Mission Pack 6: Participation

Secondary

OCKTOBE CHALLENGE

2023

"Start by doing what's necessary, then do what's possible, and

suddenly you're doing the

- St Francis of Assisi

impossible."



 Visit the Catholic Mission Website and read 'Stories from the Field.' How does the work of Catholic Mission enable people to participate fully in life?

Investigate countries in the world where most of the population lives below the poverty line. Where does Timor-Leste figure in this data?

 Watch the TEDxYouth talk, 'Why Youth Participation is Keyⁱ, by Jakhini Bisselink. Do you feel that youth voice in your community is 'meaningful'? How could you better make this happen?

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING

- ✓ Common Good ✓ Human Dignity
- ✓ Subsidiarity

Scripture Link:

1 Corinthians 12:12 "For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ."

Inquiry Question:

How can you include the most marginalised and forgotten people around you?



Mission Today (2023) Autumn/Winter, p. 13). How do the Salesian Sisters offer participation to the young girls in the community?

Find via the QR code.

...and be inspired!



WATCH...

address at Mission: one heart many voices 2023. Find it via the QR code!

...and be moved!



LISTEN TO...

Catholic Mission's video 'Journey to Timor-Leste'. How does the work of missionaries allow others to participate fully in life?

...and reflect!

Access additional links, activities, and resources for secondary students by scanning the QR code!



HEART

- Unpack the Scripture verse. What is it saying?
- Do you offer others the opportunity to participate in activities? Remember: inviting them in may not necessarily mean they are included.
- Reflect on a time when you've lived St Francis of Assisi's words by "doing the impossible".



- Is sport more inclusive in 2023? Find evidence to support your thinking.
- Plan for ways that your peers can participate in all areas of school life. E.g. contributing to the newsletter.
- Plan your Socktober Event Day and ensure that everyone participates in the planning and the day.



