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<p>http://www.loretto.org/</p> 	<p>Please Note... Anything highlighted in blue really got my attention. 😊</p> <p>March 13-17 is Spring Break so there are no entries for those days! Enjoy your time off! Laudato Si'!</p>	<p>3/1 Zero Discrimination Day</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/mnhw5mph Zero Discrimination Day https://tinyurl.com/382yptda WHO Zero Discrimination Day https://tinyurl.com/xdbu7v2t I Volunteer International ZDD https://tinyurl.com/2p8by6r2 Anti-Discrimination Meaning https://tinyurl.com/2s43752m Protections Against Discrimination https://tinyurl.com/4vhrdt67 Don't Put People in Boxes Video https://tinyurl.com/3vpvhjcd Unity: Anti-Discrimination Video https://tinyurl.com/3wsf3cnz Anti-Discrimination Video Kids https://tinyurl.com/4fy893m5 21 Anti-Racism Videos Kids https://tinyurl.com/mrxj2z25 Anti-Discrimination Games Kids https://tinyurl.com/y79m4nk3 Color Page</p>  <p>“The Creator can say to each one of us: “Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you” (Jer 1:5). We were conceived in the heart of God, and for this reason “each of us is the result of a thought of God. Each of us is willed, each of us is loved, each of us is necessary”. #65</p>	<p>3/2 World Teen Mental Wellness Day</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/wf3jk89m World Teen Mental WD https://tinyurl.com/acxernca Red Flags https://tinyurl.com/32tenkxp 10 Ways to Support Teens https://tinyurl.com/44k458p7 WHO Fact Sheet https://tinyurl.com/mspj8k7h History and Participation https://tinyurl.com/2p8p6tt5 Hollister Confidence Project https://tinyurl.com/4xw9cupt 30 Healthy Coping Skills Teens https://tinyurl.com/2nhmwvww 10 Tips Every Teen should know https://tinyurl.com/338vhyh5 Strategies for HS Students https://tinyurl.com/35bbkn99 5 Tips Teens Cope with Stress</p> <p>“In the first creation account in the Book of Genesis, God’s plan includes creating humanity. After the creation of man and woman, “God saw everything that he had made, and behold it was <i>very good</i>” (Gen 1:31).” #65</p> 	<p>3/3 World Wildlife Day</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/2p847kcc UN World Wildlife Day https://tinyurl.com/yh6penz7 WWF World Wildlife Day https://tinyurl.com/3cfzfe8d Official Website WWD https://tinyurl.com/ry4tvttwb UN Events for WWD https://tinyurl.com/y7ajtepp Videos https://tinyurl.com/3dusu845 Activities Family/Kids Video https://tinyurl.com/2p9m3ja3 Animal Song Video Littles https://tinyurl.com/42tcu94c WWD Little and Kid video https://tinyurl.com/4xwkj66u Wildlife Coloring Pages https://rb.gy/ohjppgw Animal Crafts for Kids</p>  <p>“With paternal concern, Benedict urged us to realize that creation is harmed ‘where we ourselves have the final word, where everything is simply our property, and we use it for ourselves alone. The misuse of creation begins when we no longer recognize any higher instance than ourselves, when we see nothing else but ourselves.’” #6</p>

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<p>3/6 Day of Tolerance and Co-existence (Iraq)</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/5ydyje38 Day of Tolerance / Co-existence https://tinyurl.com/49av26h3 NDOT Article https://tinyurl.com/yckmzra Vatican News Article https://tinyurl.com/bde3ctmk CNA article https://tinyurl.com/bdzdcsc6 Kurdistan Welcomes DT/C https://tinyurl.com/ymh8725e Iraqi Culture https://tinyurl.com/3rnzyvvi Pope Francis Celebrates Mass https://tinyurl.com/4wtjm9x4 Teach Tolerance to Kids https://tinyurl.com/mzz258kv Tolerance Kid Video</p> <p>“Given the complexity of the ecological crisis and its multiple causes, we need to realize that the solutions will not emerge from just one way of interpreting and transforming reality. Respect must also be shown for the various cultural riches of different peoples, their art and poetry, their interior life and spirituality.” #63</p>  <p>https://tinyurl.com/yh7fm6b2</p>	<p>3/7 Plant Power Day</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/352rb2sa Plant Power Day https://tinyurl.com/bdzdapt5 Plant Power Day https://tinyurl.com/2p8uvffm