



# DOMINICAN LIFE USA

*A web crossroads for the Order of Preachers*

## **Photo of the Week: 'The Dominican Sisters of Hope Celebrate the Preservation of 34 Acres in Ossining'**



## **Dominican Sister of San Rafael: 'Innovative Outreach on Care for Our Common Home'**

From September 12-14, 2018, the Global Climate Action Summit took place in San Francisco. "The Summit underscored the urgency of the threat of climate change by mobilizing the voices and experience of real people, in real communities already facing real and stark threats . . . The Dominican Sisters of San Rafael have consciously and actively paid attention to the health and well-being of our planet for at least 40 years. We saw an opportunity to align with the Action Summit."

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## **Dominican Sisters of Peace: 'Siena Learning Center Celebrates 10 Years'**

"The Siena Learning Center marked its tenth anniversary on September 2018. The Center was also honored with a Proclamation from the Mayor of New Britain, Erin Stewart, who attended the Anniversary celebration."

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## **Dominican Sisters of Adrian: 'Presentation to Focus on Proposed Change to U.S. Immigration Law'**

On Thursday, October 11, 2018, Sister Attracta Kelly, OP, an immigration lawyer, will give a presentation that "will explore the implications of a newly proposed change in the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) policy that would make it harder for people to get legal status in the United States." This presentation will be livestreamed.

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## ***A Star is Born***

"*A Star Is Born* may be the most iconic of all Hollywood stories. The current movie is the fourth version of the film . . . Basically, this is the story of an established Hollywood celebrity (actors in the first two versions, rock musicians in the second two), who meet and fall in love with younger, talented women who aspire to show business."



[Read review by Tom Condon, O.P.](#)

## **Dominican Volunteers USA: 'Communities, Both Big and Small'**

"Our latest blog post comes from Dominican Volunteer Jake Moran. Jake serves at Sarah's Inn, a support center for survivors of domestic violence in Chicago, Illinois. Jake reflects on his communities both near and far. This includes his House of Connections community, shared with fellow DV Lacey Green and Dominican Sisters Marilyn Derr and Bernadine Karge."

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## **'Dominican Sisters of Sparkill Celebrate 60 Years in Pakistan'**

"On Saturday, September 15th, the Dominican Sisters of Sparkill honored both their past and their present while celebrating a Mass of Thanksgiving for the congregation's sixty years of ministry in Pakistan."

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