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**Visit to Petaling Jaya.** I went to PJ to attend the Sector Council meeting of Malaysia, the retreat of the Sector of Singapore and the Renewal of Vows of Ignaci Heri which were all held in the compound of the Brothers at PJ. I was able to catch the second day of the council meeting and the last day of the retreat. The Brothers stayed in two places, the old Provincialate as well as the University Hall. All meals were in the Provincialate. On Tuesday night, the two groups came together for Ignaci's renewal. Thanks to Br. Augustine and the Brothers of PJ for all the arrangements. Below is the article of Br. Arian on the retreat:

“The Brothers of Singapore went to the Petaling Jaya community for their sector retreat from June 14 to June 18. Brs. Paul Ho, Nicholas Seet, John Fernando, Gregory Lim, Collin Wee, Danai Kingkan, Doming Chong, Kennedy Joseph and Arian Lopez travelled to Malaysia and stayed at the former Provincialate and La Salle Hall. The retreat master was Mr. Derrick Chong, a lay person who serves as a life coach and a member of the parish pastoral council in Sabah. They were joined by Br. Edmundo Fernandez, Visitor of LEAD, and Brs. Lucian Ng and Matthew Liew from Malaysia. Fr. Moses Liu, a priest from Malaysia and long-time friend of the Brothers, participated in the retreat and led the retreatants in the celebration of daily mass. While the SG Brothers were on retreat, the Malaysian Sector Council also had their regular meeting at the Provincialate and would share meals with the Brother retreatants. On June 17, the Brothers gathered for the renewal of vows of Br. Ignaci Heri and a special Lasallian Family dinner for alumni and partners in Western Malaysia.”

**LEAD Assemblies and Chapter Committees.** Last 15 March 2014, I announced the convocation of the 2nd LEAD Chapter, District Assembly and the 1st Mission Assembly. In the coming months, several meetings will be convened by the different committees for the three events. The Central Committee shall oversee and coordinate all other committees. I wish to thank all those involved for making themselves available and to all the Sector Leaders for their support.

### **Central Committee**

Br. Edmundo Fernandez | Chair  
Br. Thomas Lavin  
Br. Steve Hogan  
Br. Richie Yap

### **Brothers Assembly and Chapter Planning Committee**

Br. Thomas Lavin | Chair  
Ms. Maureen Cleary  
Br. Jose Mari Jimenez  
Br. Joseph Kloug  
Br. Michael Broughton  
Br. Rodrigo Trevino  
Br. Richie Yap

### **Assemblies Working Committee**

Br. Thomas Lavin | Coordinator  
Br. Gus Boquer | Meals and Accommodations  
Ms. Aimee Patiño | Logistics and Transportation  
Mr. Keane Palatino | Secretariat, IT and Documentation

### **Brothers Assembly Team Building Committee**

Br. Michael Broughton | Coordinator  
Br. Antonio Cubillas  
Br. Dennis Magbanua

### **Mission Assembly Planning Committee**

Br. Steve Hogan | Chair  
Dr. Carmelita Quebengco  
Mr. Dominic Ang  
Mr. Francis Loh  
Br. Richie Yap

### **Liturgy Committee (Assemblies & Chapter)**

Br. Domingo Villamil | Coordinator  
Br. John Niran  
Br. Kelvin Tan  
Br. Morris Thar Gyi  
Br. Sockie De La Rosa

### **District Elections Committee**

Br. Patrick Tierney | Chair  
Br. Thomas Lavin  
Br. Richie Yap

**LEAD Continuing Formation and Renewal.** Line of Action B3-3 of our 1st District Chapter proposed the implementation of “a pilot program for the District for Continuing Formation and Renewal in an Asian context.” I am happy to announce that the target dates for this pilot program are 8 to 28 November 2015 with around 25 - 30 participants from LEAD as well as PARC. This three - week program is already in its planning stage with a Steering Committee that was convened by the LEAD Formation Committee last 31 March. After months of brainstorming, they will meet again this 30 June in Manila. Again, I wish to thank the members of the Steering Committee for being generous with their time, gifts and resources in making this District Chapter Line of Action a reality:

