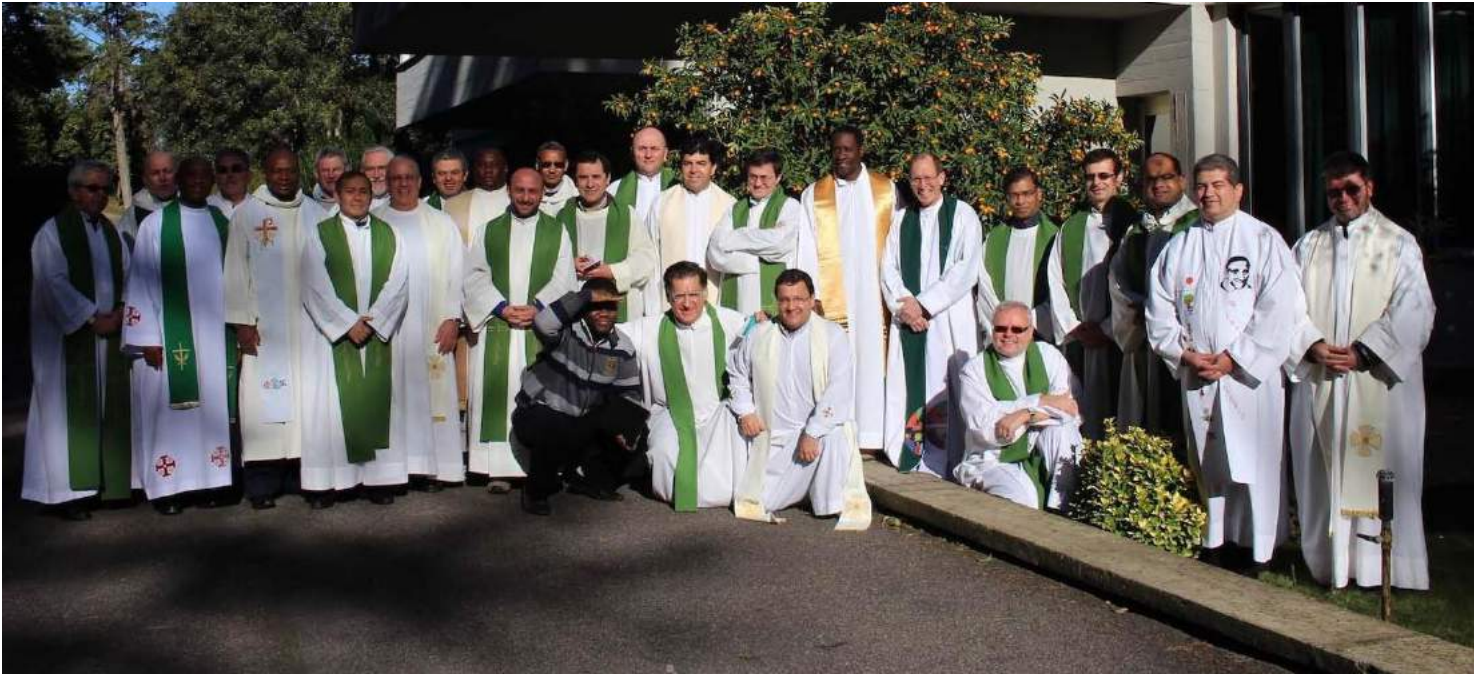




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*"To all whom I send you, you shall go" (Jer 1:7)*



## Meeting of the New Visitors of the Congregation of the Mission

January 11th at Maria Immaculada (the house of the Daughters of Charity in Rome), the meeting of the new Visitors began (this meeting will continue until January 20th). This gathering has been organized by Father General and his Council and coordinated by Father Stanislav Zontak (Assistant General) and Giuseppe Turati (Secretary General).

The participants in this gathering include the Visitors from Argentina, Rio de Janeiro (Brazil), Cameroon, Central America, the Congo, Cuba, Ecuador, Ethiopia, France, Italy, Mexico,

Mozambique, Nigeria, Puerto Rico, Slovakia, Salamanca (Spain).

The meeting began with the celebration of the Eucharist that was presided by Father Gregory Gay, Superior General. In his homily Father invited the Visitors to be attentive listeners since it is this quality that will enable them to draw closer to the reality of the confreres. He stated: *It is important that you listen to the confreres, listen with your ears and your heart. It is equally important that you view situations from the perspective of the poor.* In this regard, Father General invited the

Visitors to continually ask themselves: *Lord, if you were in my place, what would you say or what would you do on this occasion?*

He reminded the Visitors that to view situations from the perspective of the poor would enable them to be more merciful and more understanding of the confreres. He emphasized the fact that the Visitor has to be a leader and a member, a father and brother, a teacher of the faith and a fellow disciple of Christ, one who promotes the

*perfection of the confreres and a true witness of holiness* (a clear reference to the Practical Guide for Visitors).

This morning's work began with a presentation from each of the Visitors, a time which enabled the Visitors to speak about the reality of their respective provinces: the number of confreres, the median age, the number of candidates in formation, the number of houses, etc. This brief presentation proclaimed good news, namely, the establishment of the reconfigured Provinces in Italy and France (January 25th) and the establishment of the Vice-Province of Cameroon on February 7.

These presentations were followed by a time for reflection. One of the Assistant Generals offered some thoughts on: *Consecrated Life today, Challenges and Perspectives*. During that presentation Father Chaves stated that the present situation of Consecrated Life helps us all contextualize and enlighten our ministry of animation and government as Visitors. Then, Father Javier Álvarez, Vicar-General, offered some reflections on the theme: *The Present and the Proximate future of the Congregation of the Mission*. He provided the participants with [1] an overview of the situation of the Congregation, [2] the manner in which reconfiguration is changing the face of the Congregation and [3] the manner in which the structures and the lifestyle of the Congregation is changing. Father concluded by presenting four questions that in turn become challenges for the present day life of the Congregation.

# Meeting of the new visitors: a participants view

During this type of event, everything begins in a glorious manner. On Sunday, the 10th of January, the feast of the Baptism of Our Lord, we all arrived and embraced as we greeted one another. When encountering someone unknown there was an exchange of words, probing the ground, if you will, but aware of the fact that we are all brothers. When greeting those individuals who were known, we experienced a joy of renewing that acquaintance. In such an environment we gathered in the dining room where an excellent meal had been prepared, one that gave us the strength to pass the night as we prepared for the various activities that awaited us on the first day of our coming together.

The first day began with the celebration of the Eucharist that was presided by our Superior General, Gregory Gay, who not only greeted us but also motivated us to live in an intense manner these days of formation and reflection on the ministry entrusted to us as "new visitors". This was a

real highlight for us, novices in the art of governing the Provinces that had been entrusted to us.

