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July has been a month full of celebrations for us, which we share with you in this newsletter. We have been blessed with new candidates and women moving into new stages of formation to becoming a Dominican Sister of Peace.

As we turn towards August, we hope these summer months have been a blessing to you.

May you find time in solitude for prayer and reflection to deepen your relationship with God as you discern your next steps in life.

Peace and Blessings,

Sr. June Fitzgerald, OP; Sr. Mai-dung Nguyen, OP; Sr. Bea Tiboldi, OP; Mary Ellen George, OPA



Annie Killian's First Profession of Vows

In the photo shown here, Dominican Sisters of Peace Prioress Patricia Twohill, OP, blesses Sr. Annie Killian during the celebration of her Temporary Profession of Vows in Columbus, OH, on July 3, 2022.

[Read more.](#)



Welcome Ceremony

A welcome ceremony for Paula Danforth and Shingai Chigwedere was held on the grounds of the Albertus Magnus College in New Haven, Connecticut. During this ceremony, the doors to candidacy with the Dominican Sisters of Peace were opened to these two women on Sunday, July 14, 2022.

Click [here](#) to read Sr. June Fitzgerald's reflection and preaching on this special day.

Click [here](#) to read about Paula and click [here](#) to read about Shingai's journeys.



Margaret Uche's Perpetual Profession of Vows

Please join us online this Sunday, **July, 31 at 10:30 am CST/11:30 am EDT** as we celebrate the Perpetual Profession of Vows of Sister Margaret Uche.

The Eucharistic Liturgy and Rite of Perpetual Profession will be celebrated in our Great Bend Motherhouse Chapel in Kansas. The event will be live streamed. Click [here](#) to view the ceremony booklet.

Please click [here](#) to join the celebration via Zoom or copy and paste the following link into your browser:

<https://DominicanSistersofPeace.zoom.us/s/87483677310>

Webinar ID: 874 8367 7310

Click [here](#) to watch on YouTube.

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single, catholic women ages 18-45



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*retreat is free of charge



Summer Mission for Peace Program

The Mission for Peace Program is not merely a time for volunteering and spending time with sisters, but an opportunity to build relationships, to share and break the bread of life together, and to learn how to recognize our call from God through the signs of the times. Click [here](#) to read Sr. Maidung Nguyen's blog about this June's program in Kansas.



Video of the Month

At our Peace Center, several Sisters continue the commitment of the Dominican Sisters of Peace to the people of New Orleans within the Marlyville-Fontainbleau neighborhood.

Click [here](#) to listen to Sr. Therese Leckert, O.P. as she describes the various ways the Peace Center is serving this neighborhood.



Ask a Sister

What is your daily life like?

Our days are rooted in the four pillars of Dominican life –prayer, community, ministry, and study. We start our day with prayer, both in private and with our community. During Morning and Evening Prayer, we pray from Dominican Praise, a contemporary translation of the Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the Divine Office.

[Read more.](#)

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer is one of the foundations of our life and we invite you to share your prayer requests with us. Please send them to vocations@oppeace.org. Please also keep us, our congregation, and your fellow discerners in prayer.



The Vatican's Pope Video

We join the universal Church and Pope Francis as we pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility. You can listen to and watch this month's message [here](#).

Learn more about us via our website at www.oppeace.org or check us out on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), and [Facebook](#).

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