

Dear brothers, Missionaries of the Sacred Heart, formands and members of the Chevalier Family,

This edition of our General Bulletin could be summed up in three words: celebrate, thanksgiving and plan. Besides the important celebration of the 114th anniversary of the death of our Founder on 21 October 1907, this Bulletin contains news of the celebration of three jubilees: 100 years of the erection of the Belgian Province, 50 years of the erection of the Indonesian Province and 25 years of the beginning of the second mission in Ecuador. Adding to the list of celebrations, it is with joy that we share the news of some religious professions and, in a special way, two perpetual professions in the provinces of Europe where, as we already know, vocations have diminished.

We need to look with joy at the fruits of our missionaries and give thanks for the countless efforts made on all mission frontiers to keep our charism active and healing through our actions for the good of God's people. Even in the midst of the restrictions and uncertainties caused by these times of pandemics, we note the creativity with which we continue to give positive and proactive responses to the challenges encountered along the way.

We highlight in this editorial the article on our latest online General Conference, which ended recently. Through the whole process used we can foresee our greatest possibilities for the future. Our leaders were fully involved in all stages of this conference and we have already been able to point the way forward to the next General Chapter in September 2023.

How do we go about embodying - making mine and everyone else's - this movement that is happening among us? The first step is to become informed, interested and to ask yourself: how do I feel part of all this? We hope that through the reading of this Bulletin we will feel the need to welcome as our own, each movement that the Spirit is sensing in our missionary hearts.

Good reading!

| Humberto Henriques, MSC

GENERAL CONFERENCE

MSC GENERAL CONFERENCE 2021



It is often said that every day is a new opportunity to live, to learn, to serve, to love, to give oneself etc. And, I believe that this could define the experience of the General Conference in online mode. It has been for all of us a new opportunity to unlearn and deconstruct previous formats and paradigms of action and to open ourselves to the possibility of the new, of what emerges from the new "normality" we face.

Certainly the Pandemic is not only so painful and in many places so unjust because it has revealed the inequity of health opportunities in the world. Even within countries there is no equality of opportunity. But as I said, in addition to this dark side of the Pandemic and its thousands of victims, it has also pushed us to look creatively for ways not to stagnate in the animation of the MISSION. As a General Conference we have tried to listen to the Cry of the Earth and the Cry of the Poor in our hearts.

The June and August sessions were times of deep consensus building. Literally to co-create together agendas and priorities. In order to clarify the decisions to be taken, what should be reported, what should be envisaged for the next General Chapter 2023 and the issues on which the General Team should follow up directly in the next two years.

For me, it is the first experience of being at an MSC General Conference and being able to listen, analyse, see, share with other MSC from around the world and analyse the congregational journey and the current challenges, and to undertake together the search for common objectives within our congregation (our being) looking towards the future with hope and trust in the one who has called us (to do). In these days of work and reflection I have been able to experience collegial communion more closely, feeling part of a whole.

May our Martyrs continue to encourage and bless our missionary life. May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be loved everywhere and forever.

Raúl Ruiz Mena MSC Superior of the Province of Central America and Mexico We have named our fears, our cynicisms, our voices of judgement. We have LISTENED to each other as we shared the struggles that each leader has had to make so that the different lockdowns would not close up or stagnate the hearts of the members and communities of the different MSC entities. We have built the group or community of participants of the General Conference and, after work done at home by each participant, we began our work in August and managed to define what we



approved in September for the two years ahead. Also between August and September there was a lot of work done at home. The objectives have been achieved because each participant has faithfully committed to what the Conference required of each one.

We have also had very good facilitators, a good team of hosts, translators, secretariat, visual listeners and a central committee. All of them have provided the right platforms to make the General Conference participative, dynamic, planned and organised from the emerging futures.

Each MSC in one way or another has participated from their places of mission, so we thank you very much for your prayers and hope to count on the commitment of all MSC members so that, being the Heart of God on Earth, we can respond to the challenges of reality as it emerges everywhere.

| Abzalón A. Tovar, MSC



Having been given the opportunity to join in the General Conference, particularly as part of the technical and hosting team, was a very good experience. I am really thankful for the opportunity to render some technical and creative support. Moreover, I truly appreciate that I got to witness how my senior confreres learned and engaged with one another rather very clear about their common identity as MSCs and how that identity would be expressed in mission now and in the future. As a young MSC, I am even more inspired and affirmed that I belong to this community of brothers who are determined and dedicated missionaries. Thank you, dear confreres, for

inspiring your young brother. Ametur!

Michael Angelo Dacalos Philippine Porvince, member of the Hosting Team



For me, living this General Conference online with zoom, beyond the distance that separated us, was like taking an international bath with fellow msc members from everywhere. I recognise that we are already living this experience of internationality in Africa, but to live it on a global scale is very encouraging in our leadership ministry. There is a real sense of communion in the synodality. The Spirit is really blowing, as I felt more openness this time to embrace something new. Thank you Lord!



