

Potential Confirmation Project

Laudato Si Street Mural

Would hit 3 goals related to Laudato Si:

1. Environmental Education
 2. Ecological Spirituality
 3. Community Involvement
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1. Environmental Education:
 - a. Confirmation candidates would research one aspects of the climate crisis. (Air pollution, water pollution, cigarette butt pollution, plastics, carbon, global warming, effect of climate change on the poor etc.)
 - b. The candidates would visit the faith formation classrooms and share what they researched (at an age appropriate level)
 - c. The candidate would ask the students they taught to draw a picture based on the lesson.
 - d. The pictures would be returned to the confirmation students.
 - e. Each class would have one picture selected to be represented in a large St. Francis Mural
 2. Develop a timeline on the project
 3. The Confirmation class would design a large mural based on the selected artwork
 4. Students would find a venue to develop the mural. (A prominent building, a wall inside a prominent building, a canvas in St. Francis??)
 5. A fund raiser could be held to finance the paints etc. (Yankee candle, chocolates or Krispy Kremes?)
 6. The Confirmation class would enlist the advice/help of a local artist. (teacher, college student, highschool student?)
 7. The Confirmation class would purchase the materials needed
 8. The confirmation class would produce the mural
 9. The confirmation class would promote the mural and the message

Similar projects:

Unicef, Youth Rotary and Laudato Si Mural: Clongowes art students work with Syrian Artist