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Dear Friends in Christ,

Holy Week is upon us – from palms, to passion to new life. I am so grateful to be a Catholic, practicing my faith with grace I could never earn myself.

One beautiful way to experience the reality of Holy Week is a daily online retreat from the [Regnum Christi Spirituality Center](#). The first article below has the daily lineup.

Regnum Christi friend Jane Nagel sent me a suggestion a few days ago – “I would love to have a Eucharistic Holy Hour gift card designed with our Regnum Christi logo. Has anything like this already been done?” Well, it hadn’t been done, but it has now and you can [download the form to print](#) for free with other useful documents in our online toolkit. There is a version with our standard logo – and another with the 75th anniversary logo.

And in case you missed it, there is a beautiful story in the *National Catholic Register* this



week: [The Bishops Farrell: An Answer to an Irish Mother's Prayers](#). Bishop Brian Farrell LC works in the Vatican. His brother, Bishop Kevin Farrell, leads the Diocese of Dallas.

I hope all of you have a blessed week.

Yours in Christ,
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PS: My blog in this edition is about the upcoming movie "[Little Boy](#)." Friends, this movie is special.

Make a Holy Week Retreat

Online Retreat Guides from RC Spirituality Center



Earlier this month Pope Francis encouraged us to embrace what remains of this Lenten period by discovering the proof of God's love and mercy in the Cross of Christ.

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Good Girl Comeback

Making a Difference in Haiti



Good Girl Comeback is a nationally recognized nonprofit that empowers teens to set goals which build confidence, kindness, and personal fulfillment. Founder Chelsea Gheesling was blessed to hear a very important message at a young age – happiness and fulfillment are found when we strive to see the goodness in ourselves and others. She wanted to share that message with others so she started the Good Girl Comeback. Through this initiative, Chelsea has presented to thousands of girls at schools, churches and seminars, been featured in magazines, newspapers and radio broadcasts.

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Spring Events

Visit the Seminary of the Legionaries of Christ in Cheshire, Connecticut



Spring is a great time to visit the seminary of the Legionaries of Christ in Cheshire, Connecticut. The brothers are throwing open their doors, inviting friends to experience the Joy of the Gospel with them by hosting several events.

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Haiti Mission Update

By **Katelyn Moroney**



Hello from Port-au-Prince! We had a beautiful day enjoying the natural beauty of this country and the little community we have become on this mission together. We went up the mountain overlooking the city! Spectacular view!

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Little Boy...Big Movie

By Jim Fair



“I believe I can do this.”

That is the line boys and girls, moms and dads, grandmas and grandpas will be saying a month from now when they leave the theater after seeing [“Little Boy.”](#)

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La Crèche

By Fr Simon Devereux LC



800-meters from the birthplace of Jesus one special door is always open to the poor and destitute expectant mothers. Last week our pilgrimage group visited Holy Family Hospital run by the Order of Malta and the adjacent Crèche run by the Daughters of Charity.

Praise The Lord for the love the sisters and lay-staff provide for these orphans.

Today: ask Jesus how you can make a difference in the life of His little children.

Silent suffering

By Fr Michael Sliney LC



"Why should we defend ourselves when we are misunderstood and misjudged? Let us leave that aside. Let us not say anything. It is so sweet to let others judge us in any way they like. O blessed silence, which gives so much peace to the soul!" -- Saint Therese de Lisieux

Christ said nothing in front of Herod and his court. At times we certainly will need to defend ourselves and explain ourselves, but many other times, the only answer is humility and silent suffering out of love for Christ. People will misunderstand and misjudge us and our intentions, but our peace needs to come from living for Christ and an awareness that he knows the full truth.

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