

A dream without borders:
Sisters of the Holy Cross in Mexico

Compassion

Faith



Sisters of the Holy Cross

Prayer

Community



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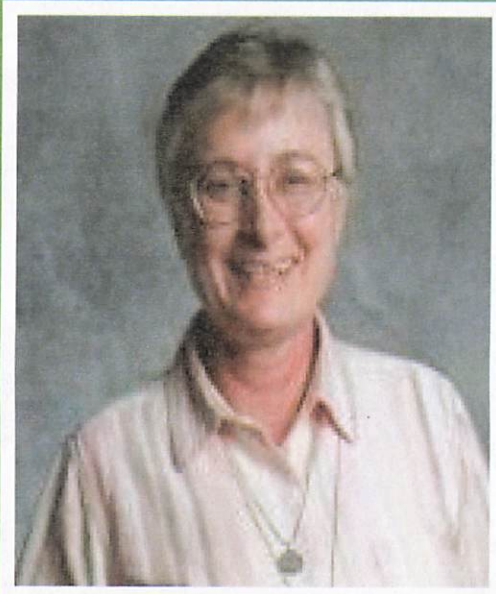
Latino/a



Sr. Barbara Korem, CSC



Sr. Joan Mader, CSC



Sr. Charlotte
LeBoeuf, MSC



Sisters
Patricia Anne Clossey, Eleanor
Synder, Joan Mader and Patricia Mary
Crane.



Sr. Jacinta Millan

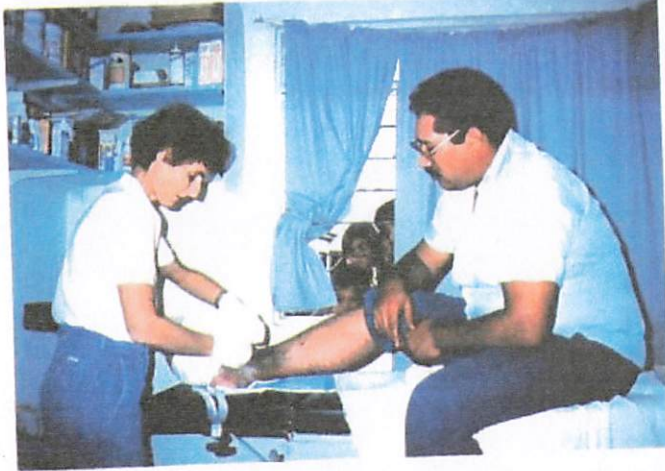


Sister Barbara would cross the border to go to the city of Matamoros, Mexico, to explore the area.



1987

Barbara moved full-time to Matamoros to be able to attend her clinic and explore other rural areas.



