The Mother Xavier Peace, Justice and Ecological Integrity Award

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-A $300 donation will be made to an organization of the recipient’s choice in her/his name. Some other suitable token will also be given to the recipient.

-The award will be presented at the Fall Congregation Day or other suitable occasion.

-The Peace, Justice and Ecological Committee will choose the recipient from nominees that will be solicited from Sisters and Seton Associates.

Timeline:

►April 2021
Awards announced in FACTS/on scnj.org/to Seton Associates with nomination form.
Announcement will be made several times during nomination period.
►July 12, 2021
Deadline for receiving nominations
►July 2021
PJEI Committee decides on recipient at its July meeting. Recipient is informed and announcement is made in FACTS/on scnj.org/to Seton Associates
►Award presented at Congregation Day on September 25, 2021
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Nomination Form

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-Members of the Congregation Peace, Justice, and Ecological Integrity Committee are not eligible to be nominated. Cf. Congregation Directory, p. 57 for their names.

-A $300 donation will be made to an organization of the recipient’s choice in her/his name. A plaque will also be presented to the recipient.

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-The award will be presented at the Fall Congregation Day.

Name of Nominee__________________________________________________________
Address of Nominee______________________________________________________
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Telephone of Nominee____________________________________________________
Email of Nominee__________________________________________________________

Please explain why you believe this person should receive the Mother Xavier Peace, Justice and Ecological Integrity Award. How does s/he demonstrate “a notable commitment to the values of peace, justice and ecological integrity and the Vincentian focus on systemic change of unjust structures”? Please give special attention to this part of the nomination form. Very often, members of the PJEI Committee do not know the nominees personally and can only judge based on the content of the nomination form. Please give specific examples of how the nominee qualifies for this award.
Contact Information of Person Making the Nomination:

Name:______________________________________________________________

Address:___________________________________________________________
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Telephone:________________________________________________________

Email___________________________________________________________

Please return the completed nomination form by **July 12, 2021** to

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