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“The Son, his [God the Father’s] reflection, through whom all things were created, united himself to this earth when he was formed in the womb of Mary.” (LS, #238)
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**Notes from the Field**

- “His [St. Francis’] response to the world around him was so much more than intellectual appreciation or economic calculus, for to him each and every creature was a sister united to him by bonds of affection. That is why he felt called to care for all that exists.” (LS, #11)

- “A sense of deep communion with the rest of nature cannot be real if our hearts lack tenderness, compassion and concern for our fellow human beings.” (LS, #91)

- “Along this path of wisdom, it is not a matter of indifference to us that so many species are disappearing, and that the climate crisis endangers the life of many other beings.” (LD, #63)
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<td><strong>2/16</strong>&lt;br&gt;In service  No School&lt;br&gt;“...the transition to renewable forms of energy, properly managed, as well as efforts to adapt to the damage caused by climate change, are capable of generating countless jobs in different sectors. This demands that politicians and business leaders should now be concerned themselves with it.” (LD, #10)</td>
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<td>“We need to rethink among other things the question of human power, its meaning and its limits. For our power has frenetically increased in a few decades. We have made impressive and awesome technological advances, and we have not realized that at the same time we have turned into highly dangerous beings, capable of threatening the lives of many beings and our own survival.” (LD, #28)</td>
<td>“He [Pope Paul VI] spoke in similar terms to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations about the potential for an ‘ecological catastrophe under the effective explosion of industrial civilization’, and stressed ‘the urgent need for a radical change in the conduct of humanity’, inasmuch as ‘the most extraordinary scientific advances, the most amazing technical abilities, the most astonishing economic growth, unless they are accompanied by authentic social and moral progress, will definitively turn against man’.” (LS, #4)</td>
<td>“...it [the historic, artistic and cultural patrimony] calls for greater attention to local cultures when studying environmental problems, favoring a dialogue between scientific-technical language and the language of the people.” (LS, #143)</td>
<td>“The earth, our home, is beginning to look more and more like an immense pile of filth. In many parts of the planet, the elderly lament that once beautiful landscapes are now covered with rubbish.” (LS, #21)</td>
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| 2/27 | International Polar Bear Day |

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### Tuesday

| 2/27 | Inconvenience Yourself Day |
| 2/28 | Leap Day! |

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| 2/29 | Leap Day! |

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### Thursday

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### Friday

**“In conscience, and with an eye to the children who will pay for the harm done by those born with greater possibilities and advantages,” actions, the question of meaning inevitably arises: ‘What is the meaning of my life? What is the meaning of my time on this earth? And what is the ultimate meaning of all my work and effort?”’**

(LD, #33)