Plant Based Diet/Climate Change Very informative read https://tinyurl.com/3wyypp46 Eat right/Save Planet https://tinyurl.com/vpf6zjh8 Plant Based Diet/Environment https://tinyurl.com/mt8a6zd6 Plant Based Lifestyle https://tinyurl.com/f9haa359 Plant Based Diets https://tinyurl.com/j25hjup4 Plant Based Diet Video https://tinyurl.com/ykbeb649 Video (very good! Watch it!) https://tinyurl.com/bdhxppzu List Gardening Activities Kids</p>  <p>“Every effort to protect and improve our world entails profound changes in ‘lifestyles, models of production and consumption, and the established structures of power which today govern societies’”. #4</p>	<p>3/8 International Woman’s Day</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/2jmphz4h International Woman’s Day https://tinyurl.com/4k84z436 IWD Theme 2023 https://tinyurl.com/uxs4rvbz Technology/Gender Equality https://tinyurl.com/27kzhz6r Facts/#Hashtags to Use https://tinyurl.com/3dcyxbvt IWD Commonwealth https://tinyurl.com/yp3vfjcp Mission for Change https://tinyurl.com/494vdv6z UN Gender Equality https://tinyurl.com/ea4ssy6m Gender Equality Empowerment https://tinyurl.com/4jcjutsn Gender Equality/Women’s Rights https://tinyurl.com/4p6xybmh WDI Video (UK) https://tinyurl.com/34bjrzva WDI Video History</p> <p>“Authentic human development has a moral character. It presumes full respect for the human person, but it must also be concerned for the world around us and “take into account the nature of each being and of its mutual connection in an ordered system.” #5</p> 	<p>3/9 World Kidney Day</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/bdfwdh7n World Kidney Day https://tinyurl.com/58dbkczw World Kidney Day Website https://tinyurl.com/uub72jf4 2023 Campaign https://tinyurl.com/54s48u88 Kidneys and How They Work https://tinyurl.com/4n6dky9f Kidneys Anatomy https://tinyurl.com/wjvwvk98 7 Things to Know https://tinyurl.com/44e4r5wn 10 Signs of Kidney Disease https://tinyurl.com/5euw6wb2 Biology of Kidney Video https://tinyurl.com/nhcuarva TED-Ed How Kidneys Work Video https://tinyurl.com/2fz64a45 How Kidneys Work Video Little https://tinyurl.com/mv2j2j87 How Kidneys Work Video Kids https://tinyurl.com/5a99naji Color Sheets/Activities Kids https://tinyurl.com/2p8kzfnw Color Page/Study Teens/Adult</p>  <p>https://tinyurl.com/mrbbmxxu9</p> <p>“Exposure to atmospheric pollutants produces a broad spectrum of health hazards, especially for the poor, and causes millions of premature deaths.”#20</p>	<p>3/10 Solar Appreciation Day</p> <p>https://tinyurl.com/bdsky9uz Solar Appreciation Day https://tinyurl.com/4uz9uc7u How to Celebrate (click links) https://tinyurl.com/95srvyvh Top Reasons Solar Energy https://tinyurl.com/ejnz8tbc Why Celebrate https://tinyurl.com/4n6dd65p NG Solar Energy https://tinyurl.com/bdf9wjz2 Britannica Solar Energy https://tinyurl.com/2p9fzxnz Loretto in Pakistan Solar! https://tinyurl.com/4bhuk2bv Solar Activities/Info Kids https://tinyurl.com/2p8kmyym NASA Kids All about the Sun</p> <p>“There is an urgent need to develop policies so that, in the next few years, the emission of carbon dioxide and other highly polluting gases can be drastically reduced, for example, substituting for fossil fuels and developing sources of renewable energy. Worldwide there is minimal access to clean and renewable energy. There is still a need to develop adequate storage technologies [for renewable energy, such as solar].”#26</p> 

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<p>3/20 World Rewilding Day https://tinyurl.com/5n7neb67 World Rewilding Day https://tinyurl.com/4nh6h6v8 Re-Wild Video Definition https://tinyurl.com/mrxcraftu Rewilding Global Alliance https://tinyurl.com/munxcs3u SUGi Project https://tinyurl.com/2p83brhn Rewilding India (iamgurgaon) https://tinyurl.com/nhhd6s4n People and Parks (Australia) https://tinyurl.com/24rz58px Re-Wilding Initiative (NY-USA) https://tinyurl.com/2asx7np9 Re-Wilding your Garden https://tinyurl.com/2rwtey37 Color Pages Kids https://tinyurl.com/y4drsbjw Re-Wild Explanation Video https://tinyurl.com/mww2vv36 TEDx Video George Monbiot https://tinyurl.com/2p98her9 How Wolves Change Rivers