Playlist:

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLnKdnZlt_EiurTkQuKk4zn1WqfM1-mrZ8

- 2) Listen to Video #16: ***Gospel Nonviolence for a Laudato Si' Future***
- 3) Prepare to share **what resonated** the most, or surprised you;
- 4) and think about **how we might put something into practice** either individually or as a PC group.

Guest Speaker: Sr. Odile Coirier FMM. Even if you don't have time to listen to the video beforehand, come to the meeting! Sr. Odile will share with us what is being envisioned in our diocese to implement the Laudato Si' Action Platform for the Church. Sr. Odile retired from serving at the UN Franciscan International NGO, and now resides in El Paso. Here is a link to a recent trip she made to the Permian Basin: <https://www.nm-ipl.org/sister-odile-coirier-of-el-paso-testifies-at-epa-hearing/>

LINK:

The all-encompassing vision of Pope Francis' Laudato Si' Action Platform for the Church

by Joseph Nangle, OFM, Pax Christi USA Ambassador of Peace, OCTOBER 3, 2021

On November 14th (originally scheduled for the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi on October 4th), Pope Francis will do a very Franciscan thing. He will call the entire Catholic world for a seven-year effort to implement his historic encyclical, Laudato Si'.

Read More:

<https://paxchristiusa.org/2021/10/03/the-all-encompassing-vision-of-pope-francis-laudato-si-action-platform-for-the-church/>

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE MINISTRY

All are Invited to: An Interfaith Bilingual Vigil Against the Death Penalty

As we join cities around the world to observe

The 19th World Day Against the Death Penalty

Date: Sunday, October 10, 2021

Time: 3:00-4:30 PM (Bring a chair.)

Place: Memorial Park, Grant Avenue, El Paso
(lower road through the Park, near the rock wall arch)
Enter Park from Copia or Copper.

In Solidarity With:

El Pasoans Against the Death Penalty

The Restorative Justice Ministry of the EP Diocese

World Coalition Against the Death Penalty

<https://worldcoalition.org/campagne/19th-world-day-against-the-death-penalty/>



Texas Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty www.tcadp.org



Photo by Sr. Maggie Sierra MM

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Please spread the Word!

More Updates:

Texas has 4 **executions** scheduled before the end of the year: one in October and three in November!

Execution Vigil: Tuesday, October 12, 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm at the Corner of San Antonio and Campbell, downtown in front of the El Paso County Courthouse, to protest the execution of Stephen Barbee, on death row for 15 years.
Call for Info about parking, and updates: 915 740-3962

Save the Date: Mass of Thanksgiving for the souls of Juan Pablo and Jonathan Salas, and for the witness for life by the family, Monday, November 22nd, 6 pm at Our Lady of Assumption Church, 4800 Byron St., El Paso 79930

Pax Christi E Paso extends its **condolences to Bishop John Stowe**, Pax Christi Bishop-President on the death of his father, John R. Stowe on September 22, 2021. Bishop Stowe was formerly vicar of the Diocese of El Paso and has many friends in El Paso.

Pax Christi USA's monthly virtual Peace Mass, October 28, 2021

4th Thursday of each month at 8 pm ET, **(6 pm MT)** A wonderful action of solidarity for our Peace community to gather together and celebrate no matter where we are! All are Welcome! <https://paxchristiusa.org/2021/03/16/pax-christi-usa-to-host-a-monthly-peace-mass-starting-in-march/>

[LINK](#)

“A Moral Crisis” Reverend William Barber: “On Why Congress Must Pass a \$3.5 trillion bill”. Rev. Barber is co-chair of the Poor People’s Campaign and president of Repairers of the Breach. Watch the Democracy Now! interview:

https://www.democracynow.org/2021/9/30/rev_william_barber_congress

SAVE THE DATE: SCHOOL OF THE AMERICAS



[Register here to attend](#)

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