## Nothing to fear but the Ferris wheel

As I stood on the ground and watched them go up, I was suddenly scared. God has entrusted my husband and me with raising these two amazing children, and I just put them on a ride that would take them far up into the sky.

## It's a culture war, stupid

To reduce a human being to an object whose value is measured by "utility" is to destroy one of the building blocks of the democratic order – the moral truth that the American Declaration of Independence calls the "inalienable" right to "life."

## Catholic groups are mobilizing to help in Hurricane Harvey's aftermath

San Antonio Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller said in a statement that the archdiocese pledged its support to recovery efforts that will start after the rain and wind subside.