

CARP USA March 2020 Newsletter: Staying Healthy and Making an Impact

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Light unto the World

These days, it's hard to stay optimistic. I've added to my schedule checking Twitter for coronavirus updates every morning, and it can be a lot to handle. But, in spite of the daily changes and closing of venues, events, and even countries (we see you China, Italy!), I saw something else.

In the absence of certainty of life in our regular activities, like going to work, school, attending a major event, or going on a vacation, people around the country are seeking church and spiritual guidance. On Twitter, I've seen numerous people returning to church confession (even virtually!). In the political and business sphere, there's a dawning realization about how politics and businesses have not been fully serving their constituents. There's a vulnerable moment in our country with people asking for change and hope and, more importantly, banding together to make that happen.

Just this week, most universities and colleges have closed in-person classes and switched to online. They've also halted many extracurricular and other campus activities and gatherings. In light of that situation, CARP chapters are advised to be safe and healthy and keep hygienic standards but also to find ways to continue impacting and reaching out to students and campuses. [CARP Las Vegas has already made the switch to virtual activities.](#)

More than ever, CARP's principles and community are becoming more essential to our campus communities. Even without in-person activities, CARP will find a way to support and keep promoting #conversationsthatmatter.



So far, we've been able to celebrate some great victories in CARP already: **Cal State East Bay** (pictured left) and **CARP Westminster got registered this month!** And, CARP Arizona State University (top) had their first meeting this past week talking about [Worldviews](#) from the CARP Principled Curriculum.

As we traverse these uneasy times, we're grateful for our CARP leaders who invest time to continue to make CARP possible and bring hope to their communities with their spirit and love.

Stay tuned for all of the exciting things CARP will do. In the meantime, check out some news below.

CARP Las Vegas February retreat talks purpose

From February 21 to 23, CARP Las Vegas hosted their first weekend workshop of the semester to answer the question, is there something more we are meant to experience in our lives? A total of 19 students attended.

[Read more here!](#)



Older News

Midwest CARP teaches Global Citizenship at latest retreat

The Midwest CARP Chapters, Chicago, Grand Rapids, and Indianapolis, brought together 25 participants for a weekend retreat in Camp KOHOE in Benton Harbor, Michigan. They invited guest speaker, Gerry Servito, to share about living a fulfilling life based on the [HyoJeong Promise](#).

[Read more here!](#)



CARP Dallas finds their 'Why'

The CARP Team in Dallas, TX held their Annual "Discover Purpose" Principle Workshop from January 9 to 11! The theme of the workshop was "The Why" to highlight why we do things in our life, why do unexpected events happen, and to show that God has many plans for us in our physical life.

[Read the full report here!](#)



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Announcements

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT  **GRAPHIC DESIGN**



DEADLINE: MARCH 20, 2020
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Internships Available!

The National Collegiate Association for the Research of Principles (NCARP) is opening up new intern positions for students for Spring 2020!

We have two different internships available this semester: Curriculum Development and Graphic Design. Work with NCARP on projects and develop your personal skills!

Applications due March 20, 2020!

[Learn more here.](#)