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Morning Briefing

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Catholic Church Whistle-Blowers Join Forces on Abuse, a newly formed cadre of priests and nuns who say the Roman Catholic Church is still protecting sexual predators.

The new group's website: **Catholic Whistleblowers**

Catholic Whistleblowers' letter to Pope Francis: **April 29, 2013 Feast of St. Catherine of Siena** "Pope Francis, like the beggar whom the Lord passed by on the street (Lk18:35) but who nonetheless called out for healing, we call out to you."

Jesuit officials in Chicago will pay \$19.6 million to settle a civil lawsuit brought by six men who claim they were molested by former priest Donald McGuire, onetime spiritual adviser to Mother Teresa.

The Archbishop Myers/Fr. Fugee case: **Newark Priest Arrested After Allegedly Interacting with Minors** arrested and charged Monday with multiple counts of contempt of a court order,

Commentary: **The church has lost control of marriage** by Fr. Peter Daly

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Guatemala ex-dictator's genocide conviction overturned

COLUMBUS, Ohio ? No one at the Catholic high school that fired Carla Hale in March claimed that she was anything less than a terrific physical education teacher and coach, devoted to the kids and adored by many of them. **One School's Catholic Teaching**

Catholic Church sees ?hopeful future? in the Boy Scouts, even if openly gay scouts allowed



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