

UIW Mission News

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Special points of interest:

- Campus Ministry is offering information on how students can join the **Knights of Columbus**, a “fraternal benefit society,” whose members serve Church, family and community.
- September 11th was remembered with a stirring prayer service during which the choral reflection on “Amazing Grace,” written for the children of the victims of 9/11 was sung. Chaplain Gilbert Richardson, Post Chaplain at Fort Sam Houston, reminded everyone of the importance of **seeing the face of Christ in others and being the face of Christ for others** in these trying times.
- Landscaping staff honor Halloween and Thanksgiving holidays with a very unusual display: Big Tex among the pumpkins!



- The delegates and steering committee of the Convention for the Common Good developed a **Platform for the Common Good** to be submitted to candidates for the November election. Details of the Platform are at www.networklobby.org

Faculty Report on Progress in Women’s Global Connection Programs in Africa

Drs. Lisa Uribe, Neeta Singh and Patricia Lieveld inspired a Brown Bag gathering with details of their on-going initiatives for women and children in Africa.

For the past few years, **Dr. Uribe**, an early childhood education specialist, has trained Zambian teachers in early childhood methodology and prepared them to mentor other teachers. She has developed a Teacher Training Manual and created an on-line community of

mentors and mentees.

Dr. Lieveld from the Pharmacy School described her research and workshop

on creating potable water, a basic need in the many Tanzanian villages she visited.

Dr. Singh, chair of the nutrition department, reported great strides in the cultivation and use of soy products among Tanzanian women. This summer, she offered workshops on how to create protein-rich meals by using soy as well as how to market the product to increase family income. —cont. on p.2.



Fr. Philip Lamberty Remembered

Students and faculty gathered to rejoice in Fr. Philip’s life on the UIW campus and to mourn the loss of a friend who will be sorely missed. Students reminisced about how he had touched their lives through his simplicity, music, sense of fun and spiritual insights.

UIW Celebrates its History and Heritage



Heritage Day celebration began by honoring the Founders and concluded by honoring the men and women who have served UIW for 5 to 35 years. Photos from L to R: St. Anthony's students sing



the Hymn to the Incarnate Word at Founders' grave; Mass was held at Grotto (in spite of rain); Alexia Kelley spoke about working for the common good; Dr. Denis Doyle received her 20-year award from D. Agnese.

Around Campus



Pharmacy students take blood pressure and give background on medicines at an "Open House."



Dr. Sally Said's Spanish class prepared the annual altar, an *ofrenda* to celebrate *Los Dias de los Muertos*.

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All three intend to continue their efforts until the programs become self-sustaining. Further information on these WGC projects can be found at:

www.womensglobalconnection.org.

"Meet the Mission" Takes to the Streets

The faculty and student annual "Meet the Mission" event introduced students to over 20 agencies where their on-going services are needed and valued. They were sent on their way with a reading from the Gospel of Matthew ringing in their ears: "Whatever you do for the least of these my brothers, you do for Me."

Photo on the left: Dr. Rodinsky,

chief organizer of MTM, is interviewed by KSAT reporter. Photo on

right: Dr. Mary Beth Swofford and Sr. Eilish Ryan line up their group to help at Visitation House.