Sister Barbara Korem

Matamoros, Tamaulipas

1982

**San
Saba, TX**



Pat Clossey

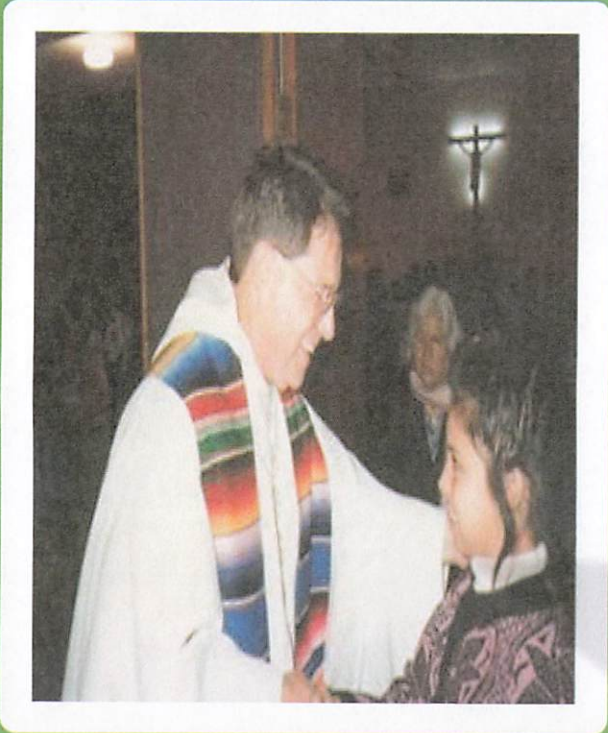


**Joan
Mader**

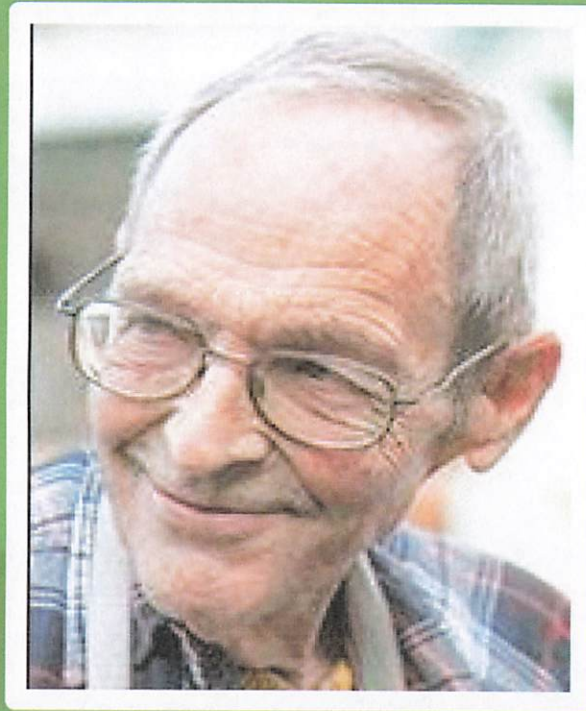


Proposal: Monterrey Project 1992

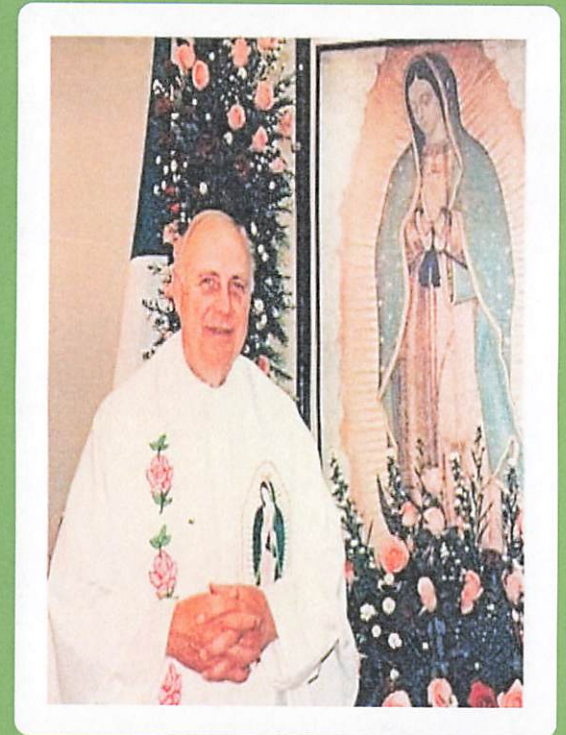
- **To establish a ministry of the Sisters of the Holy Cross in Monterrey, Mexico**
- **To establish a local community of Holy Cross Women**
- **To collaborate with the Holy Cross Priests**
- **To increase the number of sisters of the Holy Cross involved in Hispanic Ministry**
- **To assist in the process of lay leadership development**
- **To promote human development efforts as they relate to women**
- **To attract young women to our way of life**



