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There is a [new wave of social pastoral work in the Archdiocese of Antequera, Oaxaca](#), where food sovereignty and community ecological empowerment is taking place through a new Social Pastoral School. About 34 parishes have organized new social pastoral groups or reactivated or reorganized old ones, and 100 people have been through the school's first course.

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Speaking to the Association of Leaders of Missionaries and Religious of Ireland (AMRI) Cardinal Turkson talked about [climate change, growing inequality, the threat of war, and the sex-abuse scandals of the church](#) as signs of the times.

ICYMI, a busy weekend in Rome: There are [13 new cardinals](#), and the [Amazon synod has begun](#).

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