On that first day, (January 11th) Fathers Eli Chaves and Xavier Alvarez gave presentations. Father Chaves situated us in the midst of the world of Consecrated Life with its present crisis — a crisis in which we participate — and with its challenges which must be confronted by those who have made a decision to follow Christ. Father Alvarez referred to the present reality of our Congregation. So much work to be done! So many realities to transform! Father Alvarez, like a Jules Verne of the Congregation of the Mission gave us an opportunity to visualize the future in accord with the statistics that he presented ... a future that was neither dark or negative. Rather a future that will be built with new commitments and on-going innovative efforts. We want to clothe ourselves in this garment of hope.





On January 12 we received guidance in three different areas: Father Nicola Albanesi spoke to us about the service of authority and obedience. He made clear distinctions between authority and power, service and servitude. In this same regard he spoke about these characteristics as proper to the church and that as Vincentians we take on this same characteristics but in a distinct manner. This same theme was then further developed by Father Alvarez who spoke to us from his vast knowledge of the Congregation of the Mission and the life and spirit of Saint Vincent de Paul. It is true that if we follow more closely the example of Saint Vincent, the Congregation would be more effective in its ministry. We were provided with many motives to strengthen our identity and our membership in the Congregation and we understood that these themes are of great concern to Father Gregory and his Council.

That evening walked to the simple beat of Father Zeracristos. He outlined the figure of the Visitor in such a way that left all of us thinking: Is it possible for us poor people, new visitors, to attain in real life such a profile ... then we realized that there is no worse struggle than the one that is not engaged in.

Thank God the 13th was not Friday because perhaps we would have viewed the convictions that were communicated with some form of superstition. Nevertheless, Fr. Zontak reinforced our convictions about the practice of reconciliation and preaching, issues that when viewed from the perspective of the Visitor's role of animating and accompanying the confreres, such issues take on great significance. At the same time these same issues play an important role in one's personal conversion, and if such conversion is to become a dynamic in the Province, it must be experienced on a firsthand basis.

In the afternoon the Visitors received various reports that will enable us to create a greater Vincentian environment in the



Provinces. Father Dan Borlik encouraged us to send confreres to CIF, an institution that has grown little by little and at the present time offers various possibilities for on-going formation. Father Álvarez also spoke about the work of SIEV.

On a more practical level, we reflected on the themes of interprovincial collaboration and the international missions. Father Gregory spoke about these themes in a very fraternal and dialogical manner. Those two themes are interrelated and involve other issues such as formation, finances, the gifts of the individual confreres ... a whole range of elements proper to our identity and our belonging to the Congregation.

For those who do not know what to do when certain problems arise, Father Alberto Viernaschi with his 77 years of age, informed us about the rights and the obligations of the Visitor. With such a wealth and breadth of knowledge about these matters Father left us with many questions and concerns about the responsibility that we had accepted.

The weather outside became cold and rainy and as we entered our meeting room we were content and hopeful that once again the theme would be interesting. Then Father Joe Geders spoke to us in very clear language about the need to

collaborate with the Econome and he outlined some of the new possibilities that exist for this collaboration to become real.

Father Shijo

Kanjirathamkunnel, young and very knowledgeable, spoke with us about the tasks of the Procurator and the Postulator. All of this information made us understand the importance of maintaining contact with the General Curia, especially when we have to confront issues of this nature. Father Jorge Rodriguez, who is in charge of the Office of Communication spoke in such a clear manner that we were encouraged, not only to review the web pages, but to look for ways in which we could collaborate more closely with his office and through his office share news about the work of the province and the work of the confreres.

We are grateful to all of those who have made the various presentations, to the moderators, Father Zontak and Father Chaves who exerted great effort in providing the new provincials with a fuller understanding of their role and obligation. May God bless everyone and may the work of these days result of much fruit!

Fr Aarón Gutiérrez, CM  
Visitor of Mexico

Two days ago the formation session for the new Visitors concluded. During ten days we shared community in the house of the Daughters of Charity who offered us very comfortable accommodations. Under such conditions the workshop had to be enriching since this time together had been well-prepared by our brothers in the Curia ... in fact the members of the Curia were present during these ten days, listening to us and sharing their insights with us.

We were presented with the texts of the various presentations and here I simply want to present some highlights, some words that have been etched in my mind, and some insights that will nourish my prayer during the coming months.

First of all I want to underline the spirit of fraternity, simplicity, and joy that was shared by all those present, all members of one large family, serving and ministering with the same charism ... it was this spirit that characterized our gathering and that united us with one another. One of the highlights was the time that we spent at the Curia, a time in which we found ourselves sharing in an intimate manner with the confreres at the General Curia. That was a profound experience of community in a relaxed, festive environment which allowed us to deepen our sharing ... we were all made to feel that we were at home!

In addition to the various passionate presentations we had some sessions with confreres filled with the spirit of the gospel. Once again we found ourselves in relationship *with the five fundamental virtues of our spirituality ... virtues highlighted by Saint Vincent, an important figure*

# Visitors return home as different persons



*in the history of the Church.*

Luigi Mezzadro impressed us with his wonderful catechesis on the theme of mercy which took place in the Church of San Silvestro (founded under the watchful eyes of Mary and the Pieta of Michelangelo).

The words of the Bishop of Palma, a Visitor from Naples but now a bishop who shared with us his experience as Visitor and Bishop. He reminded us that “we are not tourists in the Church, but a sign of the gift of the spirit ... a sign of the need for said gift. That gift must be shared and also must be made known to the bishops.



- Cardinal Rodé invited us to maintain our youthfulness and the newness of the gospel ... he exhorted us to keep our eyes open and to be attentive to the inspirations of the Holy Spirit. He also highlighted the importance of a personal encounter with the living person of Christ. He then spoke about the fact that our encounter with the poor reveal the beauty of our charism and also reveal our true identity.
- Two members from the International Secretariat of the VMY spoke about the joy of living their ministry as lay members in the Vincentian Family. They highlighted “the importance of being related with the Vincentian Family in order to live the charism in a passionate manne”r. They also spoke about being proud to be members of this large family and that as the family acts together in a collaborative manner, it gives witness to the fact that indeed we are a family.
- Father General and the members of the General Curia invited us to maintain and strengthen our preferential option for the poor: “The Congregation of the Mission will continue to develop in those places where we are with the poor



and will die in those places where we have maintained our distance from the poor”. Father also spoke about the international dimension of the Congregation and exhorted us to recover our Vincentian identity (we are too far removed from the poor).

I will conclude here with the word of Blessed Oscar Romero which were cited by Father Gregory in his homily at the celebration of the Eucharist that concluded our time together: *We cannot do everything, yet it is liberating to begin. This gives us the strength to do something and to do it well. It may remain incomplete, but it is a*

*beginning, a step along the way. It is an opportunity for the grace of God to enter and to do the rest ... we are prophets of a future that does not belong to us.*

I arrived with some fears and I also was hopeful of discovering some further insights into my role as Visitor. I leave confident and assured and know that the specific, concrete realities will continue to form me ... I also know that I need to be humble in order to live and act as a leader of the Province.

**By:** Fr. Christian Mauvais,  
CM Visitor of France  
Translated: Charles T. Plock, CM

## Vice Province of Mozambique: Challenges y Perspectives

During twenty days Father Eli Chaves visited the Vice-Province of Mozambique with the objective of assisting the confreres to reflect together and to find solutions to the present difficult problems and challenges that the Vice-Province confronts.

