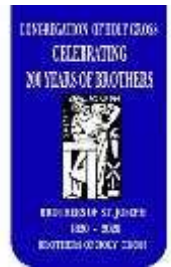


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Weekly Spiritual Reflection from the Early Brothers of St. Joseph

Brother Joachim's death [at Notre Dame] was that of the just. He had the good fortune to receive all the helps of religion and to give up his soul to his Creator under the eye of Father Superior and other priests. Although he was conscious up to the hour of his passing, he wasn't terrified. He spoke about it, on the contrary, as a thing he desired. (Brother Vincent Pieau 4/11/1844)

Vestment for Columba Hall



The brother of Brother Nicholas Thielman has returned to Nicholas a chasuble brought from Ghana, West Africa. Nicholas has gifted the residents of Columba Hall with the chasuble made with a cultural design of drums on the front. Drums are a symbol of celebration. Pictured is Brother Nicholas with Columba Hall Chaplain Father Bill Blum.

Click below on the picture link for Adinkra symbols.



Holy Cross Roads Writings for the Journey

To Know is to Love

Dear Associates and Friends,

Is knowing God different from loving God? The most significant way we know God is by a faith that brings trust, a knowing that God will be with us in all of the events of our lives; good and bad, in darkness or in light. Knowing God also comes to us in our unknowing. We finite creatures can never say our knowledge of the infinite God is in any way complete, but we can say that we know God's love for us. By faith we know that God's love for us will never be taken away even in our darkest hours.

Mother Teresa experienced God and knew God's will in her life when she founded a new religious community to care for the poorest of the poor. But after founding the community, the light of those early days turned to darkness. She could only know God in seeing him in the faces of those she ministered to. It was a new way of knowing. God's incarnation was happening before her eyes. "God became flesh and dwelled among her." In the love she had for the poor she was responding to God's love for her. Christ was still alive and well in her heart.

- Where do you find your knowledge of God?
- Do you experience God's love for you?
- What is God's love for you inviting you to do?

O God, in knowing your love for me, help me to bring that love to others.



Brother Carl Sternberg,

For more reflections to grow
spiritually please visit our new blog
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From the *Voice of Moreau Website*

The website features a Holy Cross sister, a brother, or a priest, with a weekly story on the blog. Check the following link below.



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Brother Philip Smith Brother Ben Rossi



MWHCA – Pear Tree – Columba Hall

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Saturday, April 24, 2021

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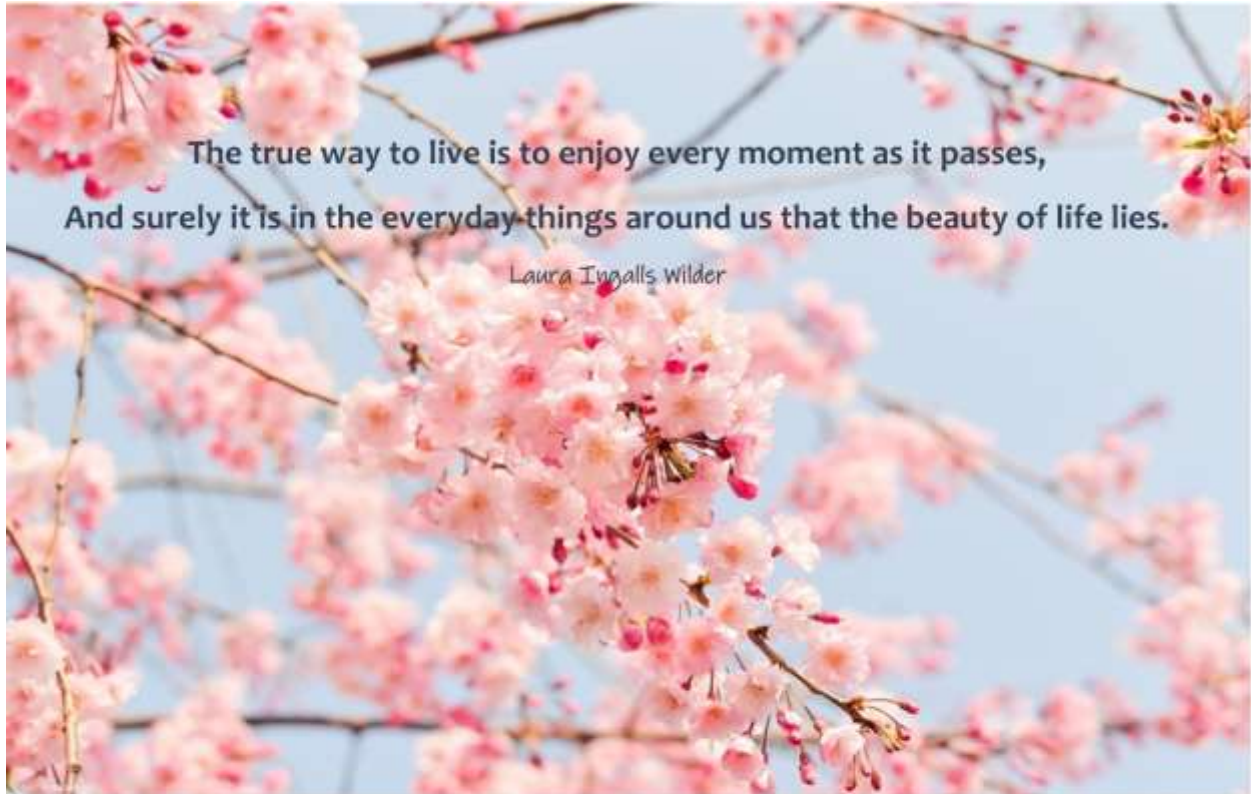
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Reminder





Reflection
Reflection sent in by
Brother Thomas Maddix, C.S.C.



The true way to live is to enjoy every moment as it passes,
And surely it is in the everyday things around us that the beauty of life lies.

Laura Ingalls Wilder

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