Video “Caring for ecosystems demands far-sightedness, since no one looking for quick and easy profit is truly interested in their preservation... Where certain species are destroyed or seriously harmed, the values involved are incalculable.” #36</p> 	<p>3/21 National Agriculture Day https://tinyurl.com/4bnca497 National Agriculture Day https://tinyurl.com/3uwp2a5b National Ag Day Home https://tinyurl.com/mwfuhtav Ag Foundation Home https://tinyurl.com/4h55jmkk Resources Kids and teachers https://tinyurl.com/mbjuehph Websites Students & Teachers</p>  <p>“...every seven years, a sabbatical year was set aside for Israel, a complete rest for the land (cf. <i>Lev</i> 25:1-4), when sowing was forbidden and one reaped only what was necessary to live on and to feed one’s household (cf. <i>Lev</i> 25:4-6). Finally, after seven weeks of years, which is to say forty-nine years, the Jubilee was celebrated as a year of general forgiveness and “liberty throughout the land for all its inhabitants” (cf. <i>Lev</i> 25:10). This law came about as an attempt to ensure balance and fairness in their relationships with others and with the land on which they lived and worked.” #71</p>	<p>3/22 World Water Day https://tinyurl.com/58apjnze World Water Day https://tinyurl.com/42rrr895 UN World Water Day https://tinyurl.com/n4yturdw Earth Echo Youth for Oceans https://tinyurl.com/3um24nyb Water and Climate Change https://tinyurl.com/4yfd48ya Activities Water Conservation https://tinyurl.com/cjwewsf WCA for kids/teacher resources https://tinyurl.com/4txz6fmp Water Sense for Kids https://tinyurl.com/3pe9jz5r Ocean Coloring Pages Kids https://tinyurl.com/39ve2fmc Water Conservation Coloring</p> <p>“Even as the quality of available water is constantly diminishing, in some places there is a growing tendency, despite its scarcity, to privatize this resource, turning it into a commodity subject to the laws of the market. Yet <i>access to safe drinkable water is a basic and universal human right, since it is essential to human survival and, as such, is a condition for the exercise of other human rights.</i>” #30</p> 	<p>3/23 World Meteorological Day https://tinyurl.com/2s452sww World Meteorological Day https://tinyurl.com/5dbj8e2x World Meteorological Organization https://tinyurl.com/4ja5xx4f Make a Hurricane Kid’s Interactive Game https://tinyurl.com/4byxdvu6 25 Classroom Weather Activities https://tinyurl.com/3r3uxur7 17 Fun Ways to Observe/Kids https://tinyurl.com/y2afjih9 Weather Watcher Kid Video https://tinyurl.com/59b2rvhx Weather Song Littles Video https://tinyurl.com/2p863889 Coloring Pages Kids/Littles https://tinyurl.com/2p98vc46 Coloring Pages Kids https://tinyurl.com/2rnrcbac Forecasting for Kids https://tinyurl.com/4kepe657 Weather Video Kids https://tinyurl.com/mpajzmtu Great Teacher Resource</p>  <p>“The climate is a common good, belonging to all and meant for all. At the global level, it is a complex system linked to many of the essential conditions for human life.” #23</p>	<p>3/24 International Day For The Right To The Truth Concerning Gross Human Rights Violations And For The Dignity Of Victims https://tinyurl.com/47hu6nf2 IDFTRTTTCGHRVAFTDOV https://tinyurl.com/mv367r7h UN Right to Truth https://tinyurl.com/2p9hn833 Britannica Oscar Romero https://tinyurl.com/529dtbwr Video #1 Explaining the Day https://tinyurl.com/4najxd97 Video #2 Explaining the Day https://tinyurl.com/4wn2bddy UN Video 2022 IDFTRTTTCGHRVAFTDOV “In the story of Cain and Abel, we see how envy led Cain to commit the ultimate injustice against his brother, which in turn ruptured the relationship between Cain and God, and between Cain and the earth from which he was banished. This is seen clearly in the dramatic exchange between God and Cain. God asks: “Where is Abel your brother?” Cain answers that he does not know, and God persists: “What have you done? The voice of your brother’s blood is crying to me from the ground.” #70</p>  <p>https://tinyurl.com/4tpn9u8w</p>