There are eighteen

incorporated members in the Vice-Province, living in nine local communities. There is not sufficient personnel to administer the present works of evangelization, the formation of young men entering the Congregation, the formation of the diocesan clergy, as well as the formation, human

promotion and animation of the members of the Vincentian Family. There are few confreres from Mozambique (seven) and there is a lack of stability among the foreign missionaries. This lack of personnel creates many concerns and uncertainties and also highlights the need to review and revise their ministries and not take on any new

commitments. Even though all the works are Vincentian in nature, the confreres are studying certain proposals that would reduce the number of works and thus attain some balance between the available human resources and the work that is required of the personnel. The Missionaries have intensified their outreach to other Provinces, requesting the assistance of other confreres. In order to create greater stability among the foreign

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The mission itself is in a precarious situation as a result of the fact that the people have few financial resources and that in turn, limits their ability to defray the costs involved in administering this mission. There have been insufficient efforts and initiatives in seeking outside sources of income which would provide the Vice-Province with financial autonomy. Mozambique is the ninth poorest country in the world! The members of the Vice-Province are most grateful for the help that they have received and continue to rely on external solidarity and collaboration in order to continue their mission and provide for the many urgent needs (some of the



community houses are in urgent need of repair and the vehicles that are used for transportation are precarious ... to say the least).

The missionary horizon in Mozambique is very positive and the confreres are enthusiastic in ministering and serving the poor. The mission, however, is very challenging and exhausting. The confreres feel the pressure of being involved in so many different activities and experience even more pressure as a result of the precarious conditions under which they minister. There are specific questions that require immediate attention ... and there are other question that require long-term planning. The greatest priority with regard to the present and the future of the Vice-Province is initial and on-going formation. Vocational promotion is very promising and at the present time there is a good group of seminarian: 12.

The greatest priority with regard to the present and the future of the Vice-Province is initial and on-going formation. Vocational promotion is very promising and at the present time there is a good group of seminarian: 12 in initial stage of formation, 13 in philosophy and 7 in theology. Initial formation necessitates the freeing of confreres so that they can be prepared as

formators. In this regard, interprovincial collaboration is being explored so that the seminarians can be sent to other countries to study. With regard to on-going formation, there is a need to free the confreres from Mozambique so that they can participate in specialized courses. There is also a need to better the formation of the foreign missionaries and thus create a healthy spiritual and community environment, an intercultural environment. There is also a need to accompany the Missionaries and care for them as they confront personal, community, and pastoral difficulties.

In Mozambique, the Congregation of the Mission is challenged to minister in an intense manner and to promote interprovincial solidarity and collaboration that will ultimately lead to conversion and missionary renewal. In this regard the words of Pope Francis are quite significant: *Challenges exist to be overcome! Let us be realists, but without losing our joy, our boldness and our hopeful commitment. Let us not allow ourselves to be robbed of missionary vigor! ... May we never abandon the poor!*

By: Eli Chaves, CM  
General Assistant



# Confrere founds International Movement of Catholic Students, Ukraine

Fr. Vitally Novak, C.M. is the founder and force behind [International Movement of Catholic Students, Ukraine](#). The internal organization of IMCS is designed to develop student leaders who will work directly with the Missionaries.

The International Movement of Catholic Students, Ukraine (IMCS), was founded in May 2010 by Fr. Vitally Novak, C.M. in the eastern city of Kharkov. It is a Catholic movement composed of foreign catholic students from Africa and Asia who are studying in the Ukraine. The aim of IMCS is to establish a pastoral outreach to foreign students, bearing in mind the diversity of culture and language. In September 2011, the Congregation of the Mission, vice province of sts Cyril & Methodius Ukraine, established a pastoral team to undertake this ministry. Four confreres were assigned to this apostolate anchored in St Vincent De Paul Church, Kharkov. They include: Jan Martincek CM (National coordinator); Yuri Shpak CM, Thomas Enchackal CM, and Anthony Ekpunobi CM (Spiritual Directors).

The IMCS is divided into three sub-groups: the African-English, African-French, and Asian-English. The pastoral language is English and French. IMCS is found in the following cities of the Ukraine: Kharkov, Vinnitsya, Lviv, Sumy, Zaparozhie, Ternopil, Ivano-Frankivsk, Poltava, and Odessa. The activities of IMCS include: Christmas carols during the month of January, the executive meeting held in Kiev in the month of March, and the annual Pilgrimage to



Kharkov during the month of May. The Christmas carols provide the students with an opportunity to display their talents in singing, dancing and dramatic presentation.

The internal organization of IMCS is designed to develop student leaders who will work directly with the Missionaries. The student leaders are drawn from all the member cities, with the overall student leader residing in Kharkov. Within IMCS there are various societies, for example, the Legion of Mary, the Divine Mercy Society, the Altar Ministers, the choir etc. There is a weekly prayer fellowship in the hostels where participants pray the Rosary and share reflections on the gospel of the day.

IMCS work in collaboration with the priests who minister in the parishes in the cities where the members live. The national coordinator and the spiritual directors are in direct contact with the local parishes and offer solutions to problems as they arise. The spiritual directors visit the cities

once a month for confessions, retreats and spiritual direction. The cooperation of the local parish priest in the different cities is very commendable.

In 2013, the demands of the mission of the congregation of the mission in Ukraine, saw the transfer of one of the spiritual directors, Fr Yuri Shpak, CM to Perechin, west of Ukraine. Presently he is laying the foundations for the establishment of IMCS in the western city of Uzhgorod. The 2015/2016 academic year witnessed a new development in the pastoral work with foreign students. The Missionary from India, Fr. Thomas Enchackal, CM., completed four years in the mission to the Ukraine and he decided to return to his homeland. We wish him the best of luck in his ministry. At the present time, IMCS is administered by the National Coordinators, Fr Jan Martincek, CM and Fr. Anthony Ekpunobi, CM.

By: Mykhaylo Talapkanych, CM

# Vincentian Family International and National Leaders Gathering

January 22-24. The first biennial Gathering of the Vincentian Family International and National Leaders' Gathering kicked off with a Getting-to-Know activity. Seventy-two participants coming from 31 countries representing 19 branches of the Family greeted and met each other in the common language of fraternal love. The meeting which revolves around the theme "Vincentian Family Collaboration" also anticipates the 400th anniversary of the Vincentian charism in 2017.

The following morning a video on the theme of Collaboration set the mood for the first reflection. This was followed by the Keynote Address of John Darley of DePaul International. To stress his point, he quoted the N'gambai African Proverb "If you want to travel fast, travel alone. If you want to travel far, travel together." Mr. Darley reiterated that it is only by working in genuine collaboration with one another that we can promote the kingdom of heaven here on earth.

Fr. Joe Agostino, CM, Vincentian Family Office Coordinator, presided at the Holy Mass. In the homily he reminded everyone that while people often misunderstand our work of service as something crazy, we are really doing God's folly.

