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ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Tết Trung Thu</u> celebration is coming SOON!!! Spread the word and tell your friends and families. We look forward to seeing you all in September!

Date: September 23rd, 2023

Time: 3 PM

Location: St. Joseph's Social Hall

235 Dwight RD.

Springfield, MA 01108

GIUSE X

Location: Our Lady of Vilna

151 Sterling St.

Worcester, MA 01610

Time: October 7th, 2023 9 AM - 3:30 PM

Họp Hội Đồng Liên Đoàn

Location: Immaculate Conception Spiritual

Renewal Center 600 Liberty Highway Putnam, CT 06260

Time: October 13th at 4 PM to October 14th

at 4 PM

POPE'S INTENTION



We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

Chúng ta hãy cầu nguyện cho những người đang sống bên lề xã hội, trong những điều kiện vô nhân đạo; xin cho họ không bị các tổ chức bỏ qua, và không bao giờ bị coi thường.

A DUTY TO HELP ONE ANOTHER

Maria Trần Võ Thị Thái Phương - Đoàn Đức Mẹ La Vang - Worcester, Massachusetts



Would you be surprised if I said that all of creation and everything in it belongs to God? If all creation belongs to God, then we are mere stewards of God's creation. The Book of Genesis tells us that God gave humans dominion or rather the responsibility over the world and its resources; and thanks to my three boys, I've learned the infamous words of Spider-Man that "with great power comes great responsibility."

As a mother, wife, youth leader, and business professional, I am learning that it is not enough for us to simply be concerned with our own needs or only the needs of our immediate family, but as Jesus teaches, we also have a duty to care for one another. This

month, the Church prays in a special way for the poor, the marginalized and those often overlooked and forgotten.

When I reflect on this message, I am reminded of my late friend and religious sister, Sister Theresa Khen, MPV, who was a huge inspiration to me. During the time of mass immigration, Sister Theresa helped to settle thousands of Vietnamese and other ethnic minorities through the refugee resettlement program in the Diocese of Worcester and though she knew little-to-no English, she eventually mastered the language enough to earn her master's degree from Boston University in order to better serve incoming migrants. This kind of achievement was incredibly rare at the time, especially because Vietnamese immigrants were only beginning to settle in the US, and no one would have thought that so much could be achieved by a little old Vietnamese nun whose only strength was God. And if you got the chance to know her, you would see that all her education and effort was never used for her own advantage, but always done out of a love for others and for her community.

Sister Theresa taught me this valuable lesson--one that is echoed this month through the prayers of the Church--that all of us have a duty to help one another, according to the gifts, talents, and resources that God has given us. According to the parable of the talents, it seems to me that those with more are asked to give more; and those with less are asked to give and do what they can for others. It is easy to overlook the poor and the marginalized, but I think to do so, would be to overlook Jesus Christ who lives in them.



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MONTHLY EUCHARISTIC adova ion

October 5th
9 PM EST







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ANNOUNCEMENT LETTER

To: Chapter Chaplains, Assistant Chaplains (Religious and Lay), Youth Leaders, Parents, and all youth members of our League

Concern: Hội Chợ Tết Trung Thu (Mid-Autumn Festival) 2023

May the peace and love of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist be with all Chapter Chaplains, Assistant Chaplains (Religious and Lay), Youth Leaders, Parents, and youth members of our League.

After two years of hiatus due to the pandemic, per popular requests and the support of the chapters in our League, the Executive Board of the St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters will host Hội Trợ Tết Trung Thu (Mid-Autumn Festival) on Saturday, September 23rd, 2023, at **St. Joseph's Social Hall @ St. Paul the Apostle Church, 235 Dwight Rd, Springfield, MA 01108.** This festival will be an opportunity for the members of our League to come together, have fun, and learn about our Vietnamese culture in fraternal love. Besides special performances from various chapters and exciting competitions to help liven the festival, there will be fundraising activities to help cover the costs of our League's future activities like League conventions, retreats, and trainings.

For the Tet Trung Thu festival to be successful, the Executive Board of the St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters hopes that you strongly encourage and build resources for the youth in your chapter by participating in full, sharing your talents during our performance segment, and praying for the success of our festival. Here are some things we need your help with:

 Advertise, encourage your Chapter's members and children to contribute to our performance segment, competitions, participate in your Chapter's activity/game stands

Again, the Executive Board of the St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters give thanks to all Chapter Chaplains, Assistant Chaplains (Religious and Lay), Youth Leaders, benefactors, supporters and all the Chapter Executive Boards. If you have any questions, concerns, or more details please contact the head of the organizing committee, Tr. Maria Goretti Ta Maria, mariata716@gmail.com. Through the intercession of the Holy Family, may God continue to bless you now and forever.

