2017 Catholic Press Awards Winners

All Member Division

A01: BEST EXAMPLE OF EFFECTIVE ADVERTISING PROMOTION ORIGINATING WITH THE PUBLICATION OR PUBLICATION'S WEBSITE

First Place

Northwest Catholic, "2016-2017 Directory" by Keri Hake

Second Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "Festivals" by Richard Lafond

Third Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "Catholic Schools Week" by Richard Lafond

A02a: BEST SINGLE AD ORIGINATING WITH THE PUBLICATION: Black and White Ad

First Place

Catholic Voice, "It's not black and white" by John Bosco

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Saint Faustina Drama" by Ashleigh Buyers, Advertising staff

Third Place

The Catholic Sun, "Radio Family Rosary" by Mick Welsh, Graphic Designer

A02b: BEST SINGLE AD ORIGINATING WITH THE PUBLICATION: Color Ad

First Place

The Dialog, "'I know he loved me' Cemeteries ad" by Virginia Durkin O'Shea

Second Place

The Catholic Sun, "Catholics in the Public Square" by Mick Welsh, Graphic Designer

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Fantasy or Reality" by David Garcia, Advertising staff

Honorable Mentions

Northwest Catholic, "2016 Summer Mass Schedule" by Keri Hake, Janis Olson

FAITH Catholic Publishing and Communications, "Do you have a loved one who has left the church?" by Staff

A03: BEST AD COPYWRITING

First Place

Northwest Catholic, "Seek and you will find" by Keri Hake, Kevin Birnbaum and Janis Olson

Second Place

The Tablet, "Reconciliation Monday - Lent 2016" by Israel Ochoa

Third Place

SALUTE, "A Call to the Faithful" by Taylor Henry, Jo Ann Redmond

Honorable Mentions

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Discover Catholic University" by Jackie Malcolm and Narguess Moasser

The Tablet, "Put Him on Your List This Christmas 2016" by Shartina Thompson

A04: BEST PRINT CIRCULATION PROMOTION CAMPAIGN

First Place

The Florida Catholic, Orlando Edition, "Florida Catholic circulation campaign" by Florida Catholic staff

Second Place

St. Louis Review, "We are there with you" by Staff

A05: BEST MEDIA KIT CREATED IN 2016

First Place

The Florida Catholic, Orlando Edition, "Florida Catholic Media Kit" by Mike Carlock, Michael Jimenez and Jane Radetsky

Second Place

Catholic New York, "Digital Media Kit 2017" by Matt Schiller, Leah Bossio and Staff

Third Place

El Pregonero, "Media Kit" by Javier Diaz

A06: BEST LOCAL RETAIL CAMPAIGN ORIGINATING WITH THE PUBLICATION

First Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "The Irish Walk" by Ashleigh Buyers, Advertising staff

Second Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "The Golden Lamb Buttery" by Richard Lafond and Laura Kilgus

Third Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "Aunt Carrie's" by Richard Lafond and Laura Kilgus

Honorable Mention

Arlington Catholic Herald, "The Paschal Lamb" by Ashleigh Buyers, David Garcia and advertising staff

A07: BEST PROMOTIONAL HOUSE AD

First Place

Catholic News Herald, "Don't blend in; A reason to chirp; Don't wait on the mail; Stand out; It's easy being green" by Stephen Guilfoyle and Tim Faragher

Second Place

Northwest Catholic, "Follow Us From Anywhere, Northwest Catholic App" by Keri Hake, Ellen Bollard and Janis Olson

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Available in print and online" by Ashleigh Buyers and advertising staff

Honorable Mentions

St. Louis Review, "We are there with you" by Staff

Clarion Herald, "Clarion Herald Pilgrimage" by Lloyd Robichaux

A08a: BEST BLOG: Group or Association Blog

First Place

The Visitor, "From the Heart: A Catholic Blog for Central Minnesota" coordinated by Kristi Anderson

Second Place

"CatholicMom.com" by Lisa M. Hendey and Barbara Szyszkiewicz

Third Place

"Unbound Blog" by Jordan Kimbrell and Maureen Lunn, editors

Honorable Mentions

C-Fam, "International Youth Coalition" by Marianna Orlandi, Ph.D.

C-Fam, "Turtle Bay and Beyond" by Marianna Orlandi, Ph.D.

A08b: BEST BLOG: Publication Blog

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "NCR Today" by NCR staff and contributors

Second Place

The Leaven, "The Walking Deadline" by Anita McSorley, Joe Bollig, Moira Cullings, Todd Habiger, Beth Blankenship and Jill Ragar Esfeld

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Irish soda bread or tea cake?" by Ann M. Augherton

A08c: BEST BLOG: By Layperson

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Young Voices" by April Gutierrez, Brian Harper, Michael Jordan Laskey, Jennifer Mertens, Jocelyn A. Sideco and Nicole Sotelo

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Distinctly Catholic" by Michael Sean Winters

Third Place

VISION Vocation Network, "Questions Catholics Ask" by Alice Camille

Honorable Mention

C-Fam, "UN Agencies Agitate For Change Within Religions" by Stefano Gennarini, J.D.

A08e: BEST BLOG: By writer under the age of 30

First Place

C-Fam, "Is there a Global 'Loneliness' Epidemic?" by Barbara Brophy

Second Place

C-Fam, "Not Merely Victims: Three Things to Know about Women and the Islamic State" by Barbara Brophy

Third Place

C-Fam, "The Purpose of Religion According to UNFPA" by Catherine Birri

A08f: BEST BLOG: On pro-life activities

First Place

C-Fam, "French Court Rules: Down Syndrome Children Not Allowed to Smile on TV" by Marianna Orlandi, Ph.D.

Second Place

C-Fam, "The World Bank Thinks 'Unintended Pregnancy' is a Big Problem...But Why?" by Rebecca Oas, Ph.D.

Third Place

C-Fam, "Senate Committee Approves More Funding to Overseas Abortion Groups" by Lisa Correnti

A09a: BEST ONLINE CONTENT NOT PUBLISHED IN PRINT: Written Content

First Place

America Magazine, "Nuns on the Bus remind the national conventions about the needs of the poor" by Judith Valente

Second Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "'Spotlight' stories (June–July)" by Katie Lee, Lisa Carroll, Katie Bahr and Patty Diaz Suzarte

Third Place

America Magazine, "'Soul Weary' in America: Cell phone videos and cycles of violence" by Kevin Clarke

Honorable Mentions

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "'Spotlight' stories (October–November)" by Lisa Carroll, Katie Bahr and Ellen Woods

A09b: BEST ONLINE CONTENT NOT PUBLISHED IN PRINT: Photo Content

First Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Commencement 2016" by Dana Rene Bowler

Second Place

Northwest Catholic, "Photos for Ordination coverage online" by Stephen Brashear

Third Place

Northwest Catholic, "A house to honor Pope Francis" by Stephen Brashear

Honorable Mention

The Florida Catholic, Miami Edition, "At St. Michael School: a lesson you can sink your teeth into" by Cristina Cabrera Jarro

A10: BEST FREESTANDING PRESENTATION OF ONLINE PHOTO GALLERY OR SLIDESHOW

First Place

Catholic Courier, "Traditional egg painting not a lost art" by Mike Crupi

Second Place

Catholic Standard, "Archdiocese of Washington's Mass of Priestly Ordination" by Jaclyn Lippelmann

Third Place

Catholic Courier, "Event held for World Youth Day" by Jeff Witherow

A11a: BEST FREESTANDING PRESENTATION OF ONLINE VIDEO: News

First Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "UGA Action Plan in Response to Laudato Si" by Allen Kinzly

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "A moral economy?" by Robert Duncan

Honorable Mention

Catholic News Service, "Priest numbers remain a challenge" by Chaz Muth

A11b: BEST FREESTANDING PRESENTATION OF ONLINE VIDEO: Feature

First Place

Catholic News Service, "A mosaic for eternity" by Robert Duncan

Second Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "Central Night Shelter - Living Out the Year of Mercy" by Allen Kinzly

Simple, yet very competent video with an exceptional and important story, really great message.

Third Place

Catholic News Service, "Brushed with faith" by Tyler Orsburn

A11c: BEST FREESTANDING PRESENTATION OF ONLINE VIDEO: Depiction of religious life

First Place

Catholic News Service, "Chaplain marches with troops and inspires" by Chaz Muth

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "An artist's vocation" by Robert Duncan

Honorable Mention

Extension Magazine, "A Sister Takes Her Vows" edited by Matt Paolelli and recorded by Rich Kalonick

A12: BEST ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER

First Place

Angelus, "Always Forward" by Kevin and Laura Loker

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "Discover ONE Online" by Staff

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Catholic Herald newsletter" by Mary Stachyra Lopez and Catholic Herald Staff

Honorable Mentions

CatholicPhilly.com, "Newsletter of CatholicPhilly.com"

Northwest Catholic, "Northwest Catholic Journal" by Northwest Catholic Staff w/ Mary Gogulski

The Catholic Review, "The Catholic Review's E-Newsletter" by George P. Matysek, Jr.

A13: BEST GENERAL PUBLISHER WEBSITE

First Place

Aleteia.org by Staff

Second Place

C-Fam Website by C-Fam Staff

Third Place

CatholicPhilly.com, by Staff of CatholicPhilly.com, Archdiocese of Philadelphia

A14: BEST ORIGINAL POETRY

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "How long, O Lord?" by Joseph R. Veneroso, M.M.

Second Place

Maryknoll magazine, "Ways of Mercy" by Joseph R. Veneroso, M.M.

Third Place

The Criterion, "The Love of Christ; Marriage Reflection; Pilgrimage Pondering; The Hoosier Cardinal" by Natalie Hoefer

A16: BEST WEB AND PRINT COMBINATION PACKAGE

First Place

The Texas Catholic, "Portraits of Courage: Community mourns slain Dallas police officers" by The Texas Catholic staff

Second Place

The Texas Catholic, "Kenndrick Mendieta: Face of a new Catholic school" by Seth Gonzales, Cathy Harasta and Jenna Teter

Third Place

Catholic Courier, "Embracing the priestly call" by Mike Latona, Jeff Witherow and Gina Capellazzi

Honorable Mentions

ONE Magazine, "Health on Wheels; 'A Day on Zahko's Mobile Clinic for Iraqi Refugees' " by Raed Rafei

Catholic News Herald, "Miami Circle: A lesson in social justice" by Patricia Guilfoyle and Rico De Silva

A17: BEST ONLINE AD

First Place

Extension Magazine, "Camp Catholic Ad" by Matthew Paolelli and Kathryn Eardley

A18a: BEST MULTIMEDIA PACKAGE: News Package

First Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "Detainee families find comfort and support at El Refugio" by M. Alexander, A. Kinzly and A. Nelson

Second Place

Catholic News Herald, "Easter Joy: Washed clean by His love" by SueAnn Howell, Kimberly Bender, Rico De Silva and Patricia Guilfoyle

Third Place

Catholic News Herald, "Diocese of Charlotte Eucharistic Congress" by Catholic News Herald Staff

A18b: BEST MULTIMEDIA PACKAGE: Feature Package

First Place

Catholic Relief Services, "The Push and Pull of Climate Change" by Rebekah Lemke, Mark Metzger, Chris Denney, Anna Ruiz, Philip Laubner and Elizabeth McGraw-Austin

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "Veterans find hope at addiction treatment facility with Catholic roots" by Chaz Muth

Honorable Mention

National Catholic Reporter, "Msgr. Stuart Swetland has lived a life of conversions" by Tom Roberts, Traci Badalucco, Mick Forgey and Toni-Ann Ortiz

A18c: BEST MULTIMEDIA PACKAGE: Depiction of Religious Life

First Place

Catholic Courier, "Embracing the priestly call" by Mike Latona, Jeff Witherow and Gina Capellazzi

Honorable Mentions

Catholic News Service, "Catholic mission set up to bring God to hipsters" by Chaz Muth, Katie Breidenbach and Ed Wilkinson

Arlington Catholic Herald, "A day in the life of a seminarian" by Ashleigh Buyers

A18d: BEST MULTIMEDIA PACKAGE: Pro-life activities

First Place

Catholic News Service, "Memorial for unborn in Toledo seen as answer to prayers to end abortion" by Katie Breidenbach

A19a: Writer of the Year, English Language Division

First Place

Kevin Birnbaum, Northwest Catholic

Second Place

Katie Scott, Catholic Sentinel

Third Place

R.W. Dellinger, Angelus

Honorable Mentions

Alice Camille, Prepare the Word

Theresa Laurence, *Tennessee Register*

A19b: Editor of the Year, English Language Division

First Place

Margaret Gaughan, Maryknoll magazine

Second Place

Barb Fraze, Catholic News Service

Third Place

Kate Blain, The Evangelist

Honorable Mentions

Maria Luisa Torres, Angelus

Teak Phillips, Catholic St. Louis and St. Louis Review

A19d: Photographer of the Year

First Place

Jaclyn Lippelmann, Catholic Standard

Second Place

Dave Hrbacek, The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN

Third Place

Victor Alemán, Angelus

Honorable Mentions

Rick Musacchio, Tennessee Register

Jeff Witherow, Catholic Courier

A19e: Graphic Artist/Designer of the Year

First Place

Abigail Witte, St. Louis Review

Second Place

Paul Grillo, ONE Magazine

Third Place

Michael Jimenez, The Florida Catholic, Orlando Edition

Honorable Mentions

Israel Ochoa, The Tablet

Debbie Lane, Tennessee Register

A19f: Videographer/Video Producer of the Year

First Place

Nancy Wiechec, Catholic News Service

Second Place

Robert Duncan, Catholic News Service

Third Place

Chaz Muth, Catholic News Service

Honorable Mentions

Allen Kinzly, The Georgia Bulletin

Scott Miller, Voices in Mission and Ministry

A19g: Multimedia Journalist of the Year

First Place

Ashleigh Buyers, Arlington Catholic Herald

Second Place

Chaz Muth, Catholic News Service

Third Place

Anna Weaver, Northwest Catholic

Honorable Mentions

Robert Duncan, Catholic News Service

Nancy Wiechec, Catholic News Service

A20: BEST MULTIMEDIA PACKAGE SERIES

First Place

Catholic Relief Services, "Living on the Edge of Climate Change" by Rebekah Lemke, Mark Metzger, Chris Denney, Philip Laubner, Anna Ruiz and Elizabeth McGraw-Austin

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "Home Missions: A 21st Century mission church" by Chaz Muth, Tyler Orsburn and Nancy Wiechec

Third Place

Catholic News Service, "For God and country: Priests navigate U.S. armed forces as chaplains" by Chaz Muth

Honorable Mentions

Catholic News Service, "Nature & Glory: National parks: Places of wonder, history, culture, spiritual refuge" by Nancy Wiechec and Chaz Muth

The Catholic Accent, "Year of Mercy articles, videos and slideshows" by Elizabeth Fazzini and Mary Seamans

A21a: BEST ANNUAL REPORT: (Arch)Diocesan Finances

First Place

East Texas Catholic, "On Earth as it is in Heaven: 2014-2015 Annual Report" by East Texas Catholic Staff

Second Place

Catholic News Herald, "Be Merciful, Just As Your Father Is Merciful" by Tim Faragher and Bill Weldon

Third Place

The Compass, "Catholic Charities" by Amy Kawula and Rachel Cunningham

A21b: BEST ANNUAL REPORT: Catholic Nonprofit Organization

First Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Living Laudato Si'" by Ellen N. Woods, Donna L. Hobson, Dana Rene Bowler, Katie Bahr and Mary McCarthy Hines

Second Place

Catholic Extension, "Catholic Extension 2015 Annual Report" by Virginia Sara, design by Laura Coyle

Third Place

Momentum, "NCEA Annual Report 2015-2016" by Gabrielle Gallagher, Editor and NCEA Picante Creative, Design

Magazine Division

M01a: BEST COVER: 4-color, large (over 6 x 9 1/2")

First Place

Angelus, "What now America?" by J.D. Long-García

Second Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Franny Murray 1922-2016 Cover" by Donna Hobson

Third Place

The Catholic Review, "Peace, Love & Faith" by Sara Travlos

Honorable Mentions

Health Progress, "Caring for Creation, Health Care and the Environment" by Cap Pannell

Columbia, "January 2016 issue" by Columbia staff

M01b: BEST COVER: 4-color, small (up to 6 x 9 1/2")

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "Mercy for Migrants" by Paul Jeffrey and Diane Mastrogiulio

Second Place

Maryknoll magazine, "Mercy in Mission" by Nile Sprague and Diane Mastrogiulio

Third Place

Give Us This Day, "The Angels Visit the Shepherds" by Marcia Carole

Honorable Mention

Revista Maryknoll, "Compasión con los refugiados" by Paul Jeffrey and Valentín Concha-Núñez

M01c: BEST COVER: Black and white, any size

First Place

North Texas Catholic Magazine, "Mother Teresa" by Juan Guajardo

Second Place

Parable Magazine, "The Comfort of a [Canine] Touch" by Matthew Lomanno

M02: BEST SHORT STORY

First Place

Liquorian, "Remoulade & Ramos" by Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR

Second Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "My Father Is Beautiful" by Liz Dolan

M03a: BEST ESSAY ORIGINATING WITH A MAGAZINE OR NEWSLETTER: National General Interest Magazine

First Place

U.S. Catholic, "An ancient path" by Rhonda Miska

Second Place

Columbia, "Knights, the Servants of Mercy" by D.C. Schindler

Third Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "Mary's Loneliness" by Jim Van Vurst, OFM

Honorable Mentions

St. Anthony Messenger, "The Road to Easter" by Mary Sharon Moore

Living City Magazine, "Listening beyond the echo chamber" by Amy Uelmen

Living City Magazine, "Even being "anti" by can open up dialogue" by Sarah Mundell

M03b: BEST ESSAY ORIGINATING WITH A MAGAZINE OR NEWSLETTER: Diocesan Magazine

First Place

FAITH Lansing, "What you face when you are the face of mercy" by Patrick Dally and Emma Matheson

Second Place

Parable Magazine, "Dear Father Kerper: Do Christians, Jews and Muslims All Pray to the Same God?" by Father Michael Kerper

Third Place

Parable Magazine, "The Rest of the Week: Friday, 2 a.m." by Father Andrew Nelson

Honorable Mention

Parable Magazine, "The Prayer a Poem Can Make: A Lenten Journey" by Gary Bouchard, Ph.D.