The first part of the afternoon session was spent in

language-group sharing on concrete works of collaboration and service to those in poverty situations, taking into account the opportunities and challenges we experienced. Two major themes were expressed. The first is on common formation among the VF members while the second one spoke of resistance, fear of giving up and insularity. It takes time and trust to overcome the latter issue.

The "Emmaus Walk" followed. This sharing was done by pairs according to branch and/or region to discern opportunities for collaboration. Individual commitments that were made were received symbolically by the Superior General, Fr. Gregory Gay, CM, during the Evening Paraliturgical Service which interwove the Vincentian Family Prayer and the Prayer Attributed to Blessed Oscar Romero.

After supper the international and national groups continued exploring possibilities of collaboration.

The third day started with congregation reciting the Vincentian Family Prayer in Spanish. After the recap of the previous day's activities, a series of information presentations began.

First off was the report of the Vincentian Family Office (VFO). The VFO team composed of Fr. Joe Agostino, CM, Sr. Marge Clifford, DC and Fr. Flavio Pereira, CM presented the history, focus, mandate and challenges that the

office is facing.

This was followed by Fr. Aidan Rooney, CM who showed the assembly the new ideas of .famvin and the new look of the famvin.org website as well as its plans to make it more interactive and to reach more people faster (e.g. centering the project in social media). The target of the revised website to be fully functional will be in June this year.

Fr. Giuseppe Turati, CM, Coordinator of the Systemic Change Commission came next. He not only presented the accomplishment report of the previous year, but he also laid out the strategic plan for 2015 – 2018.

For the Vincentian Family Haiti Initiative, Yasmine Cajuste shared about the fish and educational projects they are undertaking. She also made mention about some of the challenges they are facing at present and the future plans of the Initiative.

The last presenter was Mark McGreevy of DePaul International. He gave the assembly a feel of what the Vincentian Family Collaboration had done, from the VFCAP sessions in the different countries to the other activities in celebration of the Year of Collaboration. He ended with a presentation on the upcoming 400 Anniversary of the Vincentian Charism in order to involve every Vincentian worldwide. The detailed plan will be put up in the website sometime in March.

By: Pamela B. Mantuhac, Philippines





Some of the issues that were raised during the meeting were:

- Clarifying the identity of the Vincentian Family
- Financial sustainability of the VFO and the different VF groups
- Maximizing the use of the VFO and the famvin.org
- Defining the “national” leadership of Vincentian Family



The Vincentian Family International and National Leaders' Gathering culminated with a Mass presided by the Superior General, Fr. Gregory Gay, CM. He reiterated that though many, we are one... and as one family, our mission is clear: To proclaim the Good News to the poor.



## A new Italian Province!

### January 25 marked the beginning of a new Italian Province of the Congregation of the Mission

January 25, 2016, was a historic day for the Vincentian community in Rome. On the anniversary of the foundation of the Congregation of the Mission (1617), the Congregation began a new life in Italy. After a long period of preparation, which sought to involve all the Vincentian confreres in Italy, the three former provinces of the Congregation of the Mission became unified, even on a juridical plane. From now on there will be one Province of the Vincentians in Italy, comprising about 150 confreres, in the hope that it can also be the begin of a more significant presence in the life of the Church and in the history of persons, in a renewed fidelity to the charism of St. Vincent, lived in the two dimensions of evangelization and charity.

The day unfolded according to a defined program. At 3:15 pm at the Collegio Leoniano in Rome, the official act of the erection of the new Province by Fr. Gregory Gay, Superior General, with the seating of the new provincial government by the newly elected Visitor Fr. Nicola Albanesi. Then the event moved to the house "Maria Immacolata" [of the Daughters of

Charity], where, after the welcome by the new Visitor, who spoke on the theme of the Mission in Italy today, there was a historical recalling to make evident the long history that all of us carry with us as Vincentians and to which we are called to remain faithful. Fr. Luigi Mezzadri accented the link between "missionary activity and the "praxis of mercy," helping us to see that Vincentian work always appears as an opportune moment to reveal to people of every time the Fatherly and merciful face of God the Father, in the light of the experience and the teaching of St. Vincent. Then Fr. Luigi Nuovo presented the theme of the "mission going forth" of the Vincentians in Italy in the past, above all to the United States of America, where they have just recently celebrated the 200th anniversary of the arrival of the first Vincentians, who came from Rome. This [mission going forth] has been a constant part of the activity of the Vincentians in Italy, who have always felt strongly the call to the "missione ad gentes," along with the commitment to the preaching of popular missions and the formation of the clergy. Besides the history of Italian Vincentians in the United States, the confreres began the work of the Congregation in Spain, Portugal, Madagascar, Indonesia,

Eritrea, and Albania; in some of these countries Italian confreres from the former Italian provinces are still working.

Fr. General also spoke, inviting all to live this historic moment as a great gift that God gives to the Congregation in Italy.

We all returned back to the Collegio Leoniano, where the Eucharistic celebration took place, to thank the Lord for this moment of lived history, and to ask help for living a future of renewed apostolic commitment, accompanied by an abundance of new members for the Company. After Mass there was a community supper that sealed the beautiful moment. There were many confreres present, as well as Daughters of Charity and members of the Vincentian Family. All of this serves as a beautiful "good wish" that we might live together a future rich in hope, and of work done in common in the spirit of St. Vincent.

By. Mario Di Carlo, CM  
Translated: Roberto Stone, CM

NB January 25th celebrates the day of the first mission sermon, not the day of the juridical formation of the Congregation. In the first line I changed the date from 1625 to 1617. I used English usage to refer to the confreres (the Italians use the term "missionaries").





Scenes from the new French Province found on the Facebook page [Eric Ravoux](#) who added 81 new photos to the album: [Une nouvelle Province](#) —

Last Monday, January 25, the congregation of the mission was celebrating the anniversary of its foundation in 1625 by st Vincent De Paul. This was also a day for us in France because was officially built the new province of France and installed our new visitor, his assistant and his council. It was for us a beautiful day where more than 80 colleagues found themselves full of joy and brotherhood. It's a pity that it did not last longer. Long live the new province.

Hier lundi 25 janvier la Congrégation de la Mission célébrait l'anniversaire de sa fondation en 1625 par St Vincent de Paul. Ce fut aussi un jour tout particulier pour nous en France car fut officiellement érigée la nouvelle Province de France et installé notre nouveau Visiteur, son Assistant et son Conseil. Ce fut pour nous une bien belle journée où plus de 80 confrères se retrouvèrent plein de joie et de fraternité. Dommage que cela ne dura pas plus longtemps. Longue vie à la nouvelle Province.





# Anniversary of the Foundation of the Congregation of the Mission (Rome)

As many of you already know, we continue our preparation in the Internal Seminary here in Naples. This Province is engaged in a process of reconfiguration with the Provinces of Rome and Turin. On January 25th we not only celebrated the anniversary of the foundation of the Congregation of the Mission, but we also celebrated the establishment of a new Province in Italy. Before the beginning of said event the Superior General welcomed the seminarists at the General Curia.