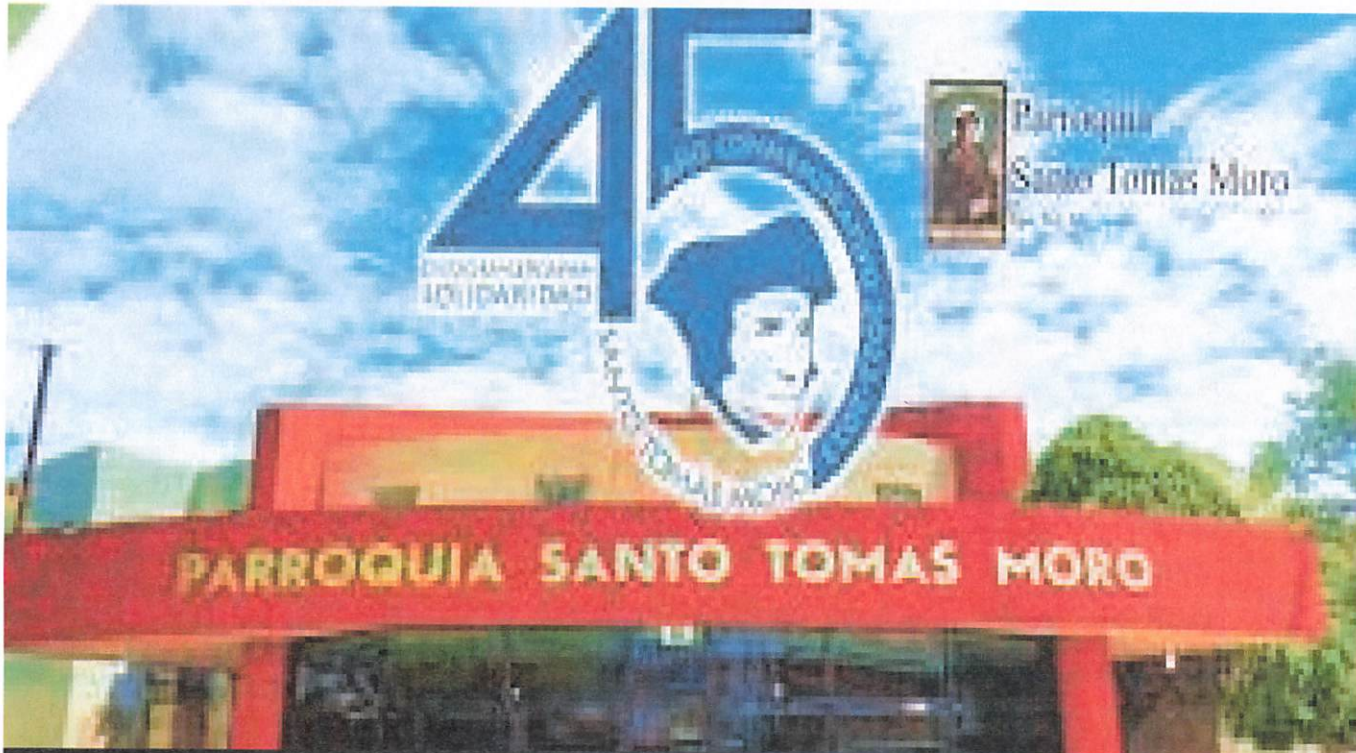
Fr. Jack Keefe



Fr. Daniel Panchot

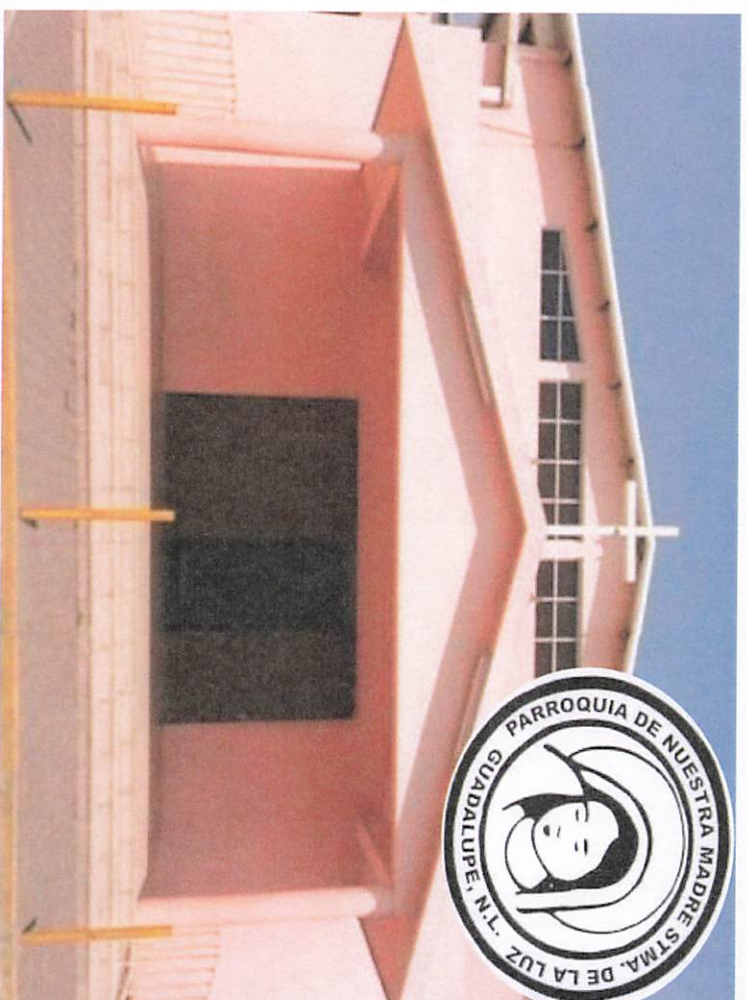


Fr. Peter Logsdon



1994

Sisters Charlette and Jacinta

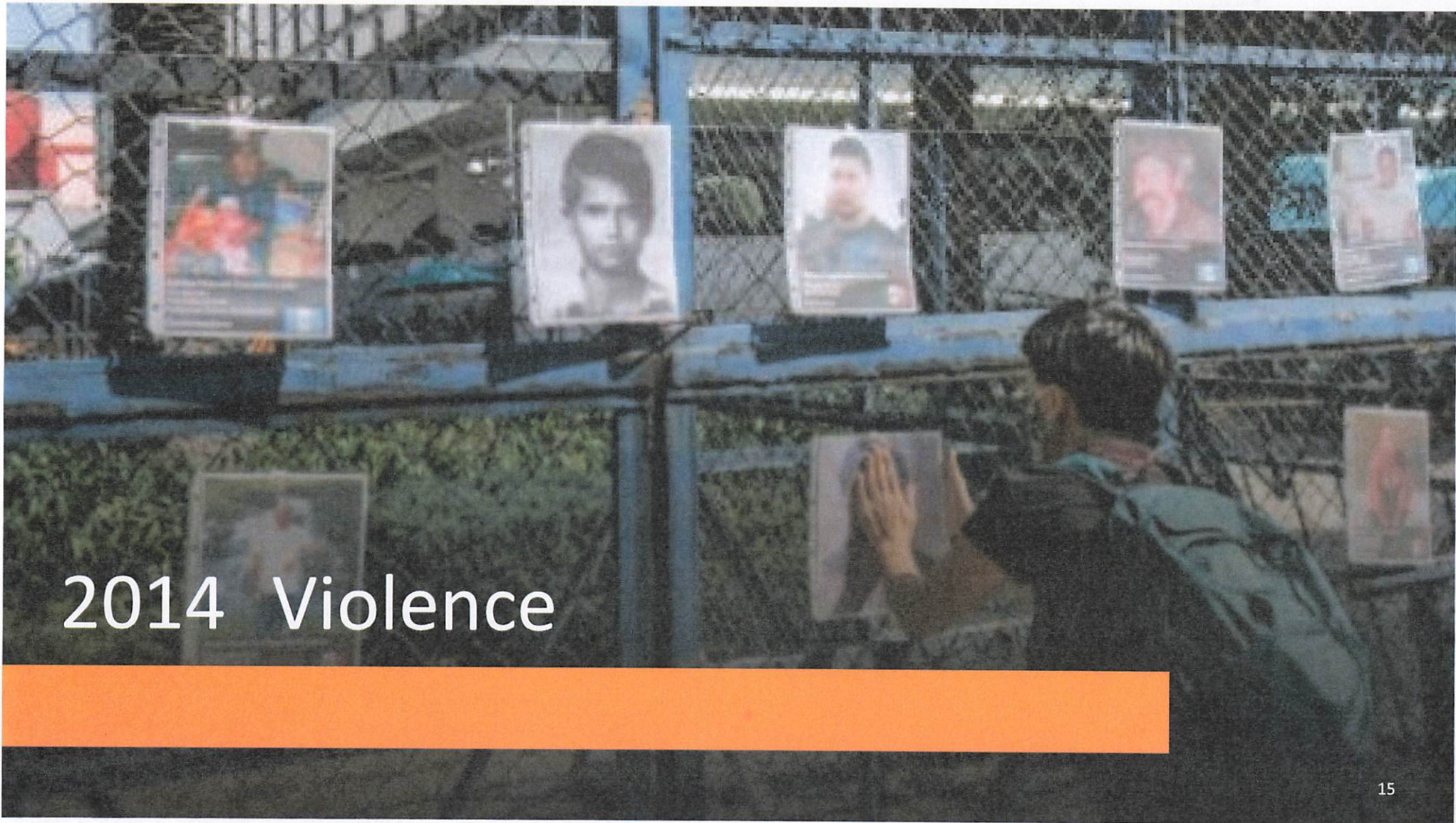


1995

Sisters Joan Mader, Jacinta Millan and Michelle Toepp



Sisters with Candidates



2014 Violence