M03c: BEST ESSAY ORIGINATING WITH A MAGAZINE OR NEWSLETTER: Mission Magazine (Overseas and Home)

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "The tears of refugees" by Rosemarie Milazzo, M.M.

Second Place

Glenmary Challenge, "A Vision for the Future of Appalachia" by Father John S. Rausch

Third Place

ONE Magazine, "A Letter From Georgia" by Anahit Mkhoyan

Honorable Mention

ONE Magazine, "A Letter From Gaza" by Suhaila Tarazi

Glenmary Challenge, "Waiting for the Church" by Brother David Henley

M03e: BEST ESSAY ORIGINATING WITH A MAGAZINE OR NEWSLETTER: Professional & Special Interest Magazine (Including Clergy & Religious)

First Place

Health Progress, "Fundamentalism: An Enemy of the Common Good" by Fr. Gerald A. Arbuckle, SM, PhD

Second Place

Health Progress, "How Health Care Can Lead the Way on Renewable Energy" by Gary Cohen

Third Place

Health Progress, "Nursing Our Mission and Passion" by Melanie C. Dreher, RN, PhD

Honorable Mentions

Health Progress, "A Song for Nurses" by Cap Pannell

Health Progress, "WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR? Compassion in the Age of Globalization" by David G. Addiss, MD, MPH

M03f: BEST ESSAY ORIGINATING WITH A MAGAZINE OR NEWSLETTER: Scholarly Magazine

First Place

American Catholic Studies, " 'That Word "Liturgy" Is So Unfortunate': Learning the Mystical Body and Practicing Catholic Action in the U.S. Liturgical Movement (c. 1926-1955)" by Katharine E. Harmon

Second Place

Catholic Southwest, "Judge Leander Perez and the Franciscans of Our Lady of Good Harbor: A School Integration Battle in Buras, Louisiana 1962-1965" by Fr. David J. Endres

Third Place

American Catholic Studies, "The National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa" by Thomas Rzeznik

Honorable Mention

American Catholic Studies, "Subversive Images and Forgotten Truths: A Selected Visual History of Black Women Religious" by Shannen Dee Williams

M03g: BEST ESSAY ORIGINATING WITH A MAGAZINE OR NEWSLETTER: Prayer & Spirituality Magazine

First Place

Give Us This Day, "A Prayer for You and Yours" by Brian Doyle

Second Place

Give Us This Day, "The Wisdom of Our Elders" by Mary Stommes

Third Place

Give Us This Day, "We Are Never Alone" by Michelle Francl-Donnay

M04: BEST EDITORIAL

First Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "Minding What Matters" by Kathleen M. Carroll

Second Place

FAITH Lansing, "FAITH in Flint: It's more than water" by Patrick Dally and Bishop Earl Boyea

Third Place

Comboni Missions, "Crumbs from the Table" by Kathleen M. Carroll

Honorable Mention

Columbia, "The Face of Pro-Life" by Alton J. Pelowski

M05a: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: Spiritual Life

First Place

Angelus, "The Crux" by Heather King

Second Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "Ask a Franciscan" by Father Pat McCloskey, OFM

Third Place

Soul Magazine, "Saints Alive" by Rev. Matthew R. Mauriello, Barb Ernster, Vincent Covello and Megan Pritchard

M05b: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: General Commentary

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "End Family Detention, Responding to Migrants, Modern Slavery at Sea" by Susan Gunn

Second Place

U.S. Catholic, "The Examined Life Column" by Father Bryan Massingale

Third Place

Faith Saginaw, "Faith Matters" by Dr. Dan Osborn

Honorable Mentions

Angelus, "Intersections" by Greg Erlandson

Angelus, "Changing America" by Ruben Navarrette

M05c: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: Family Life

First Place

Angelus, "With Grace" by Grazie Pozo Christie

Second Place

Northwest Catholic, "Your Family Matters" by Sarah Bartel

Third Place

U.S. Catholic, "Column: At Home with our Faith" by Annemarie Scobey

M05d: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: Bishop's column in a diocesan magazine

First Place

FAITH Lansing, "From the Bishop" by Patrick Dally and Bishop Earl Boyea

Second Place

Angelus, "New World of Faith" by Archbishop José H. Gomez

Third Place

Catholic Connection, "Bishop's Reflection" by Bishop Michael G. Duca

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Review, "Charity in Truth" by Archbishop William E. Lori

M06a: BEST SINGLE PHOTO: Black & White Photo

First Place

ONE Magazine, "Mother and Child Alone, Tashir, Armenia" by Nazik Armenakyan

Second Place

Parable Magazine, "The Comfort of a [Canine] Touch" by Matthew Lomanno

Third Place

Parable Magazine, "Orla and Kate" by Matthew Lomanno

Honorable Mentions

Parable Magazine, "Orla Comforts the Sick" by Matthew Lomanno

ONE Magazine, "Immaculate Conception Sisters and Children, Tashir, Armenia" by Nazik Armenakyan

M06b: BEST SINGLE PHOTO: Color Photo

First Place

Columbia, "A Lost Boy Finds Hope" by Ryan Dearth

Second Place

Columbia, "Hope Carved in Olivewood" by Afif Amireh

Third Place

ONE Magazine, "Young Student With Biscuit, Ethiopia" by John E. Kozar

Honorable Mentions

ONE Magazine, "Students at St. Michael's School, Aiga, Ethiopia" by John E. Kozar

ONE Magazine, "Family in Gaza" by Shareef Sarhan

M06c: BEST SINGLE PHOTO: Year of Mercy

First Place

Extension magazine, "Sister Luz Lara Solis talks with a homeless woman" by Rich Kalonick

Second Place

Northwest Catholic, "Enter through the Doors of Mercy" by Janis Olson

Third Place

Faith Erie magazine, "Glass holy door closes" by Mary Solberg, Anne-Marie Welsh and Lynne Hsu

M07a: BEST PHOTO STORY: News Photo Story

First Place

Columbia, "A Home of Mercy at WYD" by Alton J. Pelowski

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "United in Faith, Prayer and Love" by Staff

Third Place

The Catholic Review, "Scenes from an Ordination" by Kevin J. Parks Sara Travlos

M07b: BEST PHOTO STORY: Feature Photo Story

First Place

ONE Magazine, "Focus: A Pictorial Journey to Egypt" by John E. Kozar

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "Focus: A Pictorial Journey to Ethiopia" by John E. Kozar

Third Place

FAITH Lansing, "Ordination 2016" by Patrick Dally, Tom Gennara and Michael Spath

Honorable Mentions

M, Manhattan Magazine, "Illuminating Our Lasallian Heritage" by Kristen Cuppek, Editor, Kat Lepak, Designer and Christine Loughran, Writer

Extension magazine, "Way of the Cross," photos by Rich Kalonick and text by Liz Boo

M07d: BEST PHOTO STORY: Year of Mercy

First Place

Extension magazine, "Colombian Sisters serve migrant farmworkers in Michigan," photos by Rich Kalonick and text by Liz Boo

Second Place

FAITH Lansing, "Holy Doors of Mercy" by Patrick Dally, Ryan Schweitzer and Emily Lenhard

M08a: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: News Package

First Place

Angelus, "Stuck: Thousands of Haitians await their fate on the U.S.-Mexico Border" by Victor Alemán

Second Place

North Texas Catholic Magazine, "Two Cities Mourn" by Joan Kurkowski-Gillen, Juan Guajardo, Smiley Pool, Ron Heflin, Tom Fox and Ashley Landis

Third Place

Columbia, "Missionary of Mercy and Peace" by Columbia staff

Honorable Mention

Columbia, "A Light to the Nations" by Matthew Barrick and Tom Serafin

M08b: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: Feature Package

First Place

Columbia, "Bishop of the Last Frontier" by J.R. Ancheta

Second Place

VISION Catholic Religious Vocation Discernment Guide, "VISION Spotlight: 'Vocation takes cultivation' "

Third Place

ONE Magazine, "Armenia's Children, Left Behind" by Gayane Abrahamyan and Nazik Armenakyan

Honorable Mentions

Parable Magazine, "The Comfort of a [Canine] Touch" by Matthew Lomanno

Santa Clara Magazine, "Where are they taking us?" by Colleen Sinsky, Photographer and Writer

ONE Magazine, "When Rain Fails" by James Jeffrey and Petterik Wiggers

M08b: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: Year of Mercy

First Place

Extension Magazine, "Works of Mercy cover story" by Meinrad Scherer-Emunds, Liz Boo, Rich Kalonick and Niklas Asker

Second Place

Faith Erie magazine, "That's Mercy? Who Knew?" by Schuyler Stupica and Anne-Marie Welsh

Third Place

Columbia, "The Healing Power of Mercy" by Photo Lacaze

Honorable Mention

FAITH Lansing, "Holy Doors of Mercy" by Patrick Dally and Ryan Schweitzer

M09: BEST ILLUSTRATION, EITHER WITH ART WORK OR PHOTOGRAPHY

First Place

Santa Clara Magazine, "Dr. Jerome" by Anna Elena Balbusso

Second Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "Bags" by Jon Krause

Third Place

Angelus, "Portrait of David Amaya" by Andrew Norman

Honorable Mention

Parable Magazine, "Diocese of Manchester Patron Saints Reading" by Matthew Alderman

M10a: BEST SPECIAL ISSUE, SECTION, OR SUPPLEMENT: Special issue

First Place

FAITH Lansing, "FAITH in Flint June 2016" by Patrick Dally and staff

Second Place

Health Progress, "Caring for Creation Health Care and the Environment" by Mary Ann Steiner, Lilah Lohr and Les Stock

Third Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "The Historic Visit of Pope Francis" by Marketing and Communications Staff

M10b: BEST SPECIAL ISSUE, SECTION, OR SUPPLEMENT: Special Section

First Place

Parable Magazine, "Catholic Social Teaching: Stories That Model Catholic Citizenship" by Katie Fiermonti, Paul McAvoy and Bridget Martin

Second Place

Parable Magazine, "We Can't Let Our Voices Be Lost" by Bishop Peter Libasci and Abby Feldpausch

Third Place

The Augustinian, "Father Bill Atkinson, O.S.A., Servant of God" by Teddie Gallagher and Kitty Sheridan

M11: BEST INTERVIEW

First Place

Faith Erie magazine, "I'm amazed that I'm still alive" by Schuyler Stupica

Second Place

Faith Saginaw, "Lives of Gratitude" by Erin Carlson

Third Place

FAITH Lansing, "Dr. Mona, the hero of the Flint water crisis" by Patrick Dally, Tom Gennara and Nancy Rosebush Schertzing

Honorable Mentions

U.S. Catholic, "Somos familia" by Nichole Flores and U.S. Catholic Editors

Northeast Ohio Catholic, "Paydo Family Answers God's Call" by Carol Kovach

Living City Magazine, "What is work all about?" by Susanne Janssen

M12a: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE: Religious leader

First Place

Glenmary Challenge, "Brother reaches across brokenness" by Frank Lesko

Second Place

American Catholic Studies, "The Argentine and Latin American Background of Pope Francis" by Phillip Berryman

Third Place

Liguorian, "Mother Teresa: It All Started With Prayer" by Anne M. Wilson, Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR, Elizabeth Herzing, William Townsend and John Krus

Honorable Mention

Columbia, "The Radiant Charity of Madre Nati" by J.D. Long-García

Columbia, "Bishop of the Last Frontier" by Robert Hannon

M12d: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE: Person of interest

First Place

ONE Magazine, "A Survivor Speaks" by Molly Corso

Second Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "The Legacy of St. Maria Goretti" by Rita E. Piro

Third Place

FAITH Lansing, "Dr. Mona, the hero of the Flint water crisis" by Patrick Dally, Tom Gennara and Nancy Rosebush Schertzing

Honorable Mentions

Catholic Herald, Milwaukee, WI, "Family Following God's Plan" by Karen Mahoney

Northwest Catholic, "Angel of Hope" by Jean Parietti

M13: BEST COVERAGE OF RELIGIOUS LIBERTY ISSUES

First Place

Columbia, "Surviving ISIS, 'Save My People', Civil Rights and Religious Liberty" by Elizabeth Hansen, Columbia staff and Archbishop William E. Lori

Second Place

Parable Magazine, "Catholic Social Teaching: Stories That Model Catholic Citizenship" by Bishop Peter Libasci, Katie Fiermonti, Paul McAvoy and Bridget Martin

Third Place

FAITH Lansing, "FAITH Magazine Religious Liberty" by Patrick Dally and staff

M18: BEST COVERAGE OF IMMIGRATION

First Place

Angelus, "'Residents,' 'Stuck,' 'Future unknown' " by J.D. Long-Garcia

Second Place

Liguorian, "Measuring a Crisis; Destiny and Destination; West Michigan Refugee Education and Cultural Center" by Fr. Bruce Lewandowski, CSsR, Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR and Elizabeth Herzing

Third Place

FAITH Lansing, "FAITH Magazine Immigration" by Patrick Dally, Rose Robertson, Jim Luning and Staff

Honorable Mention

ONE Magazine, "Surviving in the Promised Land Without a Country; Armenia's Children, Left Behind; Welcoming the Stranger" by Diane Handal and Gayane Abrahamyan

M19: BEST EXPLANATION OF CHURCH'S POSITION ON MARRIAGE

First Place

FAITH Lansing, "FAITH Magazine Marriage" by Patrick Dally, Mary Gates, Nancy Rosebush Schertzing, Tom Gennara and Rose Robertson

Second Place

Catholic St. Louis, "More than 'I do'" by Jennifer Brinker and Lisa Johnston

M20: BEST REPORTING ON VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE OR DIACONATE

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "Sibling Spirituality" by Gabriela Romeri

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "On a Mission From God" by Jose Kavi

Third Place

Maryknoll magazine, "Sharing God's love in Tanzania" by Maria-Pia Negro Chin

Honorable Mentions

Jesuits Midwest, "Band of Brothers" by Brian Harper, Steve Donisch, John Hillman and Quentin Maguire

The Catholic Compass, "Instruments of Mercy," by Erica Johnson

M21: BEST REVIEW

First Place

American Catholic Studies, "Review Symposium - American Jesuits and the World: How an Embattled Religious Order Made Modern Catholicism Global, by John T. McGreevy," perspectives from Peter McDonough, Liam Matthew Brockey, Bronwen Catherine McShea and Katie Oxx with a response from author, John T. McGreevy

Second Place

American Catholic Studies, "Book Review - Joan Chittister: Her Journey from Certainty to Faith by Tom Roberts" by Sandra M. Schneiders, IHM

Third Place

Columbia, "Salvation on Screen" by Sister Helena Burns, FSP

Honorable Mention

Santa Clara Magazine, "The Art of George Tooker" by Dana Gioia

M22: BEST BOOK REVIEW SECTION

First Place

America Magazine, "Spring Books, April 2016" by Raymond A. Schroth, S.J.