Our time at the Curia provided us with an opportunity to share with the Missionaries who live there and to experience the universal dimension of the Congregation. We also experienced ourselves as members of a very large Vincentian Family. We spent some time in the communication office, in the archives, in the offices of the general-secretary as well as in the offices of the Superior General where we were able to see many reminders of the twelve years of service of this successor of Saint



Vincent de Paul.

We shared a meal with the members of the local community ... a meal that was also shared by the many visitors who had begun to arrive for the celebration that would take place in the afternoon. Naturally photographs had to be taken after the meal and then we departed for the Leonine. There we participated in

a meeting with the members of the three Provinces. After some words spoken by the Superior General and the reading of the decree, the Province of Italy became a reality, a present and future reality.

We then gathered together at the house of the Daughters of Charity in Rome where we listened to the words of the new Visitor, Father Nicola Albanesi, as well as words from Father Luigi Mezzadri, Father Luigi Nuovo and further words of encouragement from the Superior General.

All of this culminated with the celebration of the Eucharist at the Leonine. We then left Rome and all of these events made us reflect on the process of reconfiguration which is taking place in our homeland of Spain.

**By:** *The Seminarists from Spain*  
Translated: Charles T. Plock, CM







# Vice-Province of Cameroon established

Establishment of the Vice-Province of Cameroon and the Installation of the Vice-Visitor as described by Father Clement Ondoua

On Sunday, February 7, 2016, many of the members of the Vincentian Family, together with Father Gregory Gay, Superior General of the Congregation of the Mission, gathered together to celebrate the establishment of the Vice-Province of Cameroon and the installation of its first Vice-Visitor, Father Clement Ondoua. This took place during the Eucharist that was celebrated by Bishop Joseph Atanga (Metropolitan Archbishop of Bertoua), Bishop Faustin Ambassa (Bishop of Batouri), Father Stanislav Zonták (Assistant General), Father Christian Mauvais (Visitor of France) and about fifty concelebrants (mostly Missionaries of the Congregation). The Master of Ceremony for the day was Father Jacob Nyeg, CM and the moderator Brother Gervais Kouam, CM.

The ceremony started at around 10:00am with a long entrance procession, accompanied by music from the seminarians who were responsible for the liturgical animation of this ceremony.

## Words of Welcome

After the opening hymn, Father Robert (Director of the Theologate and coordinator of the event) addressed some words of welcome to those who had gathered together for this celebration ... recalling to mind the reasons for this festive event.

## Decree of Establishment

The Decree of Establishment was read by Father Stanislav Zonták, the Assistant General who closely followed the unfolding of the process that led to the establishment of the Vice Province of Cameroon. As a result of this decree we have witnessed a change in legal status of Cameroon and its relationship to the Congregation of the Mission ... Cameroon will now be referred to as the Vice-Province of Cameroon.

## Homily

After listening to the Word of God, Father Zonták spoke about the fact that structures in themselves are important in as much as they allow the Congregation to carry out its mission: the evangelization of the poor.

## Words of Father General

Father General recalled the three conditions needed to create a province: the presence of the spirit of

the Congregation, vocations to give life to that spirit and finally, financial resources for the mission. In his view, the time had come for the establishment of the Vice-Province of Cameroon. He reminded the confreres that they are not alone, “the grace of God and the support of the other branches of the Vincentian Family of Cameroon will continue to accompany you”. Father General presented the Vice-Provincial with a relic of Saint Vincent de Paul, a relic that had been provided by the provincial ecomone of France, Father Philippe Lamblin. This gesture symbolized the long standing relationship between the Mother Province of Paris and its former mission territory. **Profession of faith and allegiance to the Vice-Visitor** After the words of Father General, Fr. Clement made a profession of faith and stated his commitment in the presence of the whole assembly. The admitted and incorporated members then pledged their allegiance to their new superior. **Word of thanks from the Vice-Visitor** At the end of the celebration, Father Clement Ondoua, Vice-Visitor of Cameroon, expressed his gratitude to Father General and his Council for their vote of confidence.

By. B. Martial Tatchim, CM

# Meeting of Provincial Directors of the Daughters of Charity

## *The Provincial Director: Animator, Companion and Formator of the Daughters of Charity*

At the Motherhouse of the Daughters of Charity in Paris the Provincial Directors of the Daughters of Charity were called together in order to participate in a formation session that was intended to enable the participants to serve the Daughters of Charity in a more effective manner. This event took place from February 1st – February 5th, 2016.

Father Gregory Gay (Superior General of the Congregation), Sister Kathleen Appler (Mother General) and her Council and Father Bernard Schoepfer (Director General of the Daughters) participated in this meeting. The Directors that gathered together were those who had been appointed to their position since 2012. This time together provided the participants with some doctrinal, spiritual, Vincentian, juridical and practical elements with regard to the exercise of their ministry. The theme of the gathering was: *The Provincial Director: Animator, Companion and Formator of the Daughters of Charity*.

Eighteen Directors participated in this program: Directors from Mexico, Albania, Central America, the Congo, Northern India, Curitiba, Rio de Janeiro, Indonesia, Slovenia, Nigeria, Los Altos Hills, Madagascar, Great Britain, Eritrea, Vietnam, Cali (Colombia), Poland, Cologne-Low Countries.

The themes were presented by the following confreres:

[1] Father Corpus Delgado, “Louise de Marillac and the Spirituality of the Daughters of Charity”, “From the Common Rule of the Daughters of Charity to the present Constitutions”, “The Process of Animation of the Spiritual Director of the Sisters”.

[2] Father Fernando Quintana, “The specific identity and characters of the vows of the Daughters of Charity” ... during this presentation Father stressed some specific aspects concerning the role of the Directors as spiritual directors.

[3] Father Patrick Griffin, “The Functions of the Spiritual Director in accord with the Guide for Directors” ... during which Father presented

some elements with regard to animation, accompaniment, formation and collaboration.

[4] Father Alberto Vernaschi, “Canon Law and the proper law of the Company”.

[5] Father Yves Bouchet, “Give witness to the joy and grace of God that one experiences as Provincial Director of the Daughters of Charity”.

At various times during the gathering there was the opportunity for dialogue between the Provincial Directors and Father General and Mother General and the members of the General Council of the Daughters of Charity. There was also a presentation of the worldwide statistics of the Daughters and some practical aspects of the ministry of the Directors was dealt with.

We are grateful for the preparation that was put into making this gathering so successful. We are also grateful for the hospitality of the confreres and the Daughters who received us with much joy.

*Diego Luis Vásquez, CM  
Director of the Daughter of Charity,  
Cali, Colombia*





# V Meeting of CLAPVI Formators

At the Seminary Villa Paul the V Encounter of Formators is being held. This gathering was organized by CLAPVI and began on February 1st ... it will continue until February 13th. The theme of the Encounter is "The New *Ratio Formationis* of the Congregation of the Mission".

