



# DOMINICAN LIFE USA

*A web crossroads for the Order of Preachers*

## **Photo of the Week: 'International Dominican Commission for Justice and Peace'**



## **'Dominican Sisters of Peace Hold Sponsorship Meeting'**

"On October 25 and 26, a group of leaders gathered at Ohio Dominican University from the six educational institutions sponsored by the Dominican Sisters of Peace: Albertus Magnus College (CT); Ohio Dominican University (OH), Dominican Academy (NY); Our Lady of the Elms (OH); St. Agnes-St. Dominic (TN) and St. Mary's Dominican High School (LA)."

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## **Dominican Sisters of Peace Present Painting for Albertus Magnus President**

During a recent visit to the Columbus Congregational office, the Dominican Sisters of Peace presented the Albertus Magnus President Marc Camille a gift of artwork created by Sr. Thoma Swanson, OP to hang in Camille's new office. The painting is "an oversized image of East Rock Cliff, a popular recreational area in New Haven, CT, not far from the Albertus Magnus campus."

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## Dominican Volunteers USA: 'Life as a Dominican Volunteer in Redwood City, California'

"Our latest blog post comes from DV Elizabeth Broussard. Elizabeth serves the St. Francis Center, a center for low-income families in Redwood City California, and offers us a glimpse into her experience, both inside and outside her ministry. Thank you for your service and perspective Elizabeth!"

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### *Can You Ever Forgive Me?*

This film "tells the true story of Lee Israel (Melissa McCarthy), a writer of biographies in the 1980's-1990's. Lee was moderately successful in her writing." However, "Lee is running out of money, and needs to find some way to pay the rent." When doing research on Fanny Brice, Lee finds a letter written by Fanny. She goes to sell the letter but is told it would be worth more if it was more substantial. After forging a P.S. on the letter, Lee sees this as an easy way to make money and begins to sell forged letters.



[Read review by Tom Condon, OP](#)

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