Second Place

American Catholic Studies, "Review Section from Vol. 127, No. 1 (Spring 2016)" by multiple contributors

Third Place

Catholic Southwest, "2016 Catholic Southwest Book Review Section" by Thomas W. Jodziewicz, Book Review Editor

Honorable Mentions

American Catholic Studies, "Book Review Section, Vol. 127, No. 2 (Summer 2016)" by multiple contributors

Catholic Connection, "In Review" by Kim Long, Katie Sciba and Mike Van Vranken

M23a: BEST IN-DEPTH/ANALYSIS WRITING: Best In-Depth Writing

First Place

Angelus, "Inside the life: A closer look at sex trafficking in Los Angeles" by R.W. Dellinger and Alicia Morandi

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "When Rain Fails" by James Jeffrey

Third Place

FAITH Lansing, "The Catholic Church Responds to the Water Crisis in Flint" by Patrick Dally, Rose Robertson and Tom Gennara

M23b: BEST IN-DEPTH/ANALYSIS WRITING: Best Analysis Writing

First Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "What Ramadan Taught Me about Lent" by Joe McHugh

Second Place

Angelus, "What now America? The Catholic vote and the nation's divided house" by Peter Jesserer Smith

Third Place

Northwest Catholic, "Can we all get along?" by Kevin Birnbaum, Ellen Bollard and Maria Laughlin

M24a: BEST FEATURE ARTICLE: General Interest Magazine

First Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "Franciscan Respite for Refugees" by Toni Cashnelli

Second Place

U.S. Catholic, "You invited me in" by Peter Feuerherd

Third Place

U.S. Catholic, "Organic Habits" by Jessica Mesman Griffith

M24b: BEST FEATURE ARTICLE: Diocesan Magazine

First Place

FAITH along Michigan's 45th Parallel, "A Portrait of Open Adoption" by Chris Grosser

Second Place

Northwest Catholic, "Hidden No More" by Anna Weaver

Third Place

Northwest Catholic, "Hearts for Mission" by Jean Parietti

M24c: BEST FEATURE ARTICLE: Mission Magazine (Overseas and Home)

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "NURTURING TALENT" by Maria-Pia Negro Chin

Second Place

Comboni Missions, "Pope Francis in Africa: A Journey of Mercy and Hope" by Kathleen M. Carroll

Third Place

ONE Magazine, "Welcoming the Stranger" by Diane Handal and Tamara Abdul Hadi

M24d: BEST FEATURE ARTICLE: Religious Order Magazine

First Place

Jesuits Midwest, "Social Entrepreneurship: Not Just Business as Usual" by Brian Harper

Second Place

Living Unbound, "From Sponsored Members To Staff Members" by Loretta Shea Kline, managing editor

Third Place

*The Augustinian, "*The Blessings of a New Priest" by Teddie Gallagher, Kitty Sheridan, James D. Paradis, O.S.A. and Robert J. Guessetto, O.S.A.

M24e: BEST FEATURE ARTICLE: Professional & Special Interest Magazine, Including Clergy & Religious

First Place

Health Progress, "Nursing Our Wounds" by Elizabeth Ann Scarborough

Second Place

Health Progress, "Health Care, Business and Ethics The Goods We Hold in Common" by Michael J. Naughton, MA, PhD

Third Place

Ecumenical Trends, "The Prophetic Cry for Justice: A Pentecostal Response to the Racism of Mass Incarceration" by Peter Althouse

Honorable Mention

Health Progress, "Health Equity, Solidarity and the Common Good Who Lives, Who Dies, Who Tell the Story" by Meghan Clark, PhD

M24f: BEST FEATURE ARTICLE: Scholarly Magazine

First Place

American Catholic Studies, "Forum: Writing Catholic History After the Sex Abuse Crisis" by Catherine R. Osborne, Guest Editor and Contributors

Second Place

American Catholic Studies, "The Formal Act of Defection and U.S. Catholic Deconversion" by J. Patrick Hornbeck, II

Third Place

American Catholic Studies, "The Minims of Notre Dame: Underpinnings of Sorin's University, 1842-1929" by Marion T. Casey

M24h: BEST FEATURE ARTICLE: Newsletter

First Place

HNP Today, "Virginia Parish Raises \$19,000+ for Georgia Parish's Summer Program" by Maria Hayes

Second Place

HNP Today, "Photo of Franciscan Fire Chaplain Praying Rosary Goes Viral" by Maria Hayes

Third Place

HNP Today, "John Heffernan Celebrates Mass for Community Wedding" by Jocelyn Thomas

Honorable Mentions

HNP Today, "Friars Take Part in Polar Plunge to Raise Awareness, Funding" by Jocelyn Thomas

HNP Today, "Friars Celebrate St. Bonaventure University President" by Jocelyn Thomas

M25: BEST ONLINE PRESENTATION OF MULTIMEDIA VISUALS

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "CHAINED IN CAMBODIA" by Sean Sprague, David R. Aquije and Kevin Conroy, M.M.

Second Place

Northwest Catholic, "Catholic beard balm is a real thing" by Kevin Birnbaum, Stephen Brashear and Anna Weaver

Third Place

Maryknoll magazine, "Working for Myanmar's future" by John Zaw, Sean Sprague and David R. Aquije

M26: BEST MAGAZINE OR NEWSLETTER WEBSITE

First Place

Maryknoll magazine website by Maryknoll magazine Staff

Second Place

www.angelusnews.com

Third Place

Prepare the Word website by TrueQuest Communications

M27a: MAGAZINE/NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR: National General Interest Magazine

First Place

U.S. Catholic by U.S. Catholic Staff

Second Place

St. Anthony Messenger by John Feister, Editor in Chief, Jeanne Kortekamp, Art Director and Pat McCloskey, OFM, Franciscan Editor

Third Place (Tie)

Living City Magazine by Living City staff

Third Place (Tie)

Extension magazine by Editors Meinrad Scherer-Emunds and Liz Boo, Photography by Rich Kalonick and Design by Elio Leturia

Honorable Mention

Columbia by Alton J. Pelowski, Andrew J. Matt and Anna M. Bninski

M27b: MAGAZINE/NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR: Diocesan Magazine

First Place

FAITH Lansing by Staff

Second Place

Catholic St. Louis by Staff

Third Place

Vermont Catholic

Honorable Mentions

Angelus by Angelus staff

The Catholic Review by The Catholic Review Staff

M27c: MAGAZINE/NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR: Mission Magazine (Overseas and Home)

First Place

ONE Magazine by Staff

Second Place

Comboni Missions by Kathleen M. Carroll

Third Place

Maryknoll magazine by Maryknoll magazine Staff

Honorable Mention

Glenmary Challenge by John Stegeman, Tricia Sarvak, Molly Williamson and staff

M27d: MAGAZINE/NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR: Religious Order Magazine

First Place

Jesuits Midwest by Jeremy Langford, Director of Communications, Quentin Maguire, Assistant Director of Communications, Brian Harper, Communications Specialist, Associate Editor and Kurt Metzler, Designer

Second Place

Jesuits Magazine by Michael Benigno and Michael Gabriele

Third Place

Heart to Heart by Kim Metzgar, Editor

M27e: MAGAZINE/NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR: Professional & Special Interest Magazine (Including Clergy & Religious)

First Place

Health Progress by Mary Ann Steiner, Lilah Lohr and Les Stock

Second Place

VISION Vocation Guide

Third Place

Momentum Magazine, NCEA by Gabrielle Gallagher, Editor

Honorable Mentions

HORIZON, Journal of the National Religious Vocation Conference by Carol Schuck Scheiber, editor and Patrice Touhy, page designer

Ecumenical Trends by Franciscan Friars of the Atonement - Graymoor

M27f: MAGAZINE/NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR: Scholarly Magazine

First Place

American Catholic Studies by Co-Editors Rodger Van Allen and Thomas Rzeznik, Associate Editors Nicholas Rademacher, Brett Grainger and Margaret M. McGuinness, and Managing Editor Leigh Anne McCabe

Second Place

Catholic Southwest by Richard Fossey, Editor

M27g: MAGAZINE/NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR: Prayer & Spirituality Magazine

First Place

Soul Magazine by Barb Ernster, Vincent Covello and Megan Pritchard

Second Place

Give Us This Day

M29: BEST REDESIGN

First Place

Catholic St. Louis by Staff

Second Place

Jesuits Midwest by Jeremy Langford, Director of Communications, Quentin Maguire, Assistant Director of Communications, Kurt Metzler, Designer and Brian Harper, Communications Specialist, Associate Editor

Third Place

Vermont Catholic

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Review Magazine by The Catholic Review Staff and Sara Travlos

M30: BEST COVERAGE OF THE YEAR OF MERCY

First Place

Northwest Catholic, "Mother Teresa's legacy of mercy; Angel of Hope, Doing small things with great love" by Kevin Birnbaum, Jean Parietti and Stephen Brashear

Second Place

Columbia, "The Field Hospital Is Open, The Healing Power of Mercy, Mercy Begins at Home" by Vicki Thorn, Lizette Lantigua and Kathleen M. Basi

Third Place

Comboni Missions, articles by Kathleen M. Carroll

M34: BEST TITLE AND LEAD-IN

First Place

Santa Clara Magazine, "Let There Be Light" by Robert Zimmerman

Second Place

Columbia, "A Lost Boy Finds Hope" by Roxanne King and Columbia staff

Third Place

FAITH along Michigan's 45th Parallel, "A Portrait of Open Adoption" by Chris Grosser

Honorable Mentions

Faith Erie magazine, "I'm amazed that I'm still alive" by Schuyler Stupica, writer

FAITH Lansing, "Did we do the wrong thing by cremating my dad?" by Patrick Dally and Fr. Joe Krupp

M35: BEST REPORTING ON A SPECIAL AGE GROUP

First Place

Extension magazine, "Millennials and the Church" by Liz Boo and Meinrad Scherer-Emunds, photos by Rich Kalonick

Second Place

FAITH Lansing, "FAITH Teen" by Patrick Dally and Staff

Third Place

Catholic St. Louis, "Reaching the young and mobile Church" by Jennifer Brinker and Lisa Johnston

Honorable Mentions

FAITH Lansing, "'Overwhelmed by the Value' of Her Catholic Education" by Patrick Dally, Michael Spath and Jim Luning

Soul Magazine, "The Children's Rosary Circles the World" by Joseph Pronechen, Barb Ernster, Vincent Covello and Megan Pritchard

M36: BEST SPORTS REPORTING

First Place

The Catholic Compass, "An Olympic Faith," story by Kimberly Smith, photos by Erica Johnson and Bob Thomas

Second Place

The Catholic Review, "IND tops Mercy as 'The Game' turns 50" by Paul McMullen and John Strohsacker

M37: BEST SEASONAL ISSUE

First Place

Liguorian, "Liguorian 2016 Christmas/Advent" by Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR, Elizabeth Herzing, Wendy Barnes, William Townsend and John Krus

Second Place

Liguorian, "Liturgical Season: Lent" by Liguorian Staff

Third Place

SALUTE, "Christmas 2016 Edition" by Jo Ann Redmond, Editor

M38: BEST REPORTING OF THE CELEBRATION OF A SACRAMENT

First Place

FAITH Lansing, "Ordination 2016" by Patrick Dally, Michael Spath and Tom Gennara

Second Place

Northeast Ohio Catholic, "Reconciliation Enables us to Rejoice in God's Mercy" by Carol Kovach

Third Place

Extension magazine, "A Sacrament of Mercy" by Father Julio Dominguez, photos by Rich Kalonick

Honorable Mention

FAITH Lansing, "Planning your Marriage... and the Wedding" by Patrick Dally and Mary Gates

M41: BEST COVERAGE OF MOTHER TERESA'S CANONIZATION

First Place

North Texas Catholic Magazine, "Light of the World, Salt for the Earth" by Joan Kurkowski-Gillen and Juan Guajardo

Second Place

Columbia, "A Joyful Witness to Mercy" by Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson, Missionaries of Charity Father Brian Kolodiejchuk and Alton J. Pelowski

M42: BEST COVERAGE OF PRO-LIFE ISSUES

First Place

Columbia, "A Better Choice, The Field Hospital Is Open, A Witness in Winter" by Carolee McGrath, Vicki Thorn and Alton J. Pelowski

Second Place

Angelus, "'Heartbeats,' 'A right to kill?' and 'Dying well' " by J.D. Long-Garcia, Peter Jesserer Smith and R.W. Dellinger

Third Place

Catholic Connection, "Let Us Stand Up for the Life of Every Person; Mary's House; and Affirming Life at All Ages in All Stages" by Bishop Michael G. Duca, Jessica Rinaudo and Kim Long

M43b: BEST COVERAGE OF THE 2016 ELECTION: National political issues

First Place

FAITH Lansing, "FAITH National Politics" by Staff

Second Place

Angelus, "Presidential election coverage" by Kathryn Jean Lopez and Peter Jesserer Smith

M44: BEST COVERAGE OF ECUMENICAL/INTERFAITH ISSUES

First Place

Living City Magazine, "Growing together, Start bridge-building now, A compass to guide our way" by Sarah Mundell, Susanne Janssen, David Shaheed and Jordan Denari

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "Hearing the Voice of God in Africa; Deep Roots, Wide Branches; Where It All Began" by Don Duncan and Greg Kandra

M45: BEST COVERAGE OF WORLD YOUTH DAY

First Place

North Texas Catholic Magazine, "Disciples of All Nations" by Joan Kurkowski-Gillen, Father James Wilcox and Juan Guajardo

Second Place

Columbia, "Special WYD Edition, A Home of Mercy at WYD" by Alton J. Pelowski

M47a: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: National general interest magazine

First Place

Santa Clara Magazine, "Dr. Jerome" by Jane Hambleton, Designer and Pentagram Austin, Design Consultant

Second Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Breaking the Chains" by Donna L. Hobson and Dana Rene Bowler

Third Place

St. Anthony Messenger, "Flavors of the Bible" by Jeanne Kortekamp

M47b: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: Diocesan magazine

First Place

Vermont Catholic magazine, "Sharing the Love" by Monica Koskiniemi

Second Place

FAITH along Michigan's 45th Parallel, "A Portrait of Open Adoption" by Rachel Matero

Third Place

Northwest Catholic, "Homegrown beauty" by Ellen Bollard

M47c: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: Mission magazine (overseas and home)

First Place

ONE Magazine, "When Rain Fails" by Paul Grillo

Second Place

Maryknoll magazine, "THE TEARS OF REFUGEES" by Rosemarie Milazzo, M.M. and Diane Mastrogiulio

Third Place

ONE Magazine, "Armenia's Children, Left Behind" by Paul Grillo

Honorable Mention

ONE Magazine, "Ethiopia's Sleeping Giant" by Paul Grillo

M47d: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: Religious order magazine

First Place

The Augustinian, "Father Bill Atkinson, O.S.A., Servant of God" by Teddie Gallagher and Jessica Eversmeyer, 20NINE DESIGN

Honorable Mention

Jesuits Midwest, "The Audacity to Seek the Impossible" by Kurt Metzler, Designer, Fr. Don Doll, SJ, Photographer and Tracey Primrose, Author

M48a: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Life and Dignity of the Human Person

First Place

Maryknoll magazine, "CHAINED IN CAMBODIA" by Sean Sprague

Second Place

Maryknoll magazine, "TRANSFORMING PAIN TO PEACE" by Joanne Blaney, MKLM

Third Place

FAITH along Michigan's 45th Parallel, "The Face of Christ" by Chris Grosser, Candace Neff and Rachel Matero

M48b: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Call to Family, Community and Participation

First Place

Faith Erie magazine, "Deacon Ralph shakes things up" by Anne-Marie Welsh

Second Place

North Texas Catholic Magazine, "Parishes throughout diocese help immigrant families seeking a new start" by Joan Kurkowski-Gillen

Third Place

Liguorian, "The Principle of Participation" by William J. Byron, SJ and Liguorian Staff

M48d: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

First Place

ONE Magazine, "When Rain Fails" by James Jeffrey

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "'My Great Hope Is the Sisters' "by Jose Kavi

Third Place

ONE Magazine, "Health on Wheels" by Raed Rafei

Honorable Mention

ONE Magazine, "Armenia's Children, Left Behind" by Gayane Abrahamyan

M48f: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Solidarity

First Place

Faith Erie magazine, "Encountering Islam" by Schuyler Stupica

Second Place

North Texas Catholic Magazine, "5 Loving neighbor as oneself: How Catholic Charities helps refugees find a place to call home" by Susan Moses

