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Dear <<First Name>> <<Last Name>>,

Warm greetings from the Secretariat!

I sincerely appreciate you for participating in the survey on HL to update the database and improve the HL newsletter with your feedback. Thank you very much. If you have not completed the survey, please do so latest by 15th June using [this link](#). We are excited to read how most of you appreciate the newsletter and desire to continue receiving it, and this helps us to work joyfully and more intentionally to improve further.

As a first decision based on your feedback, we decided to publish now only once a month. We aim to recall what we communicated on our platforms during that month. Each issue will contain a **Testimony** from one member of our apostolic work, a **Reflection** on an international Day celebrated during the month, **News** from different conferences around the world, input from the **PCCP** project, **upcoming events** for the next month, etc. We welcome you to visit our [website](#) and social media pages regularly to stay current.

As you know, the Congregation of Procurators 71 (CP71) in Loyola was a time of intense grace for everyone. The intention was to listen to the Holy Spirit and discern God's will for the Society today in this complex world. A day was dedicated to listening to the cry for the "Promotion of a Consistent Culture of Protection" (PCCP), during which everyone felt the intense movement of the Spirits. In this issue of HL, Sandra, the Assistant Director of this project, has written a reflection on how to have a social impact in creating a consistent culture of protection in our institutions and communities. Besides, the Laudato Si' Week, celebrated from 21-28 May, guides us to appreciate the many activities undertaken in various parts of the world and the 'urgency' to ACT.

With deep gratitude,

Xavier Jeyaraj, SJ
SJES Secretary

TESTIMONY

L. Yesumarian, SJ - Hunger for Justice: A Delegate's Reflection on Ministry to the Marginalized

For many years I have ministered to the landless poor in India, the Dalits and tribals whose lands have been taken from them in a country where 10% of its population control 80% of the wealth. [Read more...](#)



NEWS



GLOBAL - CP71 – Retreat ends and Canonical Phase begins

As the canonical part of the Congregation begins, further discussion of key themes chosen by Fr. General will take place. In some weeks, Fr. General will publish the definitive version of his text based on this intense process of discernment in common. [Read more...](#)



Nuestra Palabra | Radio Progreso y el ERIC

CPAL - Honduran Society's Environmental Agenda

The environmental crisis is a growing concern for the Honduran population, according to the results of the ERIC survey. Most respondents were against mining,



JCAM – Compassion and Commitment towards a Healthy and Sustainable Environment

A training workshop on the environmental crisis, environmental protection and public hygiene

the burning of sugar cane fields, the felling of forests and the privatisation of water. They also demand the implementation of a forest ban to protect the country's natural resources. [Read more...](#)



JCAP – Deep Spiritual Vision

Laudato Si' Week is little noticed in much of the Catholic Church. It is barely mentioned on church websites and programs. That is not to say that the Encyclical and its effects have been forgotten. It flowed into Catholic concern for the environment that in turn built links with other groups and audiences and made us see [Read more...](#)

awareness campaign was held at the University of Bangui. Private institutes and schools in Bangui also participated in educational radio talks on the environment. [Read more...](#)



JCCU – Alerts on Migration Management and Protection in the Americas (Communiqué)

Recent U.S. decisions regarding the termination of Title 42 (in effect until Thursday, May 11, 2023) and agreements with other countries in the region are generating major impacts that violate the guarantee of Human Rights, particularly the right to request International Protection. [Read more...](#)



JCEP - Social Justice Gathering – 'Truly a Gift'

The first gathering of the Irish Jesuit Province's social justice apostolates took place in the Arrupe Room, Milltown Park, Dublin on Wednesday, 3 May 2023. A day of networking and showcasing work and activities, [Read more...](#)

JCSA - Alongside Leprosy Sufferers, the Disabled and HIV-Positive People

The MAGIS Foundation's support for the project Rebuilding Communities Affected by Leprosy, HIV/AIDS and Physical Disability in Vijayapura (India), [Read more...](#)



REFLECTIONS : Living Together in Peace



Uniting Across Borders: Celebrating International Day of Living Together in Peace

... we call on governments and individuals around the world and especially in Europe to prioritize peacebuilding efforts and to ensure that all members of society including refugees and migrants, are able to fully participate and contribute to their communities. [Read more...](#)

PCCP – Safeguarding with Social Impact in the Church

Social impact implies quantitative and qualitative evidence of elimination of abuse, creation of safe environments, and development of a new culture of protection because of those actions, programs, policies and/or training. [Read more...](#)



Upcoming Events

June 5, UN – **World Environment Day**

June 10, Vatican – **World Meeting on Human Fraternity**, Rome, Italy.

June 26 - 30, SJES – **Annual Meeting**, Rome, Italy.



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