Fifty-seven Missionaries are participating in this gathering: formators and individuals responsible for vocational promotion from Colombia, Chile, Ecuador, Rio de Janeiro, Fortaleza, Curitiba, Peru, Honduras, Haiti, Dominican Republic, Central America, Costa Rica and Mexico. The seminarists and theologians from Colombia are also participating in this event.

The main theme revolves around the eight chapters of the *Ratio Formationis* and therefore deals with the various stages of the formation process in the Congregation of the Mission, the formation of the Brothers, the year of internship, ongoing formation, the formation of the formators and various other aspects (psychological, homosexuality and pedophilia).

The methodology of the gathering involves two conferences in the morning and group work and workshops in the afternoon. It is hoped that this encounters will deepen the study, reflection and implementation of the new *Ratio* in each of the Provinces. As in previous gatherings, it is felt that the sharing that occurs during this event has been most enriching.

**By: César Chaves, CM**  
Translated: Charles T. Plock, CM



## Oceania: sharing reflections and life

We welcomed Fr Mathew Kallammakal (Assistant General) and Fr. Robertus Wijanarko (Visitor of Indonesian Province) to Australia in early February to discuss with members of the Oceania Province how to develop and grow the International Mission in the Solomon Islands. Joining the meeting: Fr Greg Brett, the newly appointed Visitor of Oceania and three of his Council – Frs. Brian O'Sullivan, Philip Robson and Joseva Naqou.

The reflections focused on seeing the Solomon Island Mission as a strength for both the International Vincentian Community and the Oceania Province. We are ministering in a resource-poor local Church amidst great difficulties at times yet with a spirit of co-operation and encouragement across Provinces. We acknowledged the support and commitment for the Solomon Islands Mission by both the General Curia and the Asia Pacific Visitors Conference. We agreed that more personnel and resources need to be allocated to this Mission for its ongoing viability and vitality. Part of the sharing included the plan of the Oceania Province: to commit itself to the Solomon Islands Mission, especially in providing confreres for the Parish side of the Mission. This was well received by Frs. Mathew and Robertus. All in all, there is a very positive outlook to the Solomon Islands International Mission. However, with all things, more work and commitment is needed to assure its growth.

After the meeting, we shared a meal...a good Australian bar-b-que and a few drinks...while sharing life as Vincentians.



# Consecrated Life and Humanitarian Crisis of Migrants/Refugees in the 21st Century

100 people coming from various countries and religious congregations have joined together in Rome from 22nd to the 25th of February to reflect on the role of Consecrated Life in the humanitarian crisis of millions of migrant/refugee men and women in the world today. This is an initiative of four congregations with presence and recognition in the United Nations NGO: the Passionists, the Congregations of St. Joseph, the Augustinians and the Congregation of the Mission. Among the panelists we have had in this conference are politicians, lawyers, experts from various organizations, journalists, and men and women of good will who are committed to refugees and victims of forced migration.

The number of refugees has grown over the past two years at an alarming rate. If we would bring all refugees and people experiencing forced migration (displacement) in the world today we would have the fourth most populous nation on earth: something that could be called: THE DISPLACED NATION.

Together we wanted to identify the causes and possible solutions of this phenomenon, combining the global perspective and local action initiatives. We know that our main task is to unite in solidarity with many other organizations that are providing humanitarian aid to victims of displacement and forced migration



Among the challenges that we set are as follows:

- To contribute to more clear and reliable statistics.
- To attend 'in situ' migrants, wherever they are.
- To attend them fully and in a systematic manner.
- To prevent the separation of families.
- To assist the most vulnerable groups.
- To move from direct action to advocacy, protection and attention to policies that are created in the area of migration and refugees.
- To maintain a presence at all levels seeking to create spaces of welcome and solidarity that humanize the fate of the victims of this scourge.
- To address the trauma of displacement, war, violence, trafficking, etc.
- To create and participate in networks of solidarity and care of refugees. Adapt some of our houses to greet them.
- To contribute to the reconstruction of familiar and social fabric and repair them so that it is always safe for people.
- Pay special attention to human rights with a focus on persons, that recognizes the dignity of their stories and helps them live real processes of resilience!
- Understand that the care of migrants and refugees is a moral imperative to believers and a legal imperative for nations!



(refugees). We want to act with the networks that have identified the countries of origin of refugees, countries of transit and countries of final destination of these masses of people who are looking to survive war, ecological devastation, poverty and lack of opportunities for work and human development. In addition to collaboration with aid agencies we also desire to act at the most complex levels as is the legislative level, creating new fair social policies that address the issues of migration and displacement.

Among us were refugees and victims of trafficking in Somalia, Libya, and Syria who shared their experiences with us. Their stories helped to put a human face on the numbers and statistics, to political and theological reflection. In this context, we recalled the challenges that the Pope Francis has raised for the consecrated life. The Pope has asked that many of our empty or only half-filled buildings would be used as host sites for refugee families. This prophetic gesture would be able to give a new dynamism to our charisms. Currently there are 20 congregations that have joined forces and decided to host refugees in their general houses in Rome. Will we be capable of a prophetic gesture like this? What prevents us? From whence our apathy and indifference to the plight of refugees? There are many people who are prejudiced against refugees, and sometimes the media contribute to the creation of these group prejudices.

Effective solidarity is only possible with real information about what is going on. This information will also help us debunk some unjust stereotypes that cause fear and paralysis in our possible joint action.

From our charisms we know that our greatest challenge is to identify the most vulnerable groups among the refugees. These are children separated from their families, women, many of them widows and even the LGBTQ community who experience violence,

abuse of all types and special discrimination. Our support can not be selective, it must be full, open, Christian in the best sense of the word and especially open to these more vulnerable sectors.

Nine Daughters of Charity, two members of the Congregation of the Mission, and one Vincentian layperson were present at this conference. Our charism must continue to identify the new faces of poverty from which God continues to call us as our founders did in the original inspiration of the charism. Indifference and apathy are not part of this charism but rather solidarity, commitment and hospitality!

By: Guillermo Campuzano, CM



## The Mission of Honduras becomes a Region

On January 19th we, the members of the various houses that compose the community in Honduras, gathered together at the Centro Tres Rosas (Three Roses Center). On that occasion we rejoiced in the presence of Father Enrique Alagarda, CM, Visitor of the Province of Barcelona.

Throughout the year we will come together on three different occasions to share our experiences, and our concerns, to participate in on-going formation, to plan and to evaluate our ministry and our life together.

On that occasion, however, there was something quite distinct about our coming together. During the celebration of the Eucharist that took place in the evening of January 19th, Father Enrique read the Decree of Establishment of the Region of Honduras, a Region dependent on the Province of Barcelona. After the reading of the Decree we welcomed Father José Vicente Nácher, CM as the new Regional Superior.

This was also a time to give thanks to God for the service that Father Jesús Palau, CM had rendered to the community as superior during the past three years. It was also a time to give thanks to God for this new step that the Mission in Honduras had taken, a step that has enabled it to be established as a Region. Now is the time for all the Missionaries who form part of this area of the Kingdom of God to continue to minister with greater unity, to become more deeply involved in the ministry and the mission, to be merciful ...