Third Place

ONE Magazine, "A Letter From Gaza" by Suhaila Tarazi

M48g: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Care for God's Creation

First Place

*Liguorian, "*The Principle of Stewardship" by William J. Byron, SJ, Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR, Elizabeth Herzing and John Krus

Second Place

Vermont Catholic magazine, "The Cry of the Earth The Cry of the Poor" by Stephanie Clary

Third Place

Northwest Catholic, "Caring for Creation" by Louis McGill

M49: BEST STORY AND PHOTO PACKAGE

First Place

Catholic St. Louis, "Solidarity in Bolivia" by Joseph Kenny and Lisa Johnston

Second Place

ONE Magazine, "When Rain Fails" by James Jeffrey and Petterik Wiggers

Third Place

Angelus, "Stuck: Thousands of Haitians stuck await their fate on the U.S.-Mexico border" by Victor Alemán and J.D. Long-García

Honorable Mentions

FAITH Lansing, "Dr. Mona, the hero of the Flint water crisis" by Patrick Dally Nancy Rosebush Schertzing Tom Gennara

Maryknoll magazine, "CHAINED IN CAMBODIA" by Sean Sprague

M50b: ALUMNI/AE MAGAZINES FROM CATHOLIC COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES: Best Single Photo

First Place

Santa Clara Magazine, "World Refugee Day" by Kristóf Hölvényi

Second Place

M, Manhattan Magazine, "College's First Public Artwork Paints World Around Campus" by Josh Cuppek

M50f: ALUMNI/AE MAGAZINES FROM CATHOLIC COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES: Best Personality Profile

First Place

Santa Clara Magazine, "An American Story" by Steven Boyd Saum

Second Place

John Carroll magazine, "The legend of Harry Gauzman" by John Walsh

Third Place

Caldwell University Magazine, "Graduate says 'unmistakable magic' of Caldwell University helped her receive a degree" by Colette M. Liddy

M50g: ALUMNI/AE MAGAZINES FROM CATHOLIC COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES: Best Feature Article

First Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "The Things They Remembered" by Katie Bahr

Second Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Freedom Fighters" by Ellen N. Woods

Third Place

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Breaking the Chains" by Katie Bahr

Honorable Mentions

Santa Clara Magazine, "Mission Critical" by Harold Gutmann

The Catholic University of America Magazine, "Art Inspired by Illness" by Ellen N. Woods

Alumni/ae Magazine of the Year

First Place

Santa Clara Magazine by Steven Boyd Saum, Editor, Linda Degastaldi, Creative Director, Ron Hansen, Literary Editor, Matt Morgan, Assistant Editor, Jane Hambleton, Designer and Pentagram Austin, Design Consultant.

Second Place

St. Norbert College Magazine by Susan Allen, editor, Drew Van Fossen, creative director, Laura Treichel, art director, Jill Wiesman, associate editor and Nina Rouse, web editor

Third Place

M, Manhattan Magazine by Kristen Cuppek, Editor and Kat Lepak, Designer

Honorable Mentions

The Catholic University of America Magazine by the Office of Marketing and Communications Staff

Tower Magazine by the University of Dallas Offices of Alumni Relations and Marketing & Communications

Newspaper Division

NO1a: BEST FRONT PAGE: Broadsheet (17 x 22")

First Place

National Catholic Register, "Orlando's Aftermath, Benedict's Priestly Anniversary, Healing a Nation's Racial Wounds" by Jeanette De Melo, Melissa Hartog, Tom Wehner and Amy Smith

Second Place

Pittsburgh Catholic Newspaper, front pages by Staff

Third Place

FaithLife Newspaper, front pages by Mary Solberg and Rich Papalia

NO1b: BEST FRONT PAGE: Tabloid (11 x 17")

First Place

OSV Newsweekly, front pages by Lindsey Riesen and the OSV News Team

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, front pages by Toni-Ann Ortiz

Third Place

The Catholic Register, front pages by Lucy Barco

Honorable Mentions

Denver Catholic, "Little Woman, Giant Spirit" by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Aaron Lambert, Filippo Piccone and James Baca

Catholic Standard, front page photographs by Jaclyn Lippelmann, design by Javier Diaz and Jaclyn Lippelmann

NO2a: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A LOCAL OR REGIONAL EVENT: Weekly Diocesan

Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Catholic Sun, "Father Daniel Berrigan remembered" by Renée K. Gadoua

Second Place

Catholic Herald, "Hundreds gather to pray for peace in city" by Maryangela Román

Third Place

The Boston Pilot, "Robots coming to a kindergarten near you" by Mark Labbe

Honorable Mentions

The Observer, "Rock Falls Family Remembered With Love" by Tony Carton

The Observer, "Last Chance for Barn Bargains: After four decades, Fox Valley Fundraiser Tradition Ending" by Amanda Hudson

The Boston Pilot, "Different reasons draw faithful to venerate St. Padre Pio" by Mark Labbe

NO2b: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A LOCAL OR REGIONAL EVENT: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Long road to recover" by Jennifer Brinker, Joseph Kenny, Dave Luecking and Lisa Johnston

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Church construction boom" by Zoey Maraist

Third Place

The Evangelist, "St. Agnes Cemetery to provide resting place for slaves' remains" by Kathleen Lamanna

Honorable Mentions

The Tablet, "Brooklyn Mourns Teenager's Tragic Death; Laid to Rest: Brooklyn Student's Death More Complicated as Details Emerge" by The Tablet Staff

Clarion Herald, "Steve Gleason's anointed life" by Christine Bordelon

NO2c: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A LOCAL OR REGIONAL EVENT: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Fighting for residents of a trailer park" by Kristen Hannum

Second Place

Tennessee Register, "New conservative effort pushes back against death penalty" by Theresa Laurence

Third Place

The Dialog, "Fallen heroes in Wilmington" by Mike Lang

Honorable Mentions

Catholic Sentinel, "Fire chief's decision saved lives in blast" by Ed Langlois

The Catholic Spirit, Metuchen, NJ, "Pastor takes wheel to solve transportation problem" by Christina Leslie

NO2d: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A LOCAL OR REGIONAL EVENT: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Visitor, "Melrose fire" by Kristi Anderson

Second Place

Catholic News Herald, "St. Matthew Church surpasses 10,000 registered families" by SueAnn Howell

Third Place

The Catholic Voice, "Sulpicians abruptly quit seminary" by Albert C. Pacciorini

Honorable Mentions

The Florida Catholic, Orlando Edition, "Coverage of the Pulse nightclub shooting" by Jean Gonzalez, Glenda Meekins, Teresa Peterson and Christine Young

Catholic Voice, "School Enrollment" by Joe Ruff

NO3a: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL EVENT: National Event, Diocesan Newspaper

First Place

Catholic News Herald, "Local annulment cases up after Pope Francis' reforms; Helping the hurting" by SueAnn Howell and Nancy Kopfle

Second Place

Tennessee Register, "Refugee and immigrant advocates seek to calm post-election fears" by Theresa Laurence

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Nation mourns Justice Scalia" by Michael F. Flach

Honorable Mention

Tennessee Register, "Shots in Dallas felt in Nashville" by Andy Telli

Catholic Voice, "March for Life" by Mike May

NO3b: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL EVENT: National Event, National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

National Catholic Register, "Life Amid War: Peace Comes in the Form of South Sudan's Churches" by Peter Jesserer Smith

Second Place

The Catholic Register, "The Church and residential schools" by Michael Swan

Third Place

Catholic Health World, "Testing Vaccines, counseling prevention, ministry engages in Zika fight" by Betsy Taylor

Honorable Mentions

Catholic Health World, "Leaders Consider the Interconnection of Catholic Identity and Mission Effectiveness" by Judith VandeWater

OSV Newsweekly, "Secular groups decry porn's harmful effects" by Brian Fraga

NO3c: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL EVENT: International Event, Diocesan Newspaper

First Place

The Tablet, "Pope Appeals to Heart, Soul in Mexico; In Silence, Pope Spoke Loudest In Mexico" by Austen Ivereigh

Second Place

The Florida Catholic, Miami Edition, "After Fidel: 'We have to keep waiting'" by Ana Rodriguez-Soto and Tom Tracy

Third Place

The Tidings, "Pope Francis renews message of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico" by J.D. Long-Garcia

Honorable Mentions

The Tablet, "In Brooklyn, Pakistanis Pray for Terror Victims" by Antonina Zielinska

The Criterion, articles by John Shaughnessy

NO3d: BEST NEWS WRITING ON A NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL EVENT: International Event, National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, articles by Elizabeth A. Elliott, Joshua J. McElwee and Traci Badalucco

Second Place

The Catholic Register, "World turning blind eye to refugee crisis" by Michael Swan

Third Place

National Catholic Register, "Death of a Dictator: Fidel Castro (1926-2016)" by Victor Gaetan

Honorable Mention

National Catholic Reporter, "Letter calls for transparency in investigations" by Joshua J. McElwee

NO4a: BEST INVESTIGATIVE/ANALYSIS NEWS WRITING: Investigative News Writing, Diocesan Newspaper

First Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Assaulted student says university failed her" by Katie Scott

Second Place

The Catholic Spirit, Metuchen, NJ, "Heroin Epidemic" by Chris Donahue

NO4b: BEST INVESTIGATIVE/ANALYSIS NEWS WRITING: Investigative News Writing, National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Missionaries' murder still a mystery" by Claire Schaeffer-Duffy

Second Place

St. Louis Review, "'Nobody knows what they're doing with the remains' " by Jennifer Brinker

NO4c: BEST INVESTIGATIVE/ANALYSIS NEWS WRITING: Best Analysis/Background/Round-Up News Writing: The Gerard E. Sherry Award for Diocesan Newspaper

First Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "'Deacons from archdiocese view refugee crisis in Greece'; 'Plight of refugees touches hearts at Holy Trinity Church'; 'Many hands build support for Myanmar refugees' " by Nichole Golden

Second Place

St. Louis Review, "Dignity of a happy death" by Jennifer Brinker

Third Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Can Catholic schools deal with disabilities?" by Ed Langlois

NO4d: BEST INVESTIGATIVE/ANALYSIS NEWS WRITING: Best

<u>Analysis/Background/Round-Up New Writing: The Gerard E. Sherry Award for National Newspaper or Wire Service</u>

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Series on child abuse and healing" by Mary Gail Frawley-O'Dea

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Coverage of the effects of mining on communities" by Melanie Lidman, J. Malcolm Garcia, and Chris Herlinger

Third Place

Catholic News Service, "Church urges nations, society to address ongoing issues related to drugs" by Ezra Fieser, David Agren and Bronwen Dachs

Honorable Mentions

The Catholic Register, "Revisiting the Reformation" by Michael Swan

Catholic Health World, "Researchers See Promising Advances in Adult Stem Cell Work" by Betsy Taylor

NO5a: BEST IN-DEPTH NEWS/SPECIAL REPORTING: Diocesan Newspaper

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Mission to Bolivia: Land of peace" by Joseph Kenny and Lisa Johnston

Second Place

The Evangelist, "For Hoosick Falls Catholics with contaminated water, glass is still half-full" by Kathleen Lamanna

Third Place

Tennessee Register, reporting on suicide by Theresa Laurence and Andy Telli

Honorable Mentions

St. Louis Review, "Mercy in the Holy Land" by Lisa Johnston and Elizabeth Westhoff

The Georgia Bulletin, "Seeking shelter at El Refugio" by Andrew Nelson, Michael Alexander, Allen Kinzly and Thomas Schulte

NO5b: BEST IN-DEPTH NEWS/SPECIAL REPORTING: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

OSV Newsweekly, "Young people are leaving the Faith: Here's why" by Mark M. Gray

Second Place

National Catholic Register, "Pan-Orthodox Meltdown Ahead of Great Council?" by Victor Gaetan

Third Place

The Catholic Register, "Is Syrian peace attainable? Not by war" by Michael Swan

Honorable Mentions

The Catholic Register, "A nation at war, Ukraine turns to the Lord" by Michael Swan

OSV Newsweekly, "Dioceses struggle to pay priests' pensions" by Brian Fraga

N06a: BEST EDITORIAL ON A LOCAL ISSUE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Herald, Madison, WI, "Support our immigrant brothers and sisters" by Mary C. Uhler

Second Place

The Catholic Messenger, "Restoring hope" by Barb Arland-Fye

N06b: BEST EDITORIAL ON A LOCAL ISSUE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Criterion, "Prayers are needed to help heal our nation's wounds and divisions" by Mike Krokos

Honorable Mention

St. Louis Review, "'Decent' work provides dignity" by Joseph Kenny

NO6c: BEST EDITORIAL ON A LOCAL ISSUE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Tennessee Register, "Affordable housing an important part of great – and just – city" by Theresa Laurence

Second Place

Catholic Standard, "Prescription to kill is bad medicine in Maryland" by Mark Zimmermann

Third Place

Tennessee Register, "Legislature should see refugees with eyes of mercy" by Andy Telli

Honorable Mentions

Catholic Anchor, "What's really behind the Satan prayer at the Kenai Assembly?" by Joel Davidson

Catholic Anchor, "Transgender policy reshapes student athletics in Alaska" by Joel Davidson

N06d: BEST EDITORIAL ON A LOCAL ISSUE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Visitor, "Building bridges" by Joe Towalski

Second Place

Catholic San Francisco, "Archbishop: Don't legalize marijuana" by Archbishop Salvatore J. Cordileone

Honorable Mention

The A.D. Times, "Angels in education" by Father Bernard Ezaki

N07a: BEST EDITORIAL ON A NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL ISSUE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Compass, "The business of healthcare" by Patricia Kasten

Second Place

Catholic Herald, Madison, WI, "Work for sensible gun control" by Mary C. Uhler

Third Place

Arkansas Catholic, "Felons across America should be able to vote" by Malea Hargett

Honorable Mention

Catholic Herald, Madison, WI, "A Mother's Day gift: paid maternity leave" by Mary C. Uhler

N07b: BEST EDITORIAL ON A NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL ISSUE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Record newspaper, "Women of God" by Marnie McAllister

Second Place

The Tablet, "Female Deacons?" by Father John P. Cush

Honorable Mention

St. Louis Review, "A time for unity" by Joseph Kenny

N07c: BEST EDITORIAL ON A NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL ISSUE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Anchor, "Churches must welcome out-of-wedlock pregnancies" by Joel Davidson

Catholic Standard, ""Way of Cross, and Easter hope, for suffering Middle East Christian" by Mark Zimmermann

Third Place

The Messenger, "When We Become Refugees" by Liz Quirin

NO7d: BEST EDITORIAL ON A NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL ISSUE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Catholic New York, "A Hopeful Meeting, Long in Coming" by Mary Ann Poust

Second Place

The Catholic Sun, "Religious liberty is an absolute" by Tony Gutiérrez

Third Place

The Visitor, "Pope Francis Endorses..." by Joe Towalski

NO7e: BEST EDITORIAL ON A NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL ISSUE: National Newspaper

First Place

Aleteia.org, "Jean Vanier's Challenge to Be Christ, All the Way" by Elizabeth Scalia

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Halt the scourge of cluster bombs" by National Catholic Reporter editors

NO8a: BEST EDITORIAL PAGE OR EDITORIAL SECTION: Diocesan Newspaper

First Place

Catholic News Herald, "Viewpoints" by Patricia L. Guilfoyle

Second Place

Catholic Anchor, "What's behind Satan prayer; Church doesn't just happen; Pivotal moments" by Catholic Anchor staff

Third Place

The Tablet, "Editorial Pages" by The Tablet Staff

NO9a: BEST FEATURE WRITING: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Milwaukee Catholic Herald, "Help for hoarders: Catholic Charities only nonprofit addressing the stigma" by Maryangela Román

Second Place

Milwaukee Catholic Herald, "Shooting victim learning God's purpose for him" by Maryangela Román

Third Place

The Compass, "Homeless shelter volunteers put wheels in motion, create Spokes 4 Hope" by Jeff Kurowski

N09b: BEST FEATURE WRITING: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Joyous remembrance" by Dave Luecking

Second Place

The Tablet, "Bishop Prays with Survivors Of Sexual Abuse by Clergy" by Marie-Pia Negro Chin

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Pastor's smoking habit pays off" by Zoey Di Mauro

N09c: BEST FEATURE WRITING: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less First Place

Tennessee Register, "Ministering to veterans 'about reconciliation and healing'" by Theresa Laurence