Br. Victor Franco | Chair  
Mr. Dominic Ang  
Ms. Josie Burgos  
Br. John D’Cruz

Br. Michael Broughton  
Br. Richie Yap  
Br. Sebastian Charoen

**LEAD Activities 2014.** Kindly note the following activities:

Date	Activity	Venue
<b>June</b>		
27 – 29	1st UMAEL – PARC Leaders Conference	<i>Hakodate, Japan</i>
30	2nd Steering Committee Meeting for the “Renewal of Asian Lasallian Mission”	<i>Manila, Philippines</i>
<b>August</b>		
4	1st Planning Meeting of Brothers’ Assembly and 2nd LEAD Chapter	<i>Manila, Philippines</i>
7	5th LEAD Formation Committee	<i>Manila, Philippines</i>
16	1st Planning Meeting of LEAD Mission Assembly	<i>Hong Kong</i>
22	SJII Malaysia Groundbreaking	<i>Petaling Jaya, Malaysia</i>
23	14th LEAD Council	<i>Petaling Jaya, Malaysia</i>
<b>September</b>	Elections of 2nd LEAD Chapter Delegates	Online Elections
<b>November</b>	Sondage for the LEAD Brother Visitor	Online Elections
16 – 22	Formation of Formators (Institute Program)	<i>Dasmariñas City, Philippines</i>
29 – 30	1st LEAD Mission Assembly	<i>Manila, Philippines</i>
<b>December</b>		
1	6th LEAD Economic Council	<i>Manila, Philippines</i>
2	15th LEAD Council	<i>Manila, Philippines</i>
3 – 6	Brothers’ Assembly and 2nd LEAD Chapter (Part 1) * <i>Nomination of Brother Visitor</i>	<i>Manila, Philippines</i>
15 – 18	10th Asia Pacific Lasallian Youth Congress	<i>Ipoh, Malaysia</i>

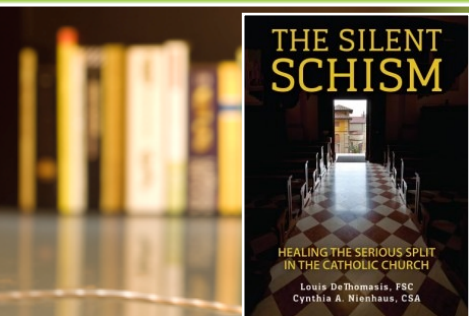
**Welcome to LEAD.** We welcome Br. Daniel Fenton from the District of San Francisco - New Orleans to the Philippines! Since 2004, Br. Dan has traveled to “Bahay Pag-Asa” (House of Hope) in Bacolod City in the summer bringing much-needed support and hands-on volunteers. This year, he will work full - time in “Bahay Pag - Asa” and will be part of the Bacolod Brothers’ Community. Previously, he taught at San Miguel High School in Tucson, Arizona and animated the “Club Pag-Asa”, an organization of educators and students from Lasallian schools in the United States that works each year to raise funds for scholarship opportunities, educational materials and summer volunteer teachers to help with the programs at “Bahay Pag-Asa” Youth Centers in the Philippines.

## Visitor's Calendar.

Date	Activity	Country
20 - 26 June	Sector Council Meeting   Visit Formation Houses	<i>Myanmar</i>
26 - 29 June	National Mission Council and Meeting for "Formation of Formators"	<i>Philippines</i>
1 - 4 July	Visit Formation House	<i>Thailand</i>
4 - 6 July	St. Joseph's Institution Junior 60th Anniversary	<i>Singapore</i>
10 - 15 July	Assembly of Sabah Brothers	<i>Malaysia</i>
17 - 21 July	Visit Brothers Kelvin Tan and Jason Blaikie	<i>Australia</i>

Fraternally,

**Br. Edmundo L. Fernandez FSC**  
Myanmar



### The Silent Schism: Healing the Serious Split in the Catholic Church.

“Pope Francis has called upon Catholics to use what he calls “the grammar of simplicity” when talking with one another and with others outside the church. In this ground- breaking work, Brother Louis De Thomasis FSC and Sr. Cynthia Nienhaus CSA use the grammar of simplicity to describe the current schism happening in the Catholic Church worldwide and to offer solutions for how to heal it.” This book was published by Acta Publications: <http://www.actapublications.com/thesilentschism/?keyword=The%20Silent%20Schism>



**When The Game Stands Tall.** This upcoming sports drama film is about the record-setting 151-game (1992–2003) high school football winning streak by De La Salle High School of Concord, California. The film is scheduled to be released on 22 August 2014. You can watch the trailer in YouTube: <http://youtu.be/qT0aE4iAnJo>



**Erratum.** Br. Philip Bancha is one of the novices who received his holy habit last 14 June as featured in LEAD Story 144. Br. Philip is from the Sector of Thailand. Thanks to Br. Collin Wee for his immediate feedback on this article!