Our Sacred Heart Story with the Potawatomi People in Kansas, 1841-79

Resources from Session Two: Wednesday, February 16, 2022

Julia Arce, Broadway teacher, slides and script
Slides: Cor Unum response
Script: Between mascots and M-80’s: Finding a Sustainable Fire

From Kristi Laughlin, Associate: [A Modified] Litany for Those not Ready for Healing
The Original by Dr. Yolanda Pierce is found here: Xavier University Prayer resources
Dr. Yolanda Pierce offered a powerful prayer in the wake of the killing of George Floyd. Her sentiments spoke to me. I offer a modified version of her prayer in honor of the conversations we have had as part of “Our Sacred Heart Story with the Potawatomi”.
Kristi response Session 2 March 16 2022.docx

Mary Kay Hunyady, rscj, Prayer
Mary Kay Hunyady, rscj, Response

Jenny Morfin, Partner in Mission
**Timeline**

1848 - RSCJ move school to St Mary’s Mission, KS
1843-1870s Oregon Trail in front of SH Potawatomi school, thru Potawatomi reservation
1849 Society opens school in Halifax, Canada
1850 and 60s US pressure Potawatomi to take allotments and citizenship in KS
1853 *Fort Riley* built 50 miles west of the mission
1854 *Kansas Nebraska Act*
1857 *Dred Scott v. Sandford decision*
1854-1859 *Bleeding Kansas*, mostly south of reservation
1859 *John Brown’s Harper Ferry Raid*, WV
1861 Society opens school in Montreal, Canada
1861 Treaty of 1861 - allotments and US citizenship
1861-1865 Civil War

**West of the Mississippi** - Gallery 8 in the Citizen Potawatomi Nation Cultural Heritage Center- Sugar Creek and St Mary’s Mission, KS - 22 minute video
https://www.potawatomiheritage.com/history/
https://www.potawatomiheritage.com/360-virtual-tour/
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5rvJC2Oli-0cmZ6eCi4mOQ/videos

The **Goals and Criteria** outlines the essential principles and values of Sacred Heart education. From the very beginning, it has served as a covenant among Sacred Heart educators and the Society of the Sacred Heart on behalf of young people for the sake of building a world reflective of the attitudes of Christ's Heart. It remains the pivotal document for students, families and educators of the Sacred Heart. This articulation of mission continues to play a fundamental role in supporting mission integrity by expressing the timeless principles at the heart of Sacred Heart education. Schools of the Sacred Heart educate to:

- a personal and active faith in God
- a deep respect for intellectual values
- a social awareness which impels to action
- the building of community as a Christian value
- personal growth in an atmosphere of wise freedom.