Second Place

Tennessee Register, "For expectant parents, miscarriage can be 'loss of a dream'" by Theresa Laurence

Third Place

Tennessee Register, "Open adoption gives birth mother a place in children's lives" by Theresa Laurence

Honorable Mention

Catholic Sentinel, "Learning to be human again" by Ed Langlois

Catholic Standard, ""Mother sees scholarships as 'grace from God': D.C. Opportunity Scholarship Program provides expanded educational options for city's families"" by Story by Kelly Seegers, photo by Jaclyn Lippelmann

N09d: BEST FEATURE WRITING: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Grave-digging deacon" by Dave Hrbacek

Second Place

The Visitor, "RAP transition team" by Kristi Anderson

Third Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "Teacher marries beau with second-graders in the front row" by Nichole Golden

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Telegraph, "Stories of same-sex attracted Catholics propel growth of Courage" by John Stegeman

The Catholic Voice, "Sisterhood puts its collective heart into dresses, shorts" by Michele Jurich

NO9e: BEST FEATURE WRITING: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

The Catholic Register, "A saint's legacy transformed a city, its people" by Michael Swan

Second Place

Aleteia.org, "Why settling refugees in a timely manner is a pro-family action" by John-Patrick Mauro

Third Place

Catholic Health World, "Bon Secours Baltimore Gives Returning Citizens Surer Footing During Reentry From Prison" by Judy VandeWater

Honorable Mention

Catholic Health World, "Agnesian's Institute is Global Center for Savant Syndrome Research" by Margaret Gillerman

The Catholic Register, "Revisiting the Reformation" by Michael Swan

N10a: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Catholic Messenger, "Successful banker works to banish stigma of mental illness" by Barb Arland-Fye

Second Place

The Message, Evansville, IN, "Sister and students make music together" by Greg Eckerle

Third Place

The Compass, "Giving back is as easy as pie" by Sam Lucero

N10b: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Fire for life" by Jennifer Brinker

Second Place

The Leaven, "Lunch Lady" by Joe Bollig

Third Place

The Evangelist, "Four new priests all surprised by vocations" by Kate Blain

Honorable Mention

Clarion Herald, "Service characterizes faith of 2016 Regina Matrum" by Beth Donze

N10c: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Standard, ""New saint's goddaughter: Like St. Teresa of Kolkata, Maria McMurtrie likes to pray, and to hug and serve others" by Story by Richard Szczepanowski, photo by Jaclyn Lippelmann

The Catholic Post, "No 'bucket list,' just service: Prayers, parish life help Fr. DeBisschop cope with cancer" by Jennifer Willems

Third Place

Southern Cross, Savannah, GA, "To visit the sick, just 'be a child of God'" by Jessica L. Marsala

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Post, "God is opening many doors for me': Peoria Notre Dame welcomes teen who met pope after 'wish'" by Tom Dermody

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "Cardinal Soane Patita Paini Mafi" by Patrick Downes

N10d: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Catholic New York, "Rabbi Dan, Longest-Serving Teacher" by Juliann DosSantos

Second Place

Catholic Times, "Diocesan woman remembers the Mother Teresa she knew" by Diane Schlindwein

Third Place

The Catholic Miscellany, "Artist transforms ordinary into beautiful outreach" by CHRISTINA LEE KNAUSS

Honorable Mention

Catholic San Francisco, "Hundreds mourn beloved homeless man at Star of the Sea parish" by Christina Gray

Catholic News Herald, "Through Campus Ministry, WCU student discovers a new life of faith" by Tim Reid

N10e: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

Aleteia.org, "Iraqi nun who lived through four wars tries to bring healing to Boston" by John Burger

Second Place

Catholic Health World, "Agnesian's Institute is Global Center for Savant Syndrome Research" by Margaret Gillerman

Third Place

Catholic Health World, "SSM's Dr. Zorba Paster Champions Health on Airwaves, In Print" by Betsy Taylor

N11a: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: Culture, the Arts, and Leisure

First Place

National Catholic Register, "Arts and Entertainment Column" by Steven D. Greydanus

Catholic News Service, "TV EYE" by Mark Pattison

Third Place

National Catholic Reporter, "'Thelma and Louise' still poses a challenge to male entitlement; 'Hacksaw Ridge,' for all its heroism and love, remains a paradox; 'Silence': Scorsese's most Catholic film asks deep questions" by Sr. Rose Pacatte

Honorable Mention

National Catholic Reporter, "The parable of the 'Tangerines'; Flawed 'Ignacio' has some eloquence; Repeat viewings of 'Departures' yield inspiration anew" by Br. Antonio D. Sison

National Catholic Reporter, "Archdiocese operates a sacred 'dollar store'; Largest-ever retrospective underscores Hieronymus Bosch's Catholic faith; Met exhibit reveals Holy Land's layers" by Menachem Wecker

N11b: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: Spiritual LIfe

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Soul Seeing" by 1/15/2016 - "Learning to soul-see the hard way" by Heather King 8/12/2016 - "When the soul sees desperate need, it does not turn away" by Bishop Gerald Kicanas 11/18/2016 - "Sunday's little sacraments" by Michael Leach

Second Place

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "In little ways" by Kathleen Choi

Third Place

The Observer, "Person in the Pew" by Amanda Hudson

N11c: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: Scripture

First Place

The Florida Catholic, Orlando Edition, "Put your trust in God, Go out on a limb, Working Toward the common good" by Father David Scotchie

Second Place

The Tablet, "Sunday's Scriptures" by Father Jean-Pierre Ruiz

Third Place

The Evangelist, "Good News for Kids column" by Kate Blain

N11d: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: General Commentary

First Place

Southern Cross, Savannah, GA, "Commentary - Southern Cross" by Mary Hood Hart

Second Place

The Catholic Register, "Robert Kinghorn columns" by Robert Kinghorn

Third Place

Catholic News Service, "For the Journey" by Effie Caldarola

Honorable Mention

Clarion Herald, "General Commentary" by Peter Finney, Jr.

N11e: BEST REGULAR COLUMN: Family Life

First Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "Columns" by Lorraine V. Murray

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Prison reform is a pro-life -- and political -- issue; To my son on his first Communion day; Love your neighbor -- yes, your actual neighbor" by Heidi Schlumpf

Third Place

The Compass, "A Space for Grace" by Julianne Stanz

N12a: BEST REPORTING ON SPECIAL AGE GROUP: Children and Teens Younger than 18

First Place

The Leaven, "Musical Work of Mercy" by Marc and Julie Anderson

Second Place

Catholic Standard, ""Mother Teresa is Church's newest saint", "November is Black Catholic History Month" by Richard Szczepanowski and Kelly Seegers

Third Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "All Saints Students Take a Call From the Heavens" by Lauren Clem

Honorable Mention

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Young girls grow in virtue" by Ashleigh Buyers

Arkansas Catholic, "Catholic graduates 2016" by Dwain Hebda, Aprille Hanson and Malea Hargett

N12b: BEST REPORTING ON SPECIAL AGE GROUP: Young Adults (Age 18-40)

First Place

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "Manaolana: For the young adult Catholic" by Staff

Second Place

Arkansas Catholic, "Exploring the Church, dating, sex and the single life/ Dating in 2016: How I met your mother ... online" by Aprille Hanson

Third Place

The Leaven, "Mission Trip" by Moira Cullings

Honorable Mention

Denver Catholic, "Millennial Catholics: Here to Stay" by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Melissa Keating, Filippo Piccone

The Catholic Sun, "Parish's young adult outreach taps into 'homebrewed evangelism'" by Ambria Hammel

N12c: BEST REPORTING ON SPECIAL AGE GROUP: Senior Citizens

First Place

The Leaven, "Faith and Table Tennis" by Jill Ragar Esfeld

Second Place

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Senior citizens" by Dave Hrbacek, Susan Klemond and Jessica Weinberger

Third Place

Catholic Voice, "Senior Living Emphasis Issue" by Staff

N13a: BEST PHOTO STORY: News Photo Story

First Place

Catholic Standard, "Joyful crowd welcomes pope to World Youth Day", "Young pilgrims pray Stations of the Cross with pope", "World Youth Day Vigil" by Photos by Jaclyn Lippelmann

Second Place

The Texas Catholic, "Prayers for Peace, Hope and Unity" by Kevin Bartram, Jenna Teter, Ron Heflin and Rebecca Kirstin Patton

Third Place

The Catholic Voice, "Easter 2016 (double truck)" by Staff

N13b: BEST PHOTO STORY: Feature Photo Story

First Place

Southern Cross, Savannah, GA, "Holy Week Around the Diocese" by Michael J. Johnson, Jessica L. Marsala and Timothy L. Williams

Second Place

The Leaven, "Most Likely to Succeed" by Jay Soldner and Moira Cullings

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Living Stations" by Joe Cashwell

Honorable Mention

The Evangelist, "Christmas pageants" by Nate Whitchurch

Southern Cross, Savannah, GA, "St. Anthony of Padua Church, Ray City, dedicated May 21" by Michael J. Johnson and Jessica L.Marsala

N13c: BEST PHOTO STORY: Sports Photo Story

First Place

Catholic New York, "Chinatown Olympics" by Mary DiBiase Blaich for Catholic New York

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "O'Connell girls row to victory" by Joe Cashwell

Third Place

The Catholic Sun, "Fathers fight to the finish in furious finale of fast-paced fray" by Photographer: Jesus Valencia and Catholic Media Ministry Graphic Designer: Mick Welsh

N13d: BEST PHOTO STORY: Year of Mercy

First Place

Southern Cross, Savannah, GA, "Repentance, prayer and merciful hearts are topics at Year of Mercy Pilgrimage" by Michael J. Johnson, Timothy L. Williams and Paul H. Camp

Second Place

The Evangelist, "Year of Mercy ends" by Nate Whitchurch

Third Place

The Compass, "Bishop Ricken celebrates Mass at Redgranite Correctional Institution" by Sam Lucero

N14a: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best Feature Photo

First Place

Denver Catholic, "Cathedral Ordination" by Andrew Wright

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "Independence Day display" by Bob Roller

Third Place

Catholic News Service, "Pope Francis' balloon reach" by Paul Haring

Honorable Mention

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Snowy 'I do'" by Stacy Rausch

The Florida Catholic, Palm Beach Edition, "Saints, souls remembered" by Linda Reeves

N14b: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best General News Photo

First Place

Denver Catholic, "Bishops" by Andrew Wright

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "Priest stands among a sea of snoozing World Youth Day pilgrims" by Bob Roller

Third Place

St. Louis Review, "Crying buckets of tears" by Lisa Johnston

Honorable Mention

Catholic News Service, "Southwest heat wave" by Nancy Wiechec

Intermountain Catholic, "Mother Teresa" by Marie Mischel

N14c: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best Portrait

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Limberth at bedtime" by Lisa Johnston

Second Place

Catholic Sentinel, "A monk and his ancient book" by Ed Langlois

Third Place

The Leaven, "Flyboy" by Joe Bollig

Honorable Mention

Catholic Star Herald, "graduation day" by Alan M. Dumoff

Catholic New York, "Final Vows" by Mary DiBiase Blaich for Catholic New York

N14d: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best Scenic, Still-Life, or Weather Photo

First Place

Catholic News Service, "Raindrops keep falling on pope's head" by Paul Haring

Second Place

St. Louis Review, "Sea of Galilee" by Lisa Johnston

Third Place

Catholic Courier, "St. Matthew at Dusk" by Jeff Witherow

Honorable Mention

Catholic New York, "Wintry Scene - Weather Aside, Intrepid New Yorkers March for Life" by Matt Schiller

N14e: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best Photo-Illustration

First Place

The Catholic Register, "A crisis of conscience" by Lucy Barco

Second Place

The Valley Catholic, "Thanks be to God" by Zulema Baez and Cesar Riojas

Honorable Mention

Catholic Courier, "Marital Journey" by Linda Jeanne Rivers

N14f: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best Sports Photo

First Place

The Monitor, "Web Gem" by John Blaine

Second Place

Catholic Courier, "Football hurdler" by Jeff Witherow

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Goalie makes great save" by Joe Cashwell

Honorable Mention

St. Louis Review, "Jayson Tatum dunk" by Lisa Johnston

Catholic Star Herald, "Triple jump" by Alan M. Dumoff

N14g: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best Year of Mercy Photo

First Place

Catholic News Service, "World Youth Day pilgrim makes emotional confession" by Bob Roller

Second Place

The Boston Pilot, "The heart of a saint" by Gregory L. Tracy

Third Place

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Doughnuts for Jesus" by Dave Hrbacek

Honorable Mention

The Boston Pilot, "The image of Padre Pio" by Gregory L. Tracy

N15a: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: News Package

First Place

The Texas Catholic, "Community mourns slain police officers" by David Sedeno, Seth Gonzales, Jenna Teter, Michael Gresham, Cathy Harasta

Second Place

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "Celebrating the Sacred Triduum" by Darlene J.M. Dela Cruz

Third Place

Catholic Anchor, "Blessing of the animals" by Joel Davidson

Honorable Mention

Catholic Standard, "Easter in Washington" by Jaclyn Lippelmann

The Valley Catholic, "El Papa en Penitas" by Amber Donaldson, Derek Janik and Matthew Mercado

N15b: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: Feature Package

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Mission to Bolivia: Land of peace" by Lisa Johnston

Second Place

St. Louis Review, "Pan y Amor: Marked by love" by Lisa Johnston

Third Place

The Leaven, "World Youth Day" by Joe McSorley

Honorable Mention

Southern Cross/Diocese of Savannah, "Holy Week Around the Diocese" by Michael J. Johnson, Jessica L. Marsala and Timothy L. Williams / Diocese of Savannah

Catholic News Herald, "A world of faith and fun" by Doreen Sugierski

N15c: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: Sports Package

First Place

Catholic New York, "CYO Cheerleading Champions Crowned" by Mary DiBiase Blaich

Second Place

The Leaven, "Sweet Victory" by Jay Soldner

Third Place

The A.D. Times, "Bethlehem Catholic community watches one of its own earn silver" by Photographer Ed Koskey, Editor Jill Caravan and Design Editor Marcus Schneck

N15d: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: Year of Mercy Package

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Mercy in the Holy Land" by Lisa Johnston

Second Place

Southern Cross/Diocese of Savannah, "Repentance, prayer and merciful hearts are topics at Year of Mercy Pilgrimage" by Michael J. Johnson and Timothy L. Williams / Diocese of Savannah Paul H. Camp/Freelancer

Third Place

The Catholic Accent, "First Diocesan Organized Day of Mercy" by Elizabeth Fazzini, Mary Seamans

N16a: BEST USE OF ART OR GRAPHICS: Best Use of Art or Graphics

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Lineage of the Kingdom" by Abigail Witte Lisa Johnston

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "10 gifts with heart" by Ashleigh Buyers

Third Place

The Compass, "Summer outings in Diocese of Green Bay" by Rachel Koepke and Rachel Cunningham

N16b: BEST USE OF ART OR GRAPHICS: Best Original Illustration

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "How many Jesuits does it take to change a light bulb?" by Pat Marrin

Second Place

Cross Roads, "Embracing The Tension" by Deacon Skip Olson

Third Place

Cross Roads, "Reaching Our Ignition Temperature" by Deacon Skip Olson

N16c: BEST USE OF ART OR GRAPHICS: Best Chart or Information Graphic

First Place

The Catholic Register, "Religious conviction and generousity" by Lucy Barco

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Priest Formation" by Ashleigh Buyers

Third Place

The Catholic Miscellany, "2015 annual financial report" by Caroline Lindsey

N17: MOST EFFECTIVE USE OF SMALL SPACE

First Place

FaithLife Newspaper, "Mercy Works" by Mary Solberg Rich Papalia

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Irish plumber sticky note" by Ashleigh Buyers, Advertising staff

Third Place

Clarion Herald, "Lewis Company Rosary Making ad" by Lloyd Robichaux

N18: BEST HEADLINE

First Place

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "Are we Catholic yet?" by Darlene J.M. Dela Cruz

Second Place

Idaho Catholic Register, "Prayer software to make you app-y" by David Llamas

Third Place

Catholic Star Herald, "Blest are the tail waggers" by Carl Peters

Honorable Mention

Idaho Catholic Register, "Life is picking up for Benedictine oblate" by David Llamas

N19a: BEST SUPPLEMENT OR SPECIAL ISSUE: Best Regular Special Supplement

First Place

The Compass, "Priest Jubilee Section" by The Compass Staff

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Women Today" by National Catholic Reporter staff and contributors

