

Election Follow-up Response from a Marianist Province Member

As we approach the inauguration of a new president we are deeply aware of the awesome tasks domestically and internationally that the new administration must face. Almost every religious congregation is working to determine how to best support and challenge the new administration in light of Catholic Social Teaching and their charism and mission. We are no exception. Members of the Province have made suggestions for how we might frame a response which focuses on significant areas of concern. One suggestion was to look at a set of themes developed by Sojourners: 1. Overcoming poverty, both here in our rich nation and globally; 2. Find better ways than war to resolve the inevitable conflicts in the world; 3. Promote a consistent ethic of life that addresses all threats to life and dignity; 4. Reverse the effects of climate change on God's creation. Please address your reactions to the Province focusing on these themes to [Myles McCabe](#). Sign on to the [Sojourners pledge](#).