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<p>3/27 International Day of Forests This is really on 3/21 https://tinyurl.com/5ybmnnvf International Day of Forests https://tinyurl.com/yz8rjwzb Report Forests/Healthy Humans https://tinyurl.com/2s3epwmd FAO International Day of Forests https://tinyurl.com/2z8vrrzy International Day of Forests https://tinyurl.com/322rj5mc Forests and Food Security https://tinyurl.com/4xwjrpvt Key Messages https://tinyurl.com/2czk4uu9 Video Importance of Forests https://tinyurl.com/mwnaxea4 Coloring Pages https://tinyurl.com/5h3pt9h7 Video Forests Kids/Pre-teens</p> <p>[Patriarch Bartholomew] “For human beings... to destroy the biological diversity of God’s creation; for human beings to degrade the integrity of the earth by causing changes in its climate, by stripping the earth of its natural forests or destroying its wetlands; for human beings to contaminate the earth’s waters, its land, its air, and its life – these are sins.” #8</p> 	<p>3/28 Weed Appreciation Day  https://tinyurl.com/2p9cp683 Weed Appreciation Day https://tinyurl.com/yxu3acau 18 Beneficial Garden Weeds https://tinyurl.com/bdehu5de 15 Beneficial Backyard Weeds https://tinyurl.com/2ydc2kzp 15 Medicinal Weeds https://tinyurl.com/2p92efyu Why Weeds are Good for Your Garden Video https://tinyurl.com/3wcaczsf Weeds Benefit Garden Video https://tinyurl.com/4t8xpbpy Garden Health Video https://tinyurl.com/2fnjimza Health Benefits Video https://tinyurl.com/5yzz8ejk 18 Garden Crafts for Kids https://tinyurl.com/y5awz6y Gardening Activities K-12 https://tinyurl.com/mw5eh3ys Color Pages Garden Kids</p>  <p>“[Saint] Francis asked that part of the friary garden always be left untouched, so that wildflowers and herbs could grow there, and those who saw them could raise their minds to God, the Creator of such beauty.” #12</p>	<p>3/29 Manatee Appreciation Day https://tinyurl.com/yc7pb9bm Manatee Appreciation Day https://tinyurl.com/yc5pczbf Britannica Manatee https://rb.gy/m97lph NG Manatees https://rb.gy/roved9 6 Facts about Manatees https://rb.gy/8eliyw Fish and Wildlife Manatee https://rb.gy/soznso Save the Manatees https://rb.gy/qzbjld NG Wild Video Manatees https://rb.gy/erivpn All About Manatees Kid Video https://rb.gy/juelqk “Sea Cows” Video Littles https://rb.gy/bhnonl Coloring Pages https://rb.gy/wyl0jr Craft Idea for Kids</p> <p>“Greater investment needs to be made in research aimed at understanding more fully the functioning of ecosystems and adequately analyzing the different variables associated with any significant modification of the environment.” #42</p>  <p>https://rb.gy/xkuc54</p>	<p>3/30 National Take a Walk in the Park Day https://rb.gy/v5ehi3 National Take a Walk in the Park Day https://rb.gy/9muqks Why City Parks Matter https://rb.gy/ii7ctu Parks More Important than Ever https://rb.gy/sp3jys Creative Funding for Parks https://rb.gy/2cvbhz Benefits of Parks/Open Spaces https://rb.gy/mqsitv 8 Reasons Parks are Important https://rb.gy/bidjpi Activities in Park Video/Littles https://rb.gy/opmdz2 17 Fun Park Activities Families https://rb.gy/fvh0ou 10 Family Fun Activities https://rb.gy/fcccdt Park Coloring Pages https://rb.gy/ur1fot 25 Outdoor Arts and Crafts Kids https://rb.gy/nmzmd 16 Fun Activities https://rb.gy/newa0y Kids Crafts National Parks</p>  <p>“...in both urban and rural settings, it is helpful to set aside some places which can be preserved and protected from constant changes brought by human intervention.” #151</p>	<p>3/31 National Farmworkers Day https://rb.gy/ilmamn National Farmworkers Day https://rb.gy/gah8sa Cesar Chavez Britannica https://rb.gy/repn82 Training Job Program https://rb.gy/cuvota Migrant Farmworkers https://rb.gy/awotm1 Poor Living Conditions https://rb.gy/d6i0e8 5 things to know Food Production https://rb.gy/e7n7mc Fact Sheet #49 Protection Act https://rb.gy/bfqwdh Migrant Farmworker Health https://rb.gy/dcns2a Outreach Program California https://rb.gy/knjyhl Abuse/Trafficking https://rb.gy/lw8ikz Farmworker Justice https://rb.gy/0oojxt CBS News Harvest of Shame https://rb.gy/gcy1mr Shadow World</p> <p>“...we should be particularly indignant at the enormous inequalities in our midst, whereby we continue to tolerate some considering themselves more worthy than others.” #90</p>  <p>https://rb.gy/5gg1nw</p>