Third Place

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "2015 Diocesan Stewardship Report" by Staff

Honorable Mention

Catholic Standard, "Class of 2016: Catholic school graduates share their stories" by Catholic Standard staff

The Catholic Register, "Estate Planning" by Catholic Register Staff

N19b: BEST SUPPLEMENT OR SPECIAL ISSUE: Best One-Time Special Issue

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Mission to Bolivia: Land of peace" by Joseph Kenny Lisa Johnston Abigail Witte

National Catholic Register, "Mother Angelica 1923-2016" by Register Staff and Contributors

Third Place

St. Louis Review, "Pan y Amor: Marked by love" by Joseph Kenny Lisa Johnston Abigail Witte

Honorable Mention

The Criterion, "A special farewell issue to Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin" by Mike Krokos, John Shaughnessy, Sean Gallagher, Natalie Hoefer, Brandon A. Evans, Jane Lee, Ron Massey

N19c: BEST SUPPLEMENT OR SPECIAL ISSUE: Best Special Supplement on a Bishop's Transition

First Place

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Our Shepherd: Installation of Archbishop Bernard Hebda" by The Catholic Spirit staff

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Bishop Michael F. Burbidge" by Catholic Herald staff

Third Place

St. Louis Review, "Joyful farewell" by Staff

Honorable Mention

The Criterion, "A special farewell issue to Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin" by Mike Krokos, John Shaughnessy, Sean Gallagher, Natalie Hoefer, Brandon A. Evans, Jane Lee, Ron Massey

N20: BEST SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT OR SPECIAL ISSUE WITH ADVERTISING EMPHASIS

First Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Catholic College Week" by Catholic Herald staff

Second Place

Catholic News Herald, "2016 Diocese of Charlotte Eucharistic Congress Guide" by Kevin Eagan Patricia Guilfoyle Tim Faragher

Third Place

The Compass, "Campus Ministry Section" by Amy Kawula and Rachel Cunningham

N21a: BEST SPORTS JOURNALISM: Sports News

First Place

The Catholic Telegraph, "DCPR joins Christian Athletic Conference" by John Stegeman

Second Place

Texas Catholic Herald, "Faith in the outfield: Bringing the grace of Mass to the dugout" by James Ramos

Third Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Rupp's finest moment" by Ken Niezgoda

N21b: BEST SPORTS JOURNALISM: Sports Feature

First Place

The Texas Catholic, "Mabeth Diaz: Jesuit soccer player undeterred by prosthetic leg" by Cathy Harasta

Second Place

The Criterion, "A father's lesson, a son's gift: Magical moment at baseball game strikes to the heart of a beautiful relationship" by John Shaughnessy

Third Place

The Monitor, "Faith a key component in Paralympian's journey to Rio" by Rich Fisher

Honorable Mention

Pittsburgh Catholic Publishing Associates, Inc, "Faith Warrior: Steelers Lineman - Villanueva" By John Franko

Tennessee Register, "Cockerham was coach and advocate for women's sports" by Andy Telli

N22: BEST SEASONAL ISSUE

First Place

The Evangelist, "Christmas Issue" by staff

Second Place

The Catholic Register, "Joy to the World" by Catholic Register Staff

Third Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "Eucharistic Congress 2016: The Heart of Mercy" by Georgia Bulletin staff

N23a: BEST REPORTING ON THE CELEBRATION OF A SACRAMENT: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Compass, "Father, son ordained to diaconate" by Jeff Kurowski

Second Place

The Observer, "Be Reconciled Day, the Sacrament of Confession" by Margarita Mendoza, Tony Carton, Louise Brass, Amanda Hudson

Third Place

The Observer, "Blessings Mark World Day of the Sick" by By Penny Wiegert

Honorable Mention

The Message - Catholic Diocese of Evansville, "What a glorious day for the Diocese of Evansville" by Ruth Bandas, Sheila Barclay, Trisha Hannon-Smith, Kevin Kilmer, Tim Lilley

N23b: BEST REPORTING ON THE CELEBRATION OF A SACRAMENT: Weekly Diocesan

Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Called to the priesthood" by Zoey Di Mauro

Second Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "St. Peter Sacraments Program a Vital Ministry for Autistic Students" by Rick A. Snizek

Third Place

Clarion Herald, "Champions of charity" by Beth Donze

N23c: BEST REPORTING ON THE CELEBRATION OF A SACRAMENT: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Florida Catholic Palm Beach, "New Priests tell their stories" by Jim Davis

Second Place

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "Are we Catholic yet?" by Darlene J.M. Dela Cruz

Third Place

Catholic Sentinel, "A longing to be Catholic fulfilled" by Kristen Hannum Ed Langlois

N23d: BEST REPORTING ON THE CELEBRATION OF A SACRAMENT: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Denver Catholic, "Be Simple. Be One." by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Melissa Keating, Filippo Piccone

Second Place

The Florida Catholic Orlando, "Deacon battling stage 4 cancer" by Teresa Peterson

Third Place

Catholic Courier, "Parish embraces young family" by Mike Latona

Honorable Mention

The Georgia Bulletin, "Special needs youth ministry is 'a gift from God' for families" by Nichole Golden, Thomas Spink

N24: BEST COVERAGE OF RELIGIOUS LIBERTY ISSUES

First Place

Catholic News Service, "Middle East fraught with religious liberty fears" by Doreen Abi Raad, Oscar Durand, Dale Gavlak

Second Place

The Evangelist, "Religious freedom and abortion mandate" by Bishop Edward Scharfenberger, Kate Blain

N28a: BEST REPORTING ON VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE OR DIACONATE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Arkansas Catholic, "Black and vowed" by Aprille Hanson

Second Place

Catholic Herald, Madison, WI, "Vocations — Special Section" by Catholic Herald-Madison Staff

Third Place

The Observer, "From God, For God: Father Joel Lopez uses his gifts to bring others to God" by By Amanda Hudson

Honorable Mention

The Boston Pilot, "Ordination class of 2016: Deacon J. Thomas Gignac" by Donis Tracy

The Boston Pilot, "Bishop Mark O'Connell: 'I plan on being a happy bishop'" by Donis Tracy

N28b: BEST REPORTING ON VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE OR DIACONATE: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Criterion, "Six brothers enter more deeply into family, faith through the priesthood; Siblings in priesthood, religious life support each other in ministry; Brother priests offer advice to parents to foster vocations in the home" by Sean Gallagher

Second Place

The Leaven, "Discyberling" by Moira Cullings

Third Place

The Evangelist, "Four new priests all surprised by vocations" by Kate Blain, Nate Whitchurch

Honorable Mention

The Beacon, "Bagpipes take diocesan priest halfway around the world" by Michael Wojcik

Clarion Herald, "Priestly pilgrimage placed faith, feet 'on the road" by Beth Donze

N28c: BEST REPORTING ON VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE OR DIACONATE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Sentinel, "The monastic restrictions free you" by Ed Langlois

Second Place

The Monitor, "With the People: For Father Abadilla, being present, showing compassion hallmarks of priesthood; Community Builder: Father McCormick has priestly heart for changing the world" by Mary Stadnyk, Christina Leslie

Third Place

The Florida Catholic Palm Beach, "A miracle story of a man of great faith" by Linda Reeves

Honorable Mention

Catholic Anchor, "Priests open up about blessings, challenges of celibate life" by Joel Davidson

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "Be the bearer of light" by Darlene J.M. Dela Cruz

N28d: BEST REPORTING ON VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE OR DIACONATE: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Catholic News Herald, "Vocations: Heeding the call" by Catholic News Herald Staff

Second Place

The Catholic Accent, "Ryan Ravis Ordination Preview" by Jerry Zufelt, Elizabeth Fazzini, Mary Seamans

Third Place

Catholic Courier, "Embracing the call" by Mike Latona, Jeff Witherow and Gina Capellazzi

Honorable Mention

The Visitor, "Father Art Vogel" by Dianne Towalski

Florida Catholic Miami, "From top gun to top nun" by Priscilla Greear

N28e: BEST REPORTING ON VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE OR DIACONATE: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

The Catholic Register, "Sr. Nyirumbe sews hope" by Jean Ko Din

Second Place

Aleteia.org, ""What is the use of monasticism?" (Series on Monastic Life)" by John Burger, Elizabeth Scalia, Zoe Romanowsky

Third Place

National Catholic Register, "Best Reporting on Vocations" by Register Staff and Contributors

N29: BEST COVERAGE OF IMMIGRATION

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Refugees wait for a new life; Communities on US border 'grow from within'; Respite center in Texas hosts resurgent influx of immigrants" by Chris Herlinger, Soli Salgado, Nuri Vallbona

Second Place

The Valley Catholic, "Salvadoran family granted political asylum; Valley residents, volunteers clothe thousands; 'I see some of them crying as they pray'" by Rose Ybarra

Third Place

Intermountain Catholic - Diocese of Salt Lake City, "Refugees celebrate high school graduation; Fostering refugees teaches appreciation of little things; Hiring event touts refugees to Utah businesses as excellent employees" by Laura Vallejo, Marie Mischel

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Voice, "Catholics learn how to sponsor refugee families; Immigration ruling baffles, but doesn't deter advocates; Catholics respond to election with calls to protect the vulnerable and sidebars" by Michele Jurich

The B.C. Catholic, "Syrian refugees" by Agnieszka Krawczynski

N30: BEST REGULAR COLUMN BY A BISHOP OR ARCHBISHOP

First Place

Catholic New York, "Lord, To Whom Shall We Go?" by Cardinal Timothy M. Dolan

Second Place

The Evangelist, "Bishop Scharfenberger's column" by Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger

Third Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "Without a Doubt: Are Catholic Schools Worth Saving?; Let's Talk About Hope and Peace, Not Fear; My Mom's Christmas Cookies" by Bishop Thomas J. Tobin

Honorable Mention

The Tablet, "Put Out Into the Deep" by Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio

East Texas Catholic, "Working Together for Good in His Name" by Bishop Curtis J. Guillory, SVD

N31: BEST ONLINE PRESENTATION OF MULTIMEDIA VISUALS

First Place

Denver Catholic, "Little Woman, Giant Spirit" by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Aaron Lambert, Filippo Piccone

Second Place

The Visitor, "St. Cloud priest gives teens 'Vital 3.0' car tips" by Dianne Towalski

Third Place

The Visitor, "CRS Rice Bowl recipes: Laos and Rwanda" by Dianne Towalski

Honorable Mention

National Catholic Reporter, "Soldier turned philosopher specializes in military ethics, just war" by Tom Roberts, Toni-Ann Ortiz, Mick Forgey

N32: BEST NEWSPAPER WEBSITE

First Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Catholicherald.com" by Catholic Herald staff

The Boston Pilot, "Best Catholic newspaper Website" by Antonio Enrique, Gregory L. Tracy and Nan Wilkins

Third Place

The Tablet, "The Tablet Website" by The Tablet Staff

Honorable Mention

The Record newspaper, "TheRecordnewspaper.org" by The Record Staff

The Beacon, "www.rcdop.org" by Richard Sokerka

N34: BEST EXPLANATION OF THE CHURCH'S POSITION ON MARRIAGE

First Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "Marriage and Annulments in the Diocese of Providence" by Rick A. Snizek

Second Place

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Marriage" by Maria Wiering, Dave Hrbacek and Bishop Andrew Cozzens

Third Place

Aleteia.org, "Everything you ever wanted to know about Marriage and Annulments but were afraid to ask" by Diane Montagna

N35: BEST COVERAGE OF LOCAL POLITICS

First Place

Catholic Anchor, "Bills would force Alaska pharmacists/ Transgender policy reshapes athletics/ Alaska Supreme Court" by Patricia Coll Freeman, Joel Davidson

Second Place

Catholic Standard, ""Opponents warn of impact assisted suicide measure would have in Maryland;" "Maryland state senator withdraws physician assisted suicide bill;" "D.C. assisted suicide bill seen as endangering the vulnerable" by Richard Szczepanowski

Third Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "State to Offer Free SAT; General Assembly Considering Assisted Suicide Bill; Diocese Speaks Out Against Transit Fare Hikes for Elderly, Disabled" by Lauren Clem and Rick A. Snizek

Honorable Mention

The Tablet, "Off the Markey; Daily News Leads Hit Job on the Church; No Tears Shed Over Ouster of Markey" by Ed Wilkinson

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Local politics" by Maria Wiering and Bridget Ryder

N36a: NEWSPAPER OF THE YEAR: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Compass by The Compass Staff

The Observer by Observer staff

Third Place

Milwaukee Catholic Herald by Milwaukee Catholic Herald Staff, Brian Olszewski, general manager, Maryangela Román, managing editor, Joe Poirier, reporter and John Teggatz, production coordinator

Honorable Mentions

The Boston Pilot by Pilot staff

North Country Catholic by Mary Lou Kilian and staff

N36b: NEWSPAPER OF THE YEAR: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

St. Louis Review by Staff

Second Place

The Leaven by Leaven Staff

Third Place

Arlington Catholic Herald by Catholic Herald staff

Honorable Mentions

The Tablet by The Tablet Staff

Clarion Herald by Clarion Herald Staff

N36c: NEWSPAPER OF THE YEAR: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Sentinel by Catholic Sentinel staff and Ed Langlois, managing editor

Second Place

The Monitor by The Monitor Staff

Third Place

Catholic Standard by Catholic Standard staff

Honorable Mentions

The Dialog by Dialog Staff

Tennessee Register by Rick Musacchio, Andy Telli, Theresa Laurence and Debbie Lane

N36d: NEWSPAPER OF THE YEAR: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Texas Catholic by The Texas Catholic staff

The Georgia Bulletin by Georgia Bulletin staff

Third Place

Catholic Courier by Staff

Honorable Mentions

Denver Catholic by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Michael O' Neill, Aaron Lambert and Filippo Piccone

The Visitor by The Visitor staff

N36e: NEWSPAPER OF THE YEAR: National Newspaper

First Place

National Catholic Register by Register Staff

Second Place

Catholic Register by Catholic Register Staff

Third Place (Tied)

National Catholic Reporter by National Catholic Reporter staff and contributors

Third Place (Tied)

OSV Newsweekly by OSV News Team

Honorable Mention

Catholic Health World by Judith VandeWater, Julie Minda, Betsy Taylor and Les Stock

N40: BEST REDESIGN

First Place

Denver Catholic, "A Tremendous Blessing" by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Joshua Karabinos, Michael O' Neill, Filippo Piccone, Aaron Lambert

Second Place

Nuestra Voz, "A New Design for Nuestra Voz" by Art Director: Israel Ochoa Editor: Jorge I. Domínguez-López

N41a: BEST COVERAGE OF THE YEAR OF MERCY: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

North Country Catholic, "God's Mercy in God's Country" by Kathleen Gallagher, Suzanne Pietropaoli, Mary Lou Kilian

Second Place

The Compass, "Year of Mercy coverage" by Sam Lucero and Patricia Kasten

Third Place

Intermountain Catholic - Diocese of Salt Lake City, "Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy coverage" by Laura Vallejo, Marylin Acosta, Marie Mischel

N41b: BEST COVERAGE OF THE YEAR OF MERCY: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Mercy in the Holy Land" by Staff

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Burying the dead, Confession primer, Bread ministry, Solace for grieving" by Katie Scott and Zoey Di Mauro

Third Place

The Tablet, "Brooklyn Pilgrims Visit Six Holy Doors in Diocese; Maronites Have Their Own Set of Holy Doors; Mercy on the Streets" by Marie Elena Giossi

N41c: BEST COVERAGE OF THE YEAR OF MERCY: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Year of Mercy" by Ed Langlois

Second Place

The Western Kentucky Catholic, "Agents of compassion and clean water; Grace goes 'both ways' for inmates, volunteers; Dignity, compassion and respect: Teens assist funerals of poor, homeless" by Elizabeth Wong Barnstead

Third Place

Our Northland Diocese, "Best Coverage of the Year of Mercy" by Janelle Gergen, Associate Editor Katrina Genereux, Staff Writer

N41d: BEST COVERAGE OF THE YEAR OF MERCY: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Catholic News Herald, "Making 'Room in the Inn' for the homeless; Mercy Moments series; Confession: The Sacrament of Mercy" by Father Patrick Winslow SueAnn Howell Rico De Silva Father George David Byers

Second Place

The Visitor, "Year of Mercy coverage" by Kristi Anderson and Dianne Towalski

Third Place

Catholic New York, "The Year of Mercy in the Archdiocese of New York" by Christie L. Chicoine, Juliann DosSantos, John Woods

