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“Faith and Reason are like two wings of the human spirit by which it soars to the truth.”

St. John Paul II

FROM THE SAINTS

“Wherever God has put you, that is your vocation. It is not what we do but how much love we put into it.”

St. Teresa of Calcutta

Sophomores Spend Day Encouraging Each Other through Ropes Course

This Monday, the Sophomore class spent the morning at John Newcomb Country Club in New Braunfels. There, the Sophomores were able to try a number of high ropes courses. There were two goals of the course: (1) try something you didn't think you could do and (2) encourage those around you. The students spent the morning trying to get a golden ring by completing a task, jumping off a 36-foot tall telephone pole or riding a zip line from 50 feet in the air. The rest of the day was spent at St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Canyon Lake. The sophomore class was split into genders and each group heard talks from a few Senior classmates about specific challenges or difficulties faced during Sophomore year. The retreat/fun day ended with Mass celebrated by our chaplain, Fr. John Francis Bentley.



Mrs. Anderson, on
her favorite saint, St.
Padre Pio:

“He is my favorite
because of his great
love for people. Also,
he had so many
amazing graces and
suffered without any
complaint for more
than 50 years.”

Coming Up in Solidarity

On September 4th, Bl. Teresa of Calcutta (known as Mother Teresa) will be canonized in Rome. She will be officially declared a saint! Bl. Teresa of Calcutta is one of the Solidarity Team patrons. Bl. Teresa of Calcutta was known for her incredible love of and capacity to serve the poor and broken. She lived in India, where she started her own religious order, The Missionaries of Charity. She also won a Nobel Peace Prize in 1979. She died in 1997 and was good friends with Pope Saint John Paul II. The Solidarity Teams will have a celebration of her canonization this week!

Thank you
to the St.
Therese
Solidarity
Team for
helping put
on Mass this
week.

Next Week:

The St.
Patrick
Solidarity
Team will
help put on
Mass.