Yvon Banackissa Superior of the Union of French-speaking Africa



Due to the Covid pandemic, we had to hold the General Conference on Zoom. However, despite these limitations and difficulties, I was able to share hope for the world as well as the MSC community. Hopefully, this will be the last Zoom international Conference. I hope we can drink real Brazilian coffee or real German Beer face to face from the next meeting!!!

Benedict Ko Superior of the Korean Province



Most of us missed the face-to-face contact because of Covid 19. Still, this Conference was a meaningful event. It became clear that we want to be there, worldwide, for each other. It was noted several times during this Conference that it is not about me or my MSC Province / Union / Region but about our common commitment to a world like Jesus envisioned.

Somewhere in our accompanying lyrics it says: we want to be there in a world that constantly tries to dehumanize people.

Jesus is our example in this! He was a human being, a divine human being, who gave his heart...his life...to this world and showed that dehumanization can only

be taken away with love. That is now our task!

Great appreciation and thanks for the organization of this conference and the way it went.

Theo te Wierik Superior of the Dutch MSC Province

"So dear Confreres, we invite you to BE synodality, not only to have synodality. We will need intense sharing and living dialogue during these next two years. Synodality is LISTENING, CORRESPONSIBILITY AND PARTICIPATION. Synodality is not just doing what I think. Synodality is conversion and renewal transformation. It demands new kinds of synergies and a new sense of belongings—a conversion of ourselves as leaders, leaving the ego-systemic traits of our mentality and practices." (Final Exhortation from the father General)

ACCOMPANIMENTS

THE LAITY OF THE CHEVALIER FAMILY IN PREPARATION FOR THE 2024 INTERNATIONAL GATHERING

At the last International Gathering of the Laity of the Chevalier Family in Brazil 2017, it had been decided to hold the next International Gathering in 2023. The International Council together with the Tri-generalate agreed to hold that Gathering in the Philippines. A local Organizing Committee has been formed in the Philippines to prepare that Gathering. But we all know that since the beginning of the year 2020 we have been facing the Covid-19 pandemic and we don't know when it will end; we are not sure when the ban on flights from different countries will be lifted. In the pandemic situation it is also difficult for people to raise funds and other activities. Therefore, the International Council together with the representatives of the Tri-generalate and Philippine Organizing Committee at a Zoom meeting in June 2021 has decided to postpone the next International Gathering to January 2024. As a consequence of this decision, the local committee was asked to contact the Don Bosco retreat center where the Gathering will be held to move the booking to January, 2024.

Although the timing of the gathering is still relatively far in the future, the preparations are being continued by the International Council together with the local committee in the Philippines. At the zoom meeting of 24th July 2021, the Tri-generalate, the Philippines Organizing Committee, International Council through a communal wisdom discernment reflected on the Theme for the Gathering, which is now being finalized in a concrete proposal by the International Council and the Philippines Organizing Committee and it is hoped that by October or November 2021 the proposal will be sent to all the National Councils for ratification. We also talked about other things to be prepared like the funding, programs, graphics, logo, song for the Gathering and especially the technical things regarding the work of translation to assist all the Gathering participants together in one room, for example, by using Zoom as a means of translation.

For the follow-up and the progress of all these another joint meeting preparations, of the International Council, Tri-generalate and Philippines

> Organizing Committee has been scheduled for early next year 2022. All are invited to support the Philippines Organizing Committee together with the International Council in preparing this 2024 Gathering.



| Paulus Pitoy (Polce)

JUSTICE, PEACE AND INTEGRITY OF THE CREATION

Pope Francis reminds us that the pandemic has "made visible the throwaway culture" (cf. Let us dream, p. 17) in which our people and planet have been suffering long before the virus. Greed and indifference have made global injustices 'normal', often supported by our everyday actions and choices. Right now, we are at a turning point where we can decide whether we are going to invest in a better future or to sink back into the old 'normal'. All of this, in the context of the COP26 being held in Glasgow in November in the presence of the Pope and the Queen.

