



Blessing and Dedication of St Joseph's Institution International School Malaysia

The Blessing Ceremony of the new SJIIM took place on Sat 1st October in the school auditorium with the Most Rev Tan Sri Murphy Pakiam, D.D. Archbishop Emeritus of Kuala Lumpur as chief celebrant. Br. Dodo, Visitor and Brothers from Malaysia, Singapore and Hong Kong joined the school Community along with Board members, Malaysian and Singapore alumni, and a large number of guests for this first ever public prayer service in the school. Another important guest was Tan Sri Danny Tan, accompanied by his two sons, Dixon and Dion, of Tropicana Corporation, who is our corporate partner in establishing the school. (Continued)

(Photos from Br. Danai Kingkan)

In his homily the Archbishop spoke movingly of the new mission of the Brothers at SJIIM and of the Lasallian core values of faith, service and community which have marked out education in Malaysia since 1852. Accompanied by Brothers, he then blessed the building at various points. A high-light of the service was the blessing of portraits of our Founder which were distributed to representatives of each class to be displayed in their classrooms. The ceremony concluded with a rousing rendition by the elementary students of the song “We are Lasallian.” Our founding students have taken this song to their hearts and are developing a strong Lasallian identity. At the end of the service a commemorative plaque was unveiled by Br Dodo and Mr. Michael Sng, Chairman of the Board of Governors. Then our Lasallian Mission Centre and the air-conditioned Dining Hall were venues for refreshments and sharing.



The Brothers Community of SJIIM wish to express our sincere gratitude for the presence and support of Br Dodo, Visitor, Br Paul, AV, Br Patrick, District Councillor, Br Andrew, Country Coordinator, and all the Brothers and Lasallian partners. We are very happy to welcome visitors to our Community and school and do kindly keep our staff, students and families in your prayers. **(Br. Thomas Lavin FSC)**

BrOz Welcomes BLIP Participants

BrOz (clipping for Brothers in Ozamiz) of La Salle University opened their community for the Brothers' Live In Program (BLIP) participated by three (3) college students and one (1) young professional held on Sept. 21 - 25.



The BLIP aims to promote the vocation of the De La Salle Brothers by providing the students and young professionals an avenue to get to know the lives and ministry of the De La Salle Brothers and to assist them in discerning their own vocation in life.

The Brothers facilitated different sessions to the BLIP participants throughout their five - day stay in the community. Br. Joe Dougherty FSC gave session on prayer; Br. Arian Lopez FSC, the Director of community, discussed the Lasallian Core Values - Faith, Service and Communion; Br. Jimmy Dalumpines FSC, the University President, shared his life as a Brother for 50 years and Br. John David Ong FSC presented the ABCD or the stages of formation.

The BLIP participants had a taste of living the Faith by joining in the community prayers and Eucharistic celebrations, of doing Service by teaching Catechism to the Grade 5 pupils in the St. Br. Miguel Academy (SBMA), the apostolic ministry of the

aspirants of Ozamiz, and of building Communion by playing football with the aspirants and the selected Grade 10 students of the Integrated School.

On the last day of the program, the live inners together with the assistance of some aspirants prepared lunch for the community. The activity even became more meaningful with the signing up of two (2) contacts from the Senior High School in the Aspirancy Program. This was the third BLIP for Academic Year 2016 - 2017 and the participants expressed their desire to be part of the Aspirancy Program next month. **(Br. John Ong FSC)**

Brothers' Memorial Day in the Philippines

"We are servants of a vision larger than our own." Those were the words that perfectly describe the celebration of the Brothers Memorial Day 2016 held last October 2 at De La Salle Lipa (DLSL) and La Salle Novitiate (LSN). A Mass was celebrated by the assembly composed of the Brothers and Lasallian Partners. After which the assembly gathered in the memorial cloister of LSN to offer prayers for the departed Brothers and Lasallian Partners. The event ended with a lunch at the DLSL Retreat Complex. The Brother's Memorial Day is an event to commemorate our dearly departed Brothers and Partners who shared in the Lasallian Mission. It is also a reminder that our mission may not come into fulfillment in our own lifetime because it is a vision that is not made by us but a part of a greater vision coming from a loving God. **(Mr. John Galang)**



(Photos by Br. Dennis Magbanua FSC)

Visitor's and Auxiliary Visitors' Calendar

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
Visitor	Malaysia, Canonical Visit LEAD PRV	LEAD PRV	Myanmar, Country Assembly	Philippines, Canonical Visit to Mindanao Communities MCAD Board of Trustees Meeting
AVMA	Singapore	Philippines, Pastoral Visit to Iligan	Myanmar, Pastoral Visit to Yangon, Kalaw, Maymyo and Myanmar Country Assembly	Singapore
AVVF	Singapore, Pastoral Visit	Malaysia, Pastoral Visit	Myanmar, Country Assembly	Philippines, Pastoral Visit to LEAD Novices
AVSP	Philippines, Pastoral Visit, San Lorenzo Academy Community Directors Association Meeting Philippines Brothers' Memorial Day Pastoral Visit Saint Benilde Brothers' Community	Philippines, Pastoral Visit Saint Benilde Brothers' Community AMRSP Joint Executive Board Meeting Thanksgiving Mass Canonization Bl. Br. Solomon Leclercq	Myanmar, Visit Maymyo and Myanmar Country Assembly	Philippines, DLSBI Trustees and OLEF Meeting

Newsnotes

God be with you. Br. Paul Anuwat Yasachai, a Scholastic with temporary vows, has applied for a dispensation from vows. While his dispensation is being processed, he has returned to Thailand.



Congratulations. Br. Danai Kingkan FSC has completed his course of study at La Salle College of the Arts, Singapore which granted him the Degree of Bachelor of Arts with Second Class Honours (Upper Division) in Animation Art. Br. Danai is currently assigned to SJIM. We're proud of you Danai!



Congratulations. Br. Gus Boquer FSC, President of De La Salle University Dasmariñas and De La Salle Health Sciences Institute was recently featured by CNN Philippines. Here's a link the trailer: <https://goo.gl/QjMPVI> We will try to track down a link to the full interview and share it to you in the next issues. Keep up the good work, Gus!

Happy Birthday!

Brother Dominic Bao FSC	October 07, 1980
Brother Peter Foo FSC	October 10, 1943
Brother John Hla Maung FSC	October 11, 1961
Brother Robertolino Vargas FSC	October 14, 1984
Brother Vic Franco FSC	October 15, 1944
Brother Frank Suriya Toeisroi FSC	October 15, 1978
Brother Manny Sia FSC	October 16, 1968
Brother Luke Chaiporn Kitmongol FSC	October 17, 1959
Brother Raffy Reyes FSC	October 18, 1951
Brother Vince Fernandez FSC	October 19, 1963
Brother Joseph Aung FSC	October 21, 1977
Brother Benedict Chaiwat Phanomworachai FSC	October 23, 1990
Brother Nico Mariano FSC	October 28, 1991
Brother William Soe Thaug FSC	October 29, 1956
Brother John Win Kyaw FSC	October 30, 1991

Health and Wellness

5 Foods to Eat If You Want to Live Longer

1. Nuts
2. Whole Grains
3. Spicy Food
4. Seaweed
5. Fish

How much of these do you normally take?

Read the entire article at: <http://www.menshealth.com/nutrition/5-foods-to-live-longer/slide/5>



Fraternally,

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