Honorable Mention

The Georgia Bulletin, "With dental drills, Mercy Care Clinic extends healing"; "Two women find friendship is their common language"; "Once a week the people don't have to worry about hunger" by Andrew Nelson, Nichole Golden, Michael Alexander

Florida Catholic Miami, "For I was in prison . . ." by Jim Davis and Anne DiBernardo

N41e: BEST COVERAGE OF THE YEAR OF MERCY: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

Aleteia.org, "Practicing Mercy in the Year of Mercy (Series)" by

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "Year of Mercy" by Carol Glatz, Cindy Wooden, Robert Duncan, Paul Haring

Third Place

OSV Newsweekly, "Fisichella: 'We need to be instruments of mercy'; A story of pilgrimage and mercy in the South; Mercy everlasting" by Greg Erlandson, Stephen Lenahan, OSV Editorial Board

N45: BEST COVERAGE OF THE PAPAL VISIT TO MEXICO

First Place

Catholic News Service, "Pope Francis goes to Mexico" by David Agren, Cindy Wooden, Paul Haring, Robert Duncan

Second Place

The Tidings, "Pope Francis renews message of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico" by J.D. Long-Garcia

Third Place

The Valley Catholic, "Messenger of Hope; On the other side of the fence; Pope Francis prays for immigrants at U.S.-Mexico border" by Brenda Nettles Riojas and staff

N46a: BEST COVERAGE OF VIOLENCE IN OUR COMMUNITIES: Diocesan newspaper

First Place

The Texas Catholic, "Community mourns slain Dallas police officers" by David Sedeno, Michael Gresham, Cathy Harasta, Seth Gonzales and Jenna Teter

Second Place

Catholic News Herald, "Calling for peace, justice in Charlotte; Charlotte parish mourns death of protester; Talking about race, Catholic style" by Patricia Guilfoyle Rico De Silva

Third Place

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Violence in communities" by Maria Wiering, Jessica Trygstad, Matthew Davis and Bob Zyskowski

Honorable Mention

The Tablet, "At Candlelight Vigil, Bishop Leads Prayers For Justice and Peace; Why This Evil?; No Easy Answers to Racial Divide" by Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio, Father John P. Cush, Ed Wilkinson and Antonina Zielinska

N46b: BEST COVERAGE OF VIOLENCE IN OUR COMMUNITIES: National newspaper or wire service

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Orlando surfaces issues of moral urgency; Sorrow, anger and determination heard in Orlando's pulpits; We stand at the foot of the cross" by NCR editors, Mark I. Pinsky, Carol Stanton

Second Place

OSV Newsweekly, "Forum explores 'deep divide' between races; Communities lean on prayer in times of need; Unpacking the 'soul-sickness' of racism" by Mary Dillard, Patti Maguire Armstrong; Gretchen R. Crowe

N47a: BEST COVERAGE OF MOTHER TERESA'S CANONIZATION: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Boston Pilot, "Boston Coverage of Mother Teresa's canonization" by Mark Labbe

Second Place

Cross Roads, "Mother Teresa's Appalachian legacy" by Ned McGrath, Douglas Culp, M. Yvette Millan Torres, LL.M.

N47b: BEST COVERAGE OF MOTHER TERESA'S CANONIZATION: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Summer with a saint, Building a family, Mother Teresa in Arlington" by Katie Scott, Zoey Di Mauro, Mary Stachyra Lopez

Second Place

The Record newspaper, "Mother Teresa: A tireless servant and saint" by Marnie McAllister and Jessica Able

Third Place

The Tablet, "Doctor Can't Forget House Call to Calcutta; Seminarian's 'Miracle' From Mother Teresa; Mother Teresa Statue Is Gift from Albanians" by Frank DeRosa, Ed Wilkinson and Marie Elena Giossi

N47c: BEST COVERAGE OF MOTHER TERESA'S CANONIZATION: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Standard, "St. Teresa's message – 'God loves the world through us' – still resonates", "New saint's goddaughter: Like St. Teresa of Kolkata, Maria McMurtrie likes to pray and to hug and serve others", "Mother Teresa's work continues with acts of love and faith"" by Richard Szczepanowski Mark Zimmermann Jaclyn Lippelmann

Second Place

The Monitor, "In the Hands of a Saint; To Witness History; Mother's Great Day" by Mary Morrell, Dorothy K. LaMantia, Lois Rogers, John Batkowski, Ken Falls,

N47d: BEST COVERAGE OF MOTHER TERESA'S CANONIZATION: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Denver Catholic, "Little Spirit, Giant Woman" by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Aaron Lambert, Filippo Piccone, Carmen Villa

Second Place

Catholic New York, "THE CANONIZATION OF ST. TERESA OF KOLKATA" by John Woods, Juliann DosSantos, Dan Pietrafesa

Third Place

The A.D. Times, "Mother Teresa canonization" by Staff Writer Tara Connolly, Photographer John Simitz, Design Editor Marcus Schneck and Editor Jill Caravan

N47e: BEST COVERAGE OF MOTHER TERESA'S CANONIZATION: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

OSV Newsweekly, "Mother Teresa's Rome; A model of mercy; Pope Francis declares Mother Teresa a saint" by Deborah Castellano Lubov; Father Brian Kolodiejchuk; Scott Warden

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "Mother Teresa's canonization" by Cindy Wooden, Junno Arocho Esteves, Robert Duncan, Paul Haring, Nancy Wiechec, Saadia Azim, Jeffrey Bruno

Third Place

National Catholic Register, "Mother Teresa's Canonization" by Anto Akkara, Father Raymond De Souza, Victor Gaetan

N48a: BEST COVERAGE OF PRO-LIFE ISSUES: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Compass, "Respect Life Section" by Jaye Alderson (Oshkosh clinic volunteers; Redgranite ministry) and Bob Zyskowski (Sextons loving 'bury the dead')

Second Place

The B.C. Catholic, "New report alarms bishops-Activists fight legal battles for right to free speech-Poll reveals images of victims can change minds" by Agnieszka Krawczynski

N48b: BEST COVERAGE OF PRO-LIFE ISSUES: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Snow vs. Wade; Fetal remains; and Dignity of a happy death" by Staff

Second Place

Arlington Catholic Herald, "Paul Stefan Home, Rams for Life, Promise to the Abortion King" by Katie Scott, Zoey Di Mauro and Elizabeth A. Elliott

N48c: BEST COVERAGE OF PRO-LIFE ISSUES: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Catholic Anchor, "Heal from abortion/ Abortion vulnerable women/ Adoption is a voice that has been drowned out" by Mindy Goorchenko, Patricia Coll Freeman, Tiffany Borges

Second Place

The Monitor, "Cancer survivor fights assisted suicide bill; Assisted suicide bill passes Assembly, advances to Senate; Doctors, patients argue against NJ bill they call 'state-sanctioned suicide'" by Jennifer Mauro; Joe Moore photos; The Department of Multimedia Production in coordination with The Monitor

Third Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Pro-life coverage" by Sarah Wolf Ed Langlois

N48d: BEST COVERAGE OF PRO-LIFE ISSUES: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Texas Catholic Herald, "Witnesses to life" by Rebecca Torrellas, Annette Baird, James Ramos

Second Place

The Catholic Accent, "Project Rachel" by Elizabeth Fazzini, Mary Seamans

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Miscellany, "March for Life promotes 'forgiveness, grace and mercy'" by Christina Lee Knauss, Amy Wise Taylor, Caroline Lindsey

The Florida Catholic Orlando, "What are the facts surrounding immigration, Natural death should be a blessing, The roles of dignity and mercy" by Laura Dodson, Jean Gonzalez

N48e: BEST COVERAGE OF PRO-LIFE ISSUES: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "End-of-life battle; For life or guns?; Post-abortion ministry helps couple heal" by Elizabeth A. Elliott, Sarah Mac Donald, Mandy Erickson

Second Place

OSV Newsweekly, "Fighting for our lives; Lawyer blasts indictments of undercover team; Can fetal pain laws be first step to protecting life?" by Brian Fraga, Patti Maguire Armstrong

Honorable Mention

National Catholic Register, "Pro-life Coverage" by Peter Jesserer Smith, Joan Frawley Desmond, Filip Mazurczak

N49a: BEST ELECTION COVERAGE: Diocesan newspaper

First Place

St. Louis Review, "As election nears, turn to prayer; Viewing election issue through Lens of Faith; One nation under God" by Staff

Second Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Before you vote: Faithful citizenship" by Kristen Hannum Katie Scott Ed Langlois Sarah Wolf

Third Place

Denver Catholic, "Voting in Good Faith" by Karna Swanson, Andrew Wright, Aaron Lambert, Filippo Piccone, Roxanne King, Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila

N49b: BEST ELECTION COVERAGE: National newspaper or wire service

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Spiritually motivated; Latino voter panel unmoved by debate; Catholics can help heal the country" by Brian Roewe, Dennis Coday, Soli Salgado, Kristen Daniels, Traci Badalucco, Peter Feuerherd, Amy Morris-Young, and NCR editors

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "2016 U.S. presidential election" by Dennis Sadowski, Tom Tracy, William Rieter

Third Place

OSV Newsweekly, "Know the positions of the presidential candidates; Taking stock of the 2016 election; Post-election 2016, a call to action for Catholics" by OSV Staff, Russell Shaw, OSV Editorial Board

N50a: BEST REPORTING ON ECUMENICAL AND INTERFAITH ISSUES: Diocesan newspaper

First Place

The Monitor, "Sibling continues bishop's mission to improve Muslim-Christian relations; Faith leaders come together for interreligious dialogue in Hightstown; Hundreds join in food, faith dialogue at interreligious luncheon" by Dorothy K. LaMantia; Jennifer Mauro

Second Place

The Catholic Sun, "Lawn signs show support during Ramadan; Muslims long a part of American fabric, speaker says; Audience learns about Qur'an at Christ the King" by Tom Maguire

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Voice, "Piedmont church co-sponsors refugee family; Catholics respond to race, violence and healing; Hundreds crowd cathedral for prayer for peace and sidebars" by Michele Jurich, Carrie McClish

N50b: BEST REPORTING ON ECUMENICAL AND INTERFAITH ISSUES: National

newspaper or wire service

First Place

OSV Newsweekly, "Pope Francis, Russian patriarch meet in Cuba; Metropolitan Kallistos reflects on Orthodox council; Pope's Sweden trip is ecumenical 'sea change'" by Michael R. Heinlein

National Catholic Reporter, "Common ground on shared land; Reformation reconsidered; Muslim students find Catholic haven" by Elizabeth A. Elliott, Jonathan Luxmoore, Kristen Whitney Daniels

N51a: BEST COVERAGE OF WORLD YOUTH DAY: Diocesan newspaper

First Place

Florida Catholic Miami, "Celebrating World Youth Day locally and globally" by Ana Rodriguez-Soto, Jim Davis

Second Place

The Leaven, "World Youth Day" by Katie Hyde and Joe McSorley

Third Place

The Tablet, "WYD Pilgrims from Diocese Are Ready to Be Challenged; WYD Delegates Celebrate Universality of the Church; Reporter's Notebook from World Youth Day" by Maria-Pia Negro Chin and Marie Elena Giossi

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Miscellany, "World Youth Day kicks off in Poland" by Amy Wise Taylor, Caroline Lindsey

Rhode Island Catholic, "Pope Inspires Youth in Poland" by Lauren Clem

N51b: BEST COVERAGE OF WORLD YOUTH DAY: National newspaper or wire service

First Place

The Catholic Register, "World Youth Day coverage" by Jean Ko Din

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "World Youth Day" by Junno Arocho Esteves, Dennis Sadowski, Robert Duncan, Paul Haring, Bob Roller

N52a: BEST COVERAGE OF THE OLYMPICS/PARALYMPICS: Olympic Games

First Place

Catholic Standard, ""Faith is source of strength for wrestling champion", "Before jumping into the Rio Olympics, Thea LaFond stops to thank God", "Gold medal selfie: Katie Ledecky visits Stone Ridge and Little Flower before heading to Stanford"" by Stories by Kelly Seegers and photos by Jaclyn Lippelmann

Second Place

St. Louis Review, "Olympic moment; God's light shines brightly; Long process pays off for Olympic volleyball player" by Staff

Third Place

The Tablet, "Brooklyn Swimmer Has Silver Souvenir From Rio; Local Boxer Reaches Olympics; Gold Medal Ties Trace Back to McAuley H.S." by Jim Mancari

N53a: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

The Compass, "Summer outings in Diocese of Green Bay" by Rachel Koepke and Rachel Cunningham

N53b: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

The Leaven, "All F.I.R.E.d up" by Todd Habiger and Joe Bollig

N53c: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,000 or less

First Place

Hawaii Catholic Herald, "Friday food" by Staff

N53d: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: Non-Weekly Diocesan Newspaper, Circulation 25,001 or more

First Place

Catholic News Herald, "Catholic Charities Week May 1-7: Strengthening families, building communities, reducing poverty" by Tim Faragher Kathleen Durkin

Second Place

The Catholic Miscellany, "Bishop's Annual Appeal" by Caroline Lindsey

Third Place

The Catholic Miscellany, "Corporal Works of Mercy: Take advantage of daily opportunities to help" by Caroline Lindsey

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Miscellany, "SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY" by Caroline Lindsey

N53e: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN: National Newspaper or Wire Service

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Judah's redemption path" by Toni-Ann Ortiz

Second Place

The Catholic Register, "Padre's War Diary" by Lucy Barco

Third Place

OSV Newsweekly, "The unofficial newcomer's guide to the Church" by Lindsey Riesen

N54a: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Life and Dignity of the Human Person

First Place

The Georgia Bulletin, "Detainee families find comfort and support at El Refugio" by Andrew Nelson

Second Place

The Catholic Register, "Human trafficking's root causes" by Michael Swan

Third Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Death penalty on decline" by Elizabeth A. Elliott

Honorable Mention

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Inside the Heart of God" by Dave Hrbacek

N54b: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Call to Family, Community and Participation

First Place

The Catholic Messenger, "Heroin addiction: Treatment requires individualized approach" by Barb Arland-Fye

Second Place

The Monitor, "Immigrant family finds stable future thanks to Catholic Charities" by Patrick Brown

Third Place

Catholic Health World, "Respite Center Anchors Dignity's "Communities of Care" Approach" by Julie Minda

N54c: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Rights and Responsibilities

First Place

Catholic News Service, "Detox, rehab, food: Parish works to fight Philippine drug problem" by Paul Jeffrey

Second Place

The Catholic Register, "The right and wrong of human rights" by Michael Swan

Third Place

Catholic Anchor, "Alaskan parents see faith benefits in home-school" by Patricia Coll Freeman

N54d: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

First Place

The Catholic Spirit, St. Paul, MN, "Doughnuts for Jesus" by Bridget Ryder

Second Place

Catholic Sentinel, "Old-time gospel mission tries new-time model" by Ed Langlois

Third Place

Catholic News Service, "Growth in extreme poverty seen to parallel history of 1996 welfare reform law" by Dennis Sadowski

Honorable Mention

Catholic Sentinel, "Good for everybody" by Katie Scott

N54e: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Dignity and Rights of the Workers

First Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Bangladesh counts the human cost of the garment industry" by Chris Herlinger

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Adjunct unions" by Menachem Wecker

Third Place

National Catholic Reporter, "Campaign tells Macy's, Kohl's: Put fair trade on the racks" by Brian Roewe

N54f: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Solidarity

First Place

The Catholic Register, "Is Syrian peace attainable?" by Michael Swan

Second Place

The Visitor, "Paynesville man who walked to Guatemala still making a difference there 44 years later" by Kristi Anderson

Third Place

Rhode Island Catholic, "Faith Leaders Show Solidarity After Synagogue is Defaced" by Rick A. Snizek

N54g: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Care for God's Creation

First Place

The Catholic Register, "After Paris: the hard lifting remains" by Michael Swan

Second Place

National Catholic Reporter, "An encyclical 'boost'" by Brian Roewe

Third Place

Catholic News Service, "After Peruvian oil spill, nuns wonder where students will bathe, play" by Barbara J. Fraser

N55: BEST STORY AND PHOTO PACKAGE

First Place

St. Louis Review, "Mercy in the Holy Land" by Elizabeth Westhoff Lisa Johnston

Second Place

Catholic Health World, "Providence Respite Program Gives Homeless Patients a Place to Heal" by Kim Van Oosten Photos - Chris Ryan

Third Place

St. Louis Review, "Mission to Bolivia: Land of peace" by Joseph Kenny Lisa Johnston

Honorable Mention

The Texas Catholic, "Community mourns slain Dallas police officers" by David Sedeno, Michael Gresham, Cathy Harasta, Seth Gonzales, Jenna Teter

The Georgia Bulletin, "New Georgia priests hail from around the world" by Nichole Golden, Michael Alexander

Spanish Language Division

S01a: BEST NEWS WRITING: Local/Regional Event

First Place

Nuestra Voz, "El Obispo ora con víctimas de abuso sexual" by Maria-Pia Negro Chin

Second Place

El Pregonero, "De la idea a la acción" by Andrea Acosta

Third Place

Nuestra Voz, "Rededicación de Nuestra Señora de los Dolores" by Marie Elena Giossi

S01b: BEST NEWS WRITING: National/International Event

First Place

La Voz Catolica, "Despues de Fidel: 'Tenemos que seguir esperando'" by Ana Rodriguez-Soto

S02: BEST FEATURE STORY

First Place

Nuestra Voz, "El doble desafío de las madres solteras" by Marietha Góngora

Second Place

Revista Maryknoll, "DERECHO A SOÑAR" by Gabriela Romeri

Third Place

Revista Maryknoll, "El Capellán militar Santo" by David R. Aquije

Honorable Mention

Cross Roads, "Visita Pastoral a la Diocesis de Lexington por la USCCB" by M. Yvette Millan Torres, LL.M.