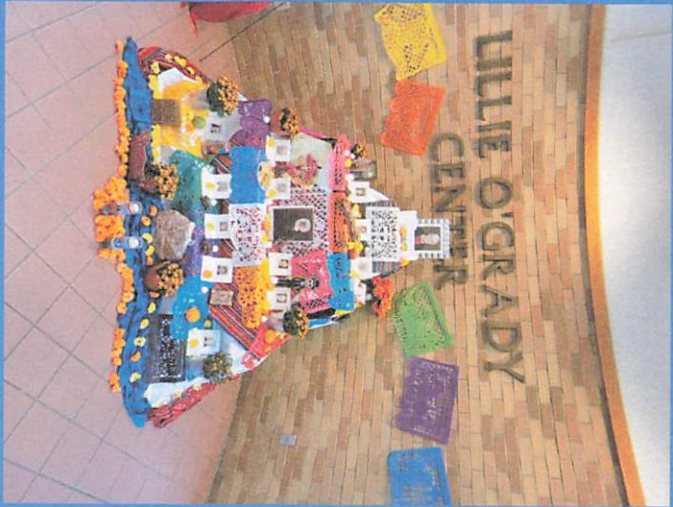



Culture of Peace



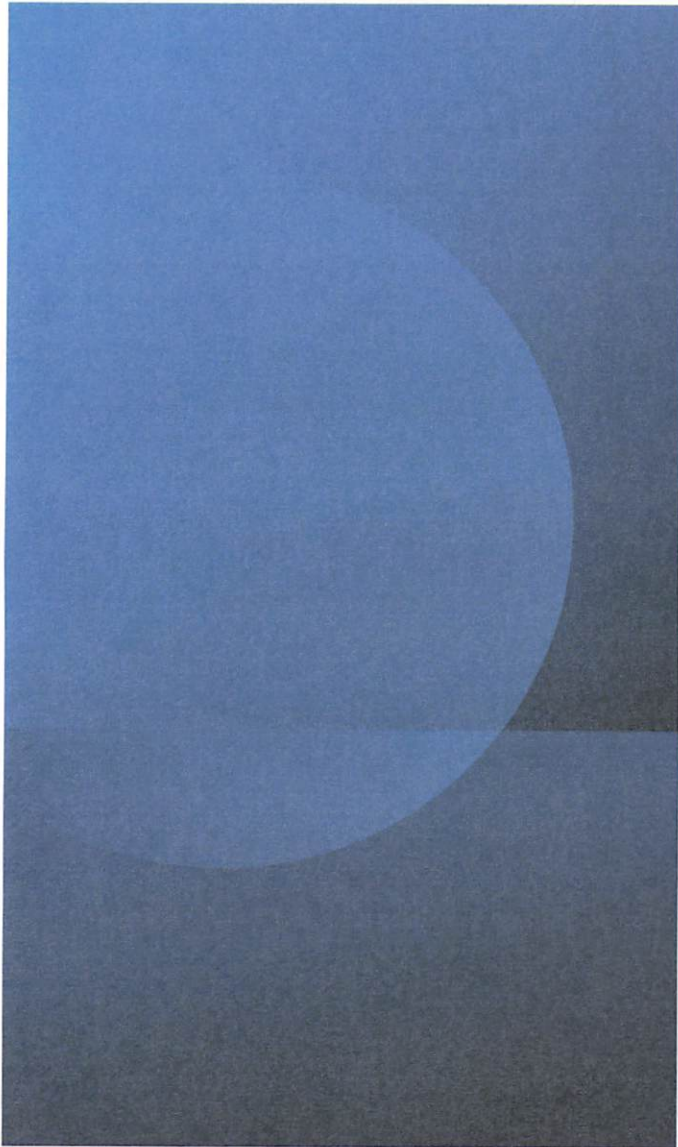
Associates group







Barbara and Joan's memories live in the hearts of many. Their openness to leave aside the fear of difference, their willingness to learn from the other culture, and the respect in the way they approached the people; their smiles for everybody.



They brought hope to the Mexicans whose lives were touched by their presence. And to their Sisters of the Holy Cross community, the witness of these two courageous women brought them an example of how God's love knows no borders.

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