Let us now trust that the Spirit will guide us in this new journey with renewed and life-giving vigor.

**By:** *Isaac Demets, CM*

## Popular Missions (Vincentian Family) Brazil

From January 16th – 30th, 2016, the Vincentian Family in the area of Rio de Janeiro – Belo Horizonte, Brazil, gave popular missions in the Parish of Mary Immaculate in Japeri (a city on the periphery of the metropolitan area of Rio de Janeiro). The theme of this mission was: making the joy of the gospel resound” and some fifty members of the Vincentian Family participated (Daughters of Charity, Missionaries of the Congregation, members of Vincentian Marian Youth, the Miraculous Medal Association, MISEVI, the AIC and the Vincent de Paul Society) as well as many lay members of the parish.

This mission had been prepared for by home visits, and meetings that took place during the months prior to the mission. The purpose of those visits and meetings was to come to a greater awareness of the social-pastoral reality of the people, to reflect on the meaning and the method that would be utilized during the mission and then, to develop a program of activities. During the mission itself neither the heat of the summer nor the rain nor the risks from dengue or the Zika virus diminished the enthusiasm of the missionaries as they engaged in an intense program of home visitation, formation sessions and celebrations of the Word. In this area, marked by precarious conditions (strong presence of Evangelical/Pentecostal groups, inadequate pastoral care), the participation of the faithful was outstanding. The missionaries encouraged people in their practice of the faith, became a sign of solidarity, and strengthened the communities and the parish groups in their pastoral outreach.

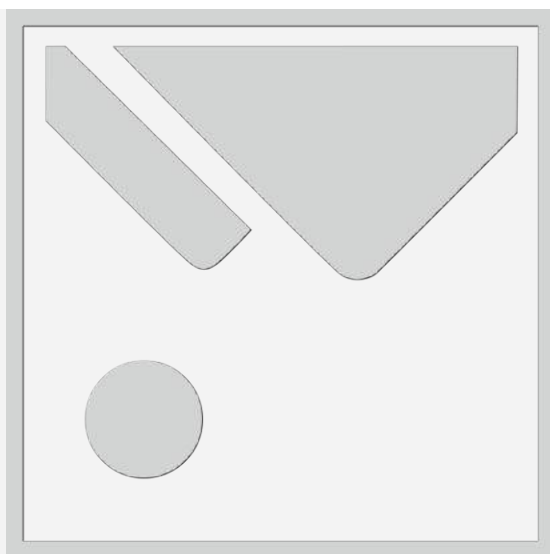
The experience of the popular missions with the Vincentian Family, the manner in which they have been carried out during the past fifteen years in Brazil as well as in many other countries, provides us with an opportunity to renew this most significant Vincentian ministry. Hopefully during this year of cooperation in the Vincentian Family, the popular missions that are carried out with the Vincentian Family and as a Vincentian Family ...

**By:** *Eli Chaves Dos Santos, CM Assistant General*





# The Internal Seminary in Ecuador



I want to begin by expressing my gratitude for this opportunity to speak about the life at the Internal Seminary of CLAPVI-South (composed of the Provinces of Argentina, Chile, Peru and Ecuador). At this time the Seminary is located in Tabacundo, Ecuador. The house, at the time of its foundation, served as a retreat center and a center of formation for the laity. Father Isaías Barriga states that the intended use of this house was formation and rejoices today when he sees the house being used to form Missionaries that the Church so urgently needs ... his joy is even greater because the house is being used to form Missionaries from South America.

This experience has had some years of planning. We can go back to 1993 when the Provinces of Argentina, Chile and Peru came together as “the Southern Cone” in order to collaborate in this stage of formation. In 2010 the Province of Ecuador became part of this group which then became known as CLAPVI-South. It is customary to change the site of the seminary every three years, but when Ecuador was proposed as the site there was no adequate and/or available house. Therefore, Argentina became the site until the present time when this property became available in Ecuador.

*The goal of Vincentian formation in the internal seminary is to provide the seminarian with a firm foundation for living the life of a Vincentian missionary, committed to “following Christ, evangelizing the poor” ... our internal seminary, therefore, provides seminarians with opportunities to experience and reflect upon the interplay of Christ-centeredness, prayer, life together, and dedicated service. They begin to live wholeheartedly the Vincentian way of being “contemplatives in action” (Ratio Formationis, p. 45). Mindful of those principles that are stated in the Ratio Formationis, the local community plan seeks to foster development on the various axes: Vincentian formation, human formation, spiritual formation, intellectual formation, apostolic formation and community formation. All of this is able to be accomplished as a result of the collaboration among the distinct provinces that compose CLAPVI-South ... the confreres have been most generous in responding to requests to present various themes to the men in formation.*

During the year 2015-2016 there are five young men participating in the program: two from Argentina, one for Chile, one from Ecuador and a young man from the province of Colombia.

For the year 2016-2017 it is

expected that there will be nine young men: four from Argentina, Rolando Adalberto Vera, Cirilo Antonio Mazacote Jara, Wilfrido Adolfo Gonzales Ibarra and Mateo Jesús Godoy; four from Perú, Harol Alberto Hernández Hernández, Tomás Ramos López, Cristian Gerardo Mozambite and Sebastián Jesús Ramos Romero; and one from Chile, Cristopher Grof Miranda, (There are no candidates from Ecuador).

*The whole Church is called to follow Christ, who describes his mission in Luke’s Gospel in a clear, focused manner: “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me; to proclaim ‘Good News’ to the poor he has sent me” (4:16). This calling is given to every Christian at baptism. The vocation of the Vincentian is to embrace this baptismal calling, draw strength from the whole community of the baptized, and then be a sign to what life in Christ is meant to be (Ratio Formationis, p. 13).*

In order to accompany the future Missionaries, it becomes clear that formation ministry requires dedication, commitment, and generosity. It is hoped that those who are being formed now will later continue this ministry which is part of the Vincentian vocation. We ask that you continue to pray for us and for the success of this ministry.

## Welcome Fr. Paul!



Fr. Paul Parackal joins the General Curia community as the assistant Econome general. He is a member of the southern Indian Province of the Congregation of the Mission. Born on January 14, 1968, Fr. Paul hails from Kerala, India. Having completed high school from St. Mary's school at Arakuzha, he left for Orissa to join the congregation of the mission. On May 20, 1990, he took good purposes and continued the formation in Philosophy, Theology and pastoral experience. He was ordained a priest on January 10, 1998. As a young priest, he worked three years in three different parishes in Tamilnadu. Later he was appointed in De Paul minor seminary as the procurator of the house where he served three years. Then he was called to the De Paul International Residential School as the Bursar for three years. From 2007 to 2014, he served as the Provincial Procurator. Last two years he was in the De Paul International Residential School as in charge of borders.

## Brother Ľubomir Zemla

After serving six months in the General Curia is gone back to Slovakia, his Province of origin due to health reasons. He was in charge of the kitchen and laundry in the curia. Before joining the Curia community for the second term, he was missionary in Honduras. Brother Ľubomir is exemplary for his creativity, responsibility, spirituality and his dedication to the poor. We are grateful for his commitment and the service he rendered to the Curia community and wish him a speedy recovery.