Revista Maryknoll, "Apoyar al talento" by María-Pía Negro-Chin

Vida Nueva, "Corazones palpitantes de vida" by J.D. Long-Garcia

S03: BEST EDITORIAL PAGE

First Place

Nuestra Voz, "Colombia y Venezuela: esperanza y temor / A fines de noviembre, ¿daremos gracias? / La Navidad del emigrado" by Jorge I. Domínguez-López

El Católico de Rhode Island, "Un mensaje de Navidad, El Papa de la Misericordia y El Papa y el Patriarca se esfuerzan por la Unidad" by Silvio Cuéllar, Rick Snizek y Luis Peralta

Honorable Mention

El Pregonero, "Best Editorial Pages" by Cardenal Donald Wuerl, Papa Francisco, Rafael Roncal

S04a: BEST COLUMN: General Commentary

First Place

El Centinela, "Solidaridad con el Portland Mercado" by Rocío Rios

Second Place

Catholic News Service, "Buscando Vida" by Moises Sandoval

SO4b: BEST COLUMN: Spiritual Life

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "El Papa de los migrantes, Cantarle a Dios, Un ardor en el corazón" by Deirdre Cornell

Second Place

Nuestra Voz, "Misericordia y compasión / El Santo Rosario, más allá de la memoria / Mirar el pesebre sana

Third Place

El Centinela, "Tres y Tres para la Cuaresma" by Arzobispo Alexander K. Sample Arquidiócesis de Portland, Oregon

Honorable Mention

La Voz Catolica, "Columnas de Rogelio Zelada" by Rogelio Zelada

Idaho Catholic Register, "Nuestros lectores preguntan" by Padre Jesús Camacho

S04c: BEST COLUMN: Scripture

First Place

Nuestra Voz, "¿No entiende lo que dice la Biblia? / Doble sentido en el Evangelio según San Juan / Libros perdidos en la Biblia" by Rafael Domingo, EdD

Second Place

Idaho Catholic Register, "El Evangelio" by Padre Enrique Terriquez

S04d: BEST COLUMN: Family Life

First Place

Idaho Catholic Register, "La Comunidad" by Padre José Ramirez

Honorable Mention

El Católico de Rhode Island, "Rincón de la Familia: Resoluciones del Año Santo para alimentar la Fe en nuestras familias, La diversión verdadera; Educando a nuestros hijos sin la Televisión Estableciendo buenos H‡bitos en Adviento" by Silvio Cuéllar

Nuestra Voz, "¿Existe el divorcio católico? / ¿Tiene valor el matrimonio civil en la Iglesia Católica? / ¿La mayoría de los matrimonios sacramentales son inválidos?" by Monseñor Jonas Achacoso, JCD

S04e: BEST COLUMN: Culture, the Arts, and Leisure

First Place

Nuestra Voz, "Ser amigo de un santo / Entrevista al padre Carlos María Galli: ¿Quién es Francisco? / El padre James Martin: un novelista jesuita" by Jorge I. Domínguez-López

Second Place

El Pregonero, "Ajedrez Social" by Fernando Moreno

S05: BEST PERSONALITY PROFILE

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "ESPIRITUALIDAD DE HERMANOS" by Gabriela Romeri

Honorable Mention

Vida Nueva, "Comunidad emocionada dio último adiós a Helen, viuda de César Chavez" by Luis Uribe

S06: BEST IN-DEPTH ANALYSIS

First Place

El Pregonero, "Entre la esperanza y la violencia" by Miguel Vivanco

Second Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Feligreses se reunen, hablan del racismo" by Annette Jiménez

Third Place

Cross Roads, "Abril...Feliz Dia del Nino y de la Nina!" by M. Yvette Millan Torres, LL.M.

S08: BEST ONLINE PRESENTATION OF MULTIMEDIA VISUALS

First Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Baseball players from Dominican Republic play in Rochester" by Jeff Witherow

Second Place

Catholic News Herald, "Anglo Bilingual priest reaching out to Latinos" by Rico De Silva

Third Place

Revista Maryknoll, "ENCADENADO EN CAMBOYA" by Sean Sprague David R. Aquije

S09: BEST PUBLICATION WEBSITE

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "Revista Maryknoll" by Revista Maryknoll Staff

Second Place

El Pregonero, "Best Publication Website" by El Pregonero Staff

Third Place

El Centinela, "Catedral de Sal-Colombia" by Rocio Rios, Directora

S10: BEST REPORTING ON CULTURAL HERITAGE

First Place

Revista Catolica Dallas, "Abrazando a Maria en fe, familia y comunidad" by Violeta Rocha

Second Place

Revista Maryknoll, "CATOLICISMO Q'ANJOB'AL EN LOS ÁNGELES" by Leonel Yoque

Third Place

Vida Nueva, "Encuentro del mundo en la Arquidiócesis de Los Angeles" by Maria Luisa Torres

S11: BEST REPORTING ON IMMIGRATION

First Place

El Pregonero, "Restaurando la dignidad humana" by Rafael Roncal

Second Place

Vida Nueva, "Siguiendo cruzando la frontera niños solos que escapan de la violencia en Centroamérica" by Alicia Morandi

Third Place

La Voz Catolica, "Catholic Legal Services ayuda a niños y adultos a navegar por entre las complicadas leyes de inmigración" by Tom Tracy

S13: BEST REPORTING ON A LOCAL ISSUE

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "Niños Hispanos renuevan escuelas católicas" by Giovana Soria

Second Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Estudiantes desean ser modelos" by Annette Jiménez

Third Place

Nuestra Voz, "Nuestros Niños, cuatro décadas cuidando a los más pequeños" by Darío López Capera

S14: BEST TREATMENT OF VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE OR DIACONATE

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "UN CORAZÓN COMPASIVO EN TANZANIA" by María-Pía Negro Chin

Revista Maryknoll, "HOMBRE DE FE EN MABATINI" by Giovana Soria

Third Place

El Pueblo Católico, "Un sacerdote es lo que es por Jesucristo" by Carmen Elena Villa

S17: BEST REPORTING ON FAMILY

First Place

Vida Nueva, "Más de un siglo ... una vida" by Paulina Herrera

Second Place

El Pueblo Católico, "Consejos del Papa a las mamás" by Carmen Elena Villa

S18a: Writer of the Year, Spanish Language Division

First Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Annette Jiménez" by Annette Jiménez

Second Place

Nuestra Voz, "Marietha Góngora" by Marietha Góngora

Third Place

Nuestra Voz, "Darío López-Capera" by Darío López-Capera

S18b: Editor of the Year, Spanish Language Division

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "David R. Aquije" by David R. Aquije

Second Place

El Centinela, "Rocio Rios" by Rocio Rios

Third Place

Nuestra Voz, "Jorge I. Domínguez-López" by Jorge I. Domínguez-López

Honorable Mention

El Católico de Rhode Island, "Silvio Cuéllar" by Silvio Cuéllar

S19: PUBLICATION OF THE YEAR

First Place

El Pregonero, by El Pregonero Staff

Second Place

Revista Maryknoll, by Revista Maryknoll Staff

Third Place

El Mensajero Catolico, by Staff

Honorable Mention

Vida Nueva, by Vida Nueva staff

Nuestra Voz, by Jorge I. Domínguez-López, Editor

S22: BEST EDITORIAL

First Place

El Pregonero, "No necesitamos héroes, solo ser quienes somos" by Rafael Roncal

Second Place

El Pregonero, "Migración e integración" by Rafael Roncal

Third Place

Nuestra Voz, "Eleciones: optar por el mal menor" by Mario J. Paredes

Honorable Mention

El Pregonero, "El rostro de la solidaridad" by Rafael Roncal

S23: BEST COVERAGE OF THE YEAR OF MERCY

First Place

El Católico de Rhode Island, "Una Puerta Santa para la misericordia y el amor de Dios" by Lauren Clem, Bishop Thomas J. Tobin

Second Place

El Heraldo Católico, "Las "24 Horas para el Señor" finalizan con una parábola de perdón; Respondiendo al pedido del Papa; Oran por la paz cientos de personas en la catedral" by Staff

Third Place

El Pueblo Católico, "Lo que Dios ha unido, ningún hombre lo separe" by Carmen Elena Villa / Mavi Barraza

S27: BEST PARISH PROFILE

First Place

El Heraldo Católico, "Latinos de San Miguel en Livermore crecen junto a su pastor" by Raul Ayrala

Second Place

El Heraldo Católico, "San Patricio: "La palabra de Dios en vivo" by Raul Ayrala

Third Place

El Heraldo Católico, "Insistencia y perseverancia dan fruto" by Raul Ayrala

Honorable Mention

Nuestra Voz, "Nuestra Señora de los Ángeles celebra crecimiento de su comunidad hispana" by Marietha Góngora

Revista Maryknoll, "Sembrando el amor de Jesús en los jóvenes" by Giovana Soria

S29a: BEST PHOTO STORY: Best photo story

First Place

Vida Nueva, "El último adiós a César Chavez" by Victor Alemán

S30a: BEST MULTIPLE PICTURE PACKAGE: Multiple picture package

First Place

Revista Catolica Dallas, "Nuestra Herencia, la sal de nuestra fe" by Revista Catolica Dallas staff

Second Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Corredores honran a los soldados caí-dos" by Jeff Witherow

Third Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Misa celebra a San Juan Bautista" by Jeff Witherow

S31a: BEST USE OF ART OR GRAPHICS: Best Use of Art or Graphics

First Place

Vida Nueva, "Verano a pura salud" by Sharon Torda

Honorable Mention

Northwest Catholic, "Escuchar con el Corazon" by Ellen Bollard

S32a: BEST PHOTOGRAPH: Best photograph

First Place

Vida Nueva, "Renacemos a una nueva vida" by Victor Alemán

Second Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Raising of the Eucharist" by Jeff Witherow

Third Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Colombian dancer" by Jeff Witherow

S33: BEST FRONT PAGE

First Place

Vida Nueva, "Portadas de Vida Nueva" by Vida Nueva staff

Second Place

El Pregonero, "Best Front Page" by El Pregonero Staff

Third Place

El Heraldo Católico, "San Patricio: "La palabra de Dios en vivo"; Los latinos de San Bernardo: frutos de un buen árbol; "Donde haya uno o dos, allí estará Jesucristo", et al." by Staff

S35: BEST INTERVIEW

First Place

Nuestra Voz, "El gobierno está cavando su propia tumba" (Entrevista con el Cardenal Jorge Urosa, arzobispo de Caracas)" by Jorge I. Domínguez-López

Second Place

Revista Maryknoll, "UN CORAZÓN COMPASIVO EN TANZANIA" by María-Pía Negro Chin

Third Place

Revista Maryknoll, "Apoyar al talento" by María-Pía Negro-Chin

Honorable Mention

Revista Maryknoll, "UN HERMANO SOCIABLE Y ALEGRE CON TODOS" by David R. Aquije

S36: BEST COVERAGE OF THE PAPAL VISIT TO MEXICO

First Place

Vida Nueva, "Un misionero de paz y misericordia" by J.D. Long-Garcia, Archbishop José H. Gomez, Cardinal Roger Mahony

Second Place

El Pueblo Católico, "Cruzarán la frontera para ver al Papa" by Carmen Elena Villa

S42: BEST COVERAGE OF WORLD YOUTH DAY

First Place

Nuestra Voz, "Jóvenes hispanos se preparan para orar con el Papa en Polonia / Jóvenes de Brooklyn en la Jornada Mundial de la Juventud / venes de Brooklyn visitan el campo de concentración de Auschwitz" by Maria-Pia Negro Chin

Second Place

El Pueblo Católico, "Cien mil millas en busca del plan de Dios" by Monseñor Samuel Aquila, arzobispo de Denver /Lara Montoya / Carmen Elena Villa

S44: BEST LAYOUT OF ARTICLE OR COLUMN

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "HOMBRE DE FE EN MABATINI" by Giovana Soria Valentín Concha-Núñez

Second Place

El Heraldo Católico, "Los latinos de San Bernardo: frutos de un buen árbol" by Raul Ayrala

S45a: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Life and Dignity of the Human Person

First Place

Revista Maryknoll, "LAS LÁGRIMAS DE LOS REFUGIADOS" by Rosemarie Milazzo, M.M.

Second Place

El Pregonero, "Todos son incluidos" by Andrea Acosta

Third Place

La Voz Catolica, "Perdonar es el único poder que tienes para poder cambiar lo que ha sucedido" by Rocío Granados

Honorable Mention

Revista Maryknoll, "Transformar el dolor en Paz" by Joanne Blaney, MKLM

S45c: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Rights and Responsibilities

First Place

Vida Nueva, "Dentro de la prostitución" by R.W. Dellinger

S45d: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

First Place

La Voz Catolica, "Así viven los cristianos perseguidos" by Rocío Granados

Second Place

El Heraldo Católico, "Atención médica gratuita para indocumentados" by Staff

S45f: BEST REPORTING OF SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES: Solidarity

First Place

El Mensajero Católico, "Injusticia es foco de producción del teatro" by Annette Jiménez

S46: BEST STORY AND PHOTO PACKAGE

First Place

Revista Catolica Dallas, "Aprendiendo a hablar con Dios, desde el silencio" by Anahi Perez Faz, writer; Ben Torres, photos

Second Place

Revista Maryknoll, "HOMBRE DE FE EN MABATINI" by Giovana Soria

Third Place

Vida Nueva, "Pascua' significa paso a una vida nueva" by Dr. José Antonio Medina and Victor Alemán

Honorable Mention

El Heraldo Católico, "Los latinos de San Bernardo: frutos de un buen árbol" by Raul Ayrala

S47: BEST REPORTING ON THE V ENCUENTRO

First Place

El Pregonero, "V Encuentro Nacional de Pastoral Hispana" by Javier W. Bustamante

Second Place

El Heraldo Católico, "Llegar a los latinos más jóvenes: desafío para el Quinto Encuentro" by Raul Ayrala

Third Place

El Católico de Rhode Island, "V Encuentro Nacional del Ministerio Hispano en Marcha en Providence, Hacia el V Encuentro Discípulos Misioneros Testigos del Amor de Dios, El desafío más grande del V Encuentro llegar a nuestros jóvenes, Líderes Parroquiales se preparan" by Ana María Delgado, Silvio Cuéllar y el Rev. Nolasco Tamayo

S48: BEST SPORTS REPORTING

First Place

Revista Catolica Dallas, "En esta liga solo juegan verdaderos hermanos" by Constanza Morales

Second Place

El Pregonero, "Evangelizando con el deporte" by Miguel Vivanco

Third Place

El Pueblo Católico, "Altetas olímpicos que manifestaron su fe cristiana" by Clemente Carballo

S49: BEST REPORTING ON LATIN AMERICA

First Place

Vida Nueva, "¿Quedarse y aguantar la violencia o largarse al Norte?" by Roger Lindo

Second Place

La Voz Catolica, "El calvario de Venezuela" by Brenda E. Torres

Third Place

Nuestra Voz, "Cuando la tierra tembló en mi patria Cruz-Teresa Rosero / La tragedia de Ecuador / Ecuador: el doloroso peregrinaje / Monseñor Octavio Cisneros visita Ecuador / Ecuador: la iglesia bajo una carpa" by Cruz-Teresa Rosero, Darío López Capera, Jorge I. Domínguez-López