



Currents

June 2017

Upcoming Events

Eucharistic Adoration –1st Friday of each month. All are welcome to make a visit to the Provincialate Chapel between 3– 5pm on **June 2nd**.

Evening Mass & Supper - Join us for Mass and a simple meal. Last Monday of each month at 6pm. Next date is **June 26th**. [Respond here to attend](#).

2017 Come & See Retreats:

Join us for a weekend to explore Religious Life and experience our prayer, community and ministry first hand. For more info please contact [Sr. Kim Kessler CSR](#) to learn when the next retreat will be offered.

Garden Service Day—we look forward to welcoming students from a local high school to the community garden on June 2nd.

Vacation Bible School: We look forward to again offering VBS at our Province Center the week of **August 14th**. For more information please contact [Sr. Maryanne King](#)

Reflection by Rev. Timothy Judge

Excerpt from the homily on the Feast of the Redeemer:

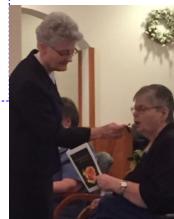
Pope Francis has often in his ministry challenged the church to re-examine the basic Gospel message in order to renew our understanding of what it means to be the Church—the Body of Christ.

We pause, hopefully often, to renew our understanding of not only what it means to be the Body of Christ, but also to renew our understanding of our particular Mission as members of that Body of Christ to care, comfort and heal the members of the Body of Christ. This Redeemer Day is one of those times and opportunities . . . Christ, Our Redeemer, who was God, did not consider being in the form of God a prize! (Phil 2:5-7). Some translations may say it, “something to be exploited.” Jesus holding infinite power and immortality chose to humble Himself and take the form of a servant being. This humbleness is beyond our comprehension in the fact that Jesus went from infiniteness to nothingness! This transformation is the pattern of our call to discipleship. This transformation to humility and service is the hallmark of the Church, the Body of Christ and of our own Redeemer community in all its facets, Sisters, Associates, Sponsor System. As a Christian community we are called to be of one mind and heart as Christ. Baptized and transformed by Christ’s living Spirit, nourished by the transformed bread and wine, the Body and Blood of the same Lord, we go forth to transform the sick, the lonely, the forgotten, the fearful and oppressed people of God.

Celebrating The Feast of the Redeemer



On May 13th we renewed our vows as we celebrated our Feast Day joined by our [Redeemer Associates](#) and [Redeemer Ministry Corps](#) volunteer. We also were united in spirit with our Sisters in Germany and Tanzania as they celebrated.



Congratulations, Sr. Mary David on 50 years of Religious Life!

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