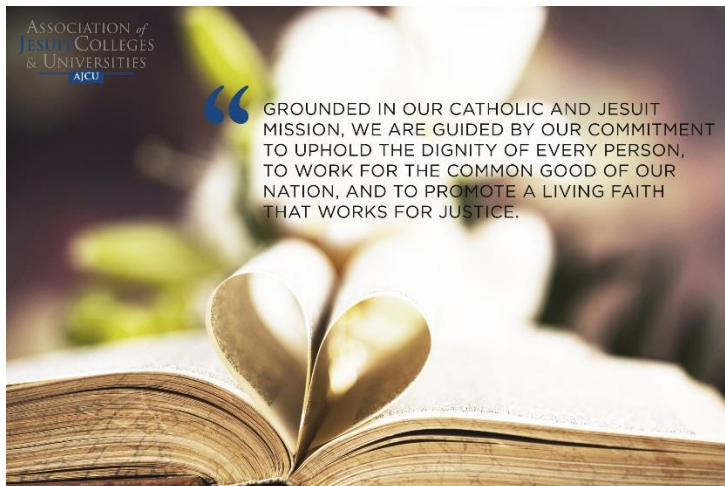


## Media Coverage on Statement of AJCU Presidents on Undocumented Students



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On Wednesday, the Association of Jesuit Colleges and Universities [issued a statement](#) signed by the presidents of AJCU and 27 member institutions in support of undocumented students. Since then, the statement has been featured in the following publications: [America](#), [The Chronicle of Higher Education](#), [Inside Higher Ed](#), [National Catholic Reporter](#) and [Politico](#).

In light of the recent election, **AJCU Board Chair** and **Xavier University** President Rev. Michael Graham, S.J. penned an op-ed for [The Cincinnati Enquirer](#) on the need to seek "common ground to pray, to serve, to celebrate God's

blessings." We will continue to share news on the statement in the weeks to come.

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## **Santa Clara University Re-opens Casa de la Solidaridad Program**

After an on-site delegation visit to assess health and safety risks earlier this year, **Santa Clara University** is pleased to announce that the Casa de la Solidaridad program will re-start in Fall 2017. Click [here](#) to learn more about the Casa program.

In more international education news, a 2016 [Georgetown University](#) graduate has received a Rhodes scholarship to study at the University of Oxford; [John Carroll University](#)'s new partnership with the World Food Program is creating fellowship opportunities for students in Rome and Washington, D.C.; and [Loyola University Chicago](#) has announced new faculty-led study abroad programs to Cuba, Iceland and Panama City.

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## **Rev. Peter-Hans Kolvenbach, S.J.: 1928-2016**

On November 26th, Rev. Peter-Hans Kolvenbach, S.J. died in Beirut, Lebanon. A noted linguist, Fr. Kolvenbach served as Superior General of the Society of Jesus from 1983 to 2008, after serving as vice-provincial of the Jesuits' Near East Vice-Province. Tributes were provided by the [Jesuit Conference of Canada and the United States](#); [America](#); [Crux](#); [The Jesuit Post](#); [John Carroll University](#); and [Loyola University Maryland](#).

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## **News from Jesuit Colleges and Universities**

Yesterday, **Fairfield University** announced that Dr. Lynn M. Babington, the University's provost, will serve as interim president from January 1, 2017 through June 2017. [Click here to learn more.](#)

More news: [Gonzaga University](#) will host the 'Good Neighbor Conference' addressing hate through advocacy on December 3rd; a [Loyola Marymount University](#) professor has helped to develop a climate change model for the Great Lakes; [Marquette University](#)'s Opus College of Engineering has received three new grants; [Saint Joseph's University](#)'s RecycleMania victory was honored with a Pennsylvania State Resolution; the [University of Detroit Mercy](#) has received a grant from the Henry Luce Foundation's Clare Boothe Luce Program to fund a female engineering professorship; the [University of Scranton](#) has received a \$1M gift to support development of the University's athletics campus; and [Wheeling Jesuit University](#)'s student efforts to teach social media safety to middle school students were featured on the local FOX news station.

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## Request for Advent & Christmas Videos!

We are starting to collect materials for a special AJCU Advent and Christmas page on our website. If your institution has produced online Advent calendars or Christmas videos this month, please send them our way! In addition, we will be featuring some great new books from our institutions that might make for great gifts this Christmas on an AJCU Christmas Gift List. If your faculty have published new books this year, please let us know! Write to Deanna Howes at [dhowes@ajcunet.edu](mailto:dhowes@ajcunet.edu). Thank you!

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