## Sister Ann Mary Dougherty



A few months ago, we had communicated the arrival of Sister Ann Mary Dougherty, Daughter of Charity from the Province of Saint Louise, USA to join the secretariat of the General Curia as in charge of the English section. On 17 March, we celebrated together her golden jubilee of vocation. We congratulate Sr. Ann Marie and we join her in thanking the Lord for her life, vocation and dedicated service.

The current team of the General Secretariat is comprised of Fathers Giuseppe Turati, CM, Secretary General; Alvaro Fernandez Mauricio A. CM; Sr. Marie Claire, DC and Sr. Ann Marie DC. Thanks everyone for her work.



“I was a stranger  
and you welcomed me...”

2017:  
400<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
of the Vincentian Charism



## 2017 marks the 400th anniversary of the birth of the Vincentian charism

On January 25, 1617, what we call “the first sermon of the Mission,” took place by St. Vincent de Paul in Folleville: *“the confession of a dying peasant, in Gannes, who publicly proclaimed his joy, and the immediate success of the sermon in Folleville, make Saint Vincent aware of the the moral misery of country people. This first sermon is followed by a series of other in the lands of the Gondi, with similar success.”*

Another event during that year enlightened St. Vincent about what his way in the coming years would be: in Chatillon, in the region of Dombes, “he is made aware of a sick family. He heartfully talks about them from the pulpit. From that call made

from the pulpit, a crowd of people go, in pious anarchy, to bring relief to the unfortunate family. This procession of good will is a revelation for St. Vincent: charity, to be a fire that lasts, must be organized.” This event marks the birth of the first institution created by St. Vincent de Paul: the Charities, known nowadays as “International Association of Charities” (IAC). The Vincentian Family is preparing to celebrate this event. The theme chosen for the occasion, “I was a stranger and you welcomed me...,” brings us closer to one of the most beloved Gospel passages by Vincentians: Matthew 25.

*2017 is especially significant for our Vincentian Family. It also*

*marks the end of the Year of Collaboration, issuing a call to action and inviting us to discover concrete ways to reach out to the strangers in our midst. It also connects us more deeply with the Universal Church, which under the guidance of Pope Francis, is celebrating the Jubilee Year of Mercy.*

We will live, without a doubt, a year of deep spiritual renewal and going back to our charism roots. On the Monday after Easter, we will publish the first official notice thereof, and will present the logo chosen for the occasion, as well as some calls for action for 2017 to all members and branches of the Vincentian Family.

## Nominaciones / Confirmaciones

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|-------------------------------|------------|--|
| GHIRMATSION Negasi O/Ghiorgis | 30/12/2015 | Visitor – S. Justin de Jacobis               |
| CALDERÓN SOLTERO Silviano     | 05/01/2016 | Director DC Mexico                           |
| MOLINA SALMERÓN Antonio       | 21/01/2016 | Director DC Madrid – St Louise (Reconfirmed) |
| BATISTA MITOZO Silvio Alfredo | 28/01/2016 | Director DC Fortaleza                        |
| CARVALHO SANTOS Evaldo        | 01/02/2016 | Visitador Fortaleza (Reconfirmed)            |

## Ordinationes

|                                  |     |     |            |
|----------------------------------|-----|-----|------------|
| KANDATHIL Sebastian              | Sac | InM | 14/01/2015 |
| KALATHOTI Babu (Joji)            | Sac | InM | 15/01/2015 |
| LAZAR John                       | Sac | InM | 15/01/2015 |
| SUSAI John Victor                | Sac | InM | 15/01/2015 |
| VARAPPIRAKASAM Vinoth            | Sac | InM | 27/01/2015 |
| DOMINIC ELSY Sherin              | Sac | InM | 11/04/2015 |
| DINH VAN Joseph Vinh             | Sac | Vtn | 11/09/2015 |
| NGUYEN VAN Pierre Hung           | Sac | Vtn | 11/09/2015 |
| PHAM HUU Jean des Apôtres Linh   | Sac | Vtn | 11/09/2015 |
| Dominique Marie Thach            | Sac | Vtn | 11/09/2015 |
| FRÍAS REYNOSO Rafae              | Sac | Por | 14/11/2015 |
| TRAN HUU Peter Nhan              | Sac | Vtn | 31/12/2015 |
| THYKKALAPARAMBIL George Shijoy   | Sac | InM | 04/01/2016 |
| ARAÚZ GONZÁLEZ Diógenes Diomedes | Sac | Orl | 23/01/2016 |
| AVILES MIRANDA Juan Miguel       | Sac | Orl | 23/01/2016 |
| MARTÍNEZ ORELLANA Juan Carlos    | Sac | AmC | 23/01/2016 |
| HEMBRAM Sebastian                | Sac | InS | 25/01/2016 |
| KERKETTA Samir                   | Sac | InS | 25/01/2016 |

## Necrologium

| Nomen                 | Cond. | Dies ob.   | Prov. | Aet. | Voc. |
|-----------------------|-------|------------|-------|------|------|
| STEEN Brendan Patrick | Sac   | 30/11/2015 | Hib   | 94   | 75   |
| ATALLAH Michel        | Sac   | 20/01/2016 | Ori   | 91   | 70   |
| HARRIS Daniel E.      | Sac   | 28/01/2016 | Occ   | 69   | 45   |
| TWORDZYDŁO Jan        | Sac   | 29/01/2016 | Pol   | 71   | 54   |
| HERRERA NOGAL Alfredo | Sac   | 20/02/2016 | Mat   | 84   | 67   |
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## Nominaciones / Confirmaciones

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|-----------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| TADELE Piuos                      | 08/03/2016 | Director DC - Ethiopia      |
| MACÍAS FERNÁNDEZ Luis<br>Fernando | 14/03/2016 | Visitor Chile (Reconfirmed) |

## Ordination

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|--------------------------|-----|-----|------------|
| DIÑO SANTOS Darryl       | Sac | Phi | 19/03/2016 |
| LIMJOCO FOWLER Rolando   | Sac | Phi | 19/03/2016 |
| ROTONI MALAPITAN Ariel   | Sac | Phi | 19/03/2016 |
| TALANGAN ESPELETA Lorenz | Sac | Phi | 19/03/2016 |

## Necrologium

| Nomen                     | Cond. | Dies ob.   | Prov. | Aet. | Voc. |
|---------------------------|-------|------------|-------|------|------|
| HARIO SUBIANTO Heribertus | Sac   | 29/02/2016 | Ids   | 70   | 42   |
| DURANTE Carlo             | Sac   | 19/03/2016 | Ita   | 95   | 78   |
| KRIEK Jaime Adrian        | Sac   | 20/03/2016 | For   | 81   | 59   |
| MARTOKUSUMO Benedictus    | Sac   | 31/03/2016 | Ids   | 77   | 57   |
| SLEDZIONA John S.         | Sac   | 31/03/2016 | Nan   | 73   | 53   |