

**Press release sent out by The Loretto Community, November 2013 (Catholic groups):**

13 Catholic Groups in addition to the Loretto Community itself are mentioned in the press release: Sisters of Mercy of the Americas, the 19 member congregations of Dominican Sisters Conference, the Sisters of St. Francis (Rochester, Minnesota), Sisters of St. Joseph (Concordia, Kansas), Sisters of St. Joseph (Philadelphia), Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth (Kansas), the Congregation of Sisters of St. Agnes (Fond du Lac, Wisconsin), Institute of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Casa Loreto, Rome), Sisters of St. Joseph and Associates of Buffalo New York, Pax Christi International, the 8<sup>th</sup> Day Center for Justice (founded by 34 congregations of religious men and women), and the Franciscan-founded Nevada Desert Experience.