Attested,

In the love of Jesus Christ, the Eucharist, Written in Boston, MA on June 17th, 2023

LM Phaolô Chu Trọng Phước, SDB Tuyên Úy Liên Đoàn Thánh Phaolô Hanh

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To: Chapter Chaplains, Assistant Chaplains (Religious and Lay), and all Chapter's Executive Officers

Concern: Annual St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters Face to Face Meeting

The St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters' Executive Committee extends our warmest greetings in the love of Christ to all Chaplains, Chaplain Assistants (clergy and layperson) and Chapters' Executive Committees.

We invite all members of the League's Congress: Chapter Chaplains, the heads of the League's Assistant Chaplain (Lay) committee, members of the executive committee of the League, and all Chapter Presidents and your two Vice Presidents to our annual face to face meeting on October 13th - 14th, 2023 at the Immaculate Conception Spiritual Renewal Center - 600 Liberty Highway, Putnam, CT 06260. We humbly ask everyone to make all efforts to come to this meeting on time and arrange one full day of attendance, so we have enough time for the activities at this year's event. Our meeting will begin promptly at 4 pm on Friday, October 13th and will last until 4 pm on Saturday, October 14th, 2023.

This is an opportunity for us to come together as a League to: pray, engage in fun activities, discuss the League's plan for the upcoming 2024 year, and receive new updates from the National Executive Board. We want to emphasize that this event is an opportunity for all of us to come together, relax, and bond. It is also an opportunity for the League of Chapters' Executive Committee to express our gratitude for all your dedicated services to your chapter throughout the years. As always, please continue to support us and work together with us so we can better serve each other and build up our League of Chapters even more.

For us to effectively plan for this meeting, chapter presidents please RSVP your chapter number of attendance to Tr. Matta Trần Bảo Hạnh via email bhtran88@gmail.com before September 30th, 2023. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this event, please contact her as well.

May Christ in the Eucharist through the intercession of Mary and Saint Joseph bless you always.

Attested.

In the love of Jesus Christ, the Eucharist, Written in Boston, MA on June 17th, 2023

LM Phaolô Chu Trong Phước, SDB Chaplain of St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters

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THÔNG BÁO

Kính Gửi: **Quý Cha Tuyên Úy, Quý Trợ Úy, Quý Trợ Tá, và Ban Chấp Hành các Đoàn** Trích Yếu: **Giuse X - Họp Mặt Ban Trợ Tá Liên Đoàn Thánh Phaolô Hạnh**

Xin kính gửi lời chào nồng hậu nhất đến Quý Cha Tuyên Úy, Quý Trợ Úy, Quý Trợ Tá và Huynh Trưởng trong tình mến yêu của Chúa Giêsu Thánh Thể.

Dưới sự chấp thuận của Cha Tuyên Úy Liên Đoàn và theo nhu cầu cần thiết của nhiều sinh hoạt Liên Đoàn sắp tới trong năm 2024, Ban Thường Vụ (BTV) Liên Đoàn chúng con xin trân trọng kính mời tất cả các Trợ Tá tại các Xứ Đoàn bỏ chút thời gian đến tham dự họp mặt hàng năm Ban Trợ Tá Liên Đoàn **GIUSE X**

Địa chỉ: Our Lady of Vilna - 151 Sterling St, Worcester, MA 01610
 Thời gian: Thứ Bảy Ngày 7 Tháng 10 từ 9:00 giờ sáng - tới 3:30 giờ chiều

Phiên họp gặp mặt hằng năm này là cơ hội cho BTV Liên Đoàn chúng con gặp gỡ các cô chú Trợ Tá để cảm ơn tri ân mọi sự nâng đỡ và chia sẻ của các cô chú trong những sinh hoạt của Liên Đoàn. Đây cũng là cơ hội để chúng ta hội thảo, hỏi đáp cũng như nêu ý kiến và đóng góp nhằm tiếp tục duy trì một Ban Trợ Tá đắc lực cho Phong Trào, đặc biệt cho Liên Đoàn chúng ta.

Để cho phần tổ chức được tốt đẹp, xin các Trưởng Ban Trợ Tá hoặc Đoàn Trưởng báo số Trợ Tá tham dự của đoàn đến cho TT. Phêrô Trần Sơn qua email sonlinh@hotmail.com trước ngày 23 tháng 9 năm 2023.

Qua lời cầu bầu của Hiền Mẫu Maria và Thánh Cả Giuse, nguyện xin Chúa Giêsu Thánh Thể là Anh Cả của Phong Trào ban ơn lành và gìn giữ quý vị trong tình Ngài luôn luôn mãi.

Kiến thị,

Thân mến trong Chúa Giêsu Thánh Thể, Làm tại Boston, MA ngày 17 tháng 6 năm 2023

LM **Phaolô Chu Trọng Phước, SDB** Tuyên Úy Liên Đoàn Thánh Phaolô Hanh

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