

Our Lenten Journey – Week Two

Finding Common Ground

*And s/he asked Jesus:
And who is my
neighbor? (Lk. 10:29)*



Angela: Be kind and compassionate toward one another. 2nd Counsel

Francis – World Day of Peace 2017:

May we dedicate ourselves prayerfully and actively to banishing violence from our hearts, words and deeds, and to becoming nonviolent people and to build nonviolent communities that care for our common home.

When was the last time you engaged in a conversation with someone with a different point of view?

What are steps you can take to begin to understand the ideas and values underlying the views of a person who holds a point of view opposite your own?

What are some of my “silo” topics – areas that I am certain there is no “rational” or “compassionate” area of understanding between myself and another?

Two websites that encourage seeking common ground are:

www.catholiccommonground.org and www.sfcg.org.