Pope Francis in his special prayer intention for the month of September invited us to pray that everyone might make choices that promote a simple and sustainable lifestyle. In his video message, Pope Francis reminds the faithful of the need for urgent action to combat the social and environmental crisis. In this month of September, as the Church begins the annual Season of Creation September 1, the pope addresses the environmental crisis humanity is traversing and holds up the example of young people who are environmentally conscious. "It makes me very happy to see that young people have the courage to undertake projects for environmental and social improvement, since the two go together," he said. The video was directed by Nicolas Brown (threetime Emmy winner) and co-produced for the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network by Vatican Media. Pope Francis said adults can learn much from young people, since they are often at the forefront of issues "related to care for the planet." "Let us take advantage of their example and reflect on our lifestyle, especially during these moments of health, social and environmental crisis", he said. "Let us

pray that we all will make courageous choices, the choices necessary for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, taking inspiration from our young people who are resolutely committed to this". We should take the opportunity to reflect on "the way we eat, consume, travel, or the way we use water, energy, plastics, and many other material goods, especially those which are harmful to the environment." Let us choose to change!" the pope said. "Let us advance with young people towards lifestyles that are simpler and more respectful of the environment." Today, the network connects millions of Catholics around the world from diverse countries, cultures, and social and ecclesial contexts, through prayer. Last June, the UN warned that the planet is "rapidly reaching a 'point of no return" and that we're facing "the triple environmental threat of biodiversity loss, climate disruption and escalating pollution." This impacts the lives of all: degradation of the natural world (...) is already undermining the well-being of 3.2 billion people – or 40 per cent of humanity". It also made reference to UN Secretary-General, António Guterres, who said that "for too long, humanity has cut down the Earth's forests, polluted its rivers and oceans, and ploughed its grasslands into oblivion. We are ravaging the very ecosystems that underpin our societies." The pope's insistence on integral ecology, said the statement, reminds us that "everything is interconnected in our lives" and that words are not enough to "protect our common home", as Francis already had written in Laudato Si'. "As in past years when Francis' intentions were about the oceans (2019) and the Earth's resources (2020), the September edition of the Papal Video is part of the global and ecumenical

celebration of the Season of Creation (Sept. 1 – Oct.4). In 2021 the theme is to renew the 'oikos', the home of God.

After the July flooding in Belgium, Germany and the Netherlands causing huge damage and numerous deaths, in early September Hurricane Ida made landfall as a category 4 hurricane, making it one of the <u>most powerful storms</u> to strike Louisiana in recorded history. Ida made landfall on the 16th anniversary of the devastating hurricane Katrina.

The region is known internationally as "Cancer Alley," due to the pollution from the large number of oil refineries, plastic manufacturing sites and other fossil fuel infrastructure clustered in the southern Louisiana region. The Gulf Coast is also which to hurricanes, climate prone scientists say have been made more powerful and unpredictable by the changing Ida's track shows the storm's eye crossed the Mississippi to the west of New Orleans as it traveled north towards Baton Rouge. "This largely Blackpopulated stretch of the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Baton Rouge is lined with more than a hundred refineries and petrochemical plants," DeSmog has previously reported.

With wildfires blazing in the western United States and Canada and a hurricane that caused destruction not only along the Gulf Coast but as far north as New York City, the first days of this year's Season of Creation have made the global climate emergency virtually impossible to ignore. To the north, in Canada, an interactive wildfire information map shows scores of fires at various stages of control. Many of the hotspots are in British Columbia, but dozens also blaze across the central part of the country and as far east as Ontario. It may

look like mixed signals, but the combination of drastic drought and severe storms is a pattern that has been emerging over time and is consistent with predictions of a warming world. The severity of flooding, of course, depends not only on the intensity of the rainfall but also on human factors, such as where we choose to build our dwellings, how much land we pave, how much buffering wetland we destroy and how well we manage water. And ultimately, it depends on whether we can make the hard choices that will stop the global temperature rise. The weather is natural, they say, but the degree of disaster is often determined by choices made by humans. This disasters sound an alarm as we are celebrating the Season of Creation, which calls us to renew the *oikos*, or home, of God.

Therefore once more we kindly invite all the entities and communities of the CHEVALIER FAMILY

- to take part in our First Friday prayer/action on Facebook (:Ametur) and
- to join urgently the 7 Years Laudato Si Platform launched on May 24, 2021. It is a journey towards an integral ecology helping all people of goodwill to implement the 7 Laudato Si goals and realize sustainable development. Do you want a clear idea before joining, surf: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dDvH1TCCL8Y

Our General Leadership Teams of the MSC Sisters, OLSH, MSC and the Laity of the Chevalier Family gave us the green light to endorse the DECLARATION. Now we invite each community, each entity to choose concrete significant actions. Don't forget to report to us so that we can built up our networking.

MAIN ARTICLE

CAUSE OF BEATIFICATION AND CANONIZATION OF THE SERVANT OF GOD JULES JEAN CHEVALIER - DIOCESAN PRIEST FOUNDER OF THE CONGREGATION OF THE MISSIONARIES OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS (1824-1907)

History of the cause:

- 19 July 2011: Nihil obstat of the Congregation for the Causes of Saints (Prot. N. 2840)
- From 25 May 2012 to 08 December 2013:
 Celebration of the Diocesan Enquiry in the Diocese of Bourges.
- 12 December 2013: Transmission of the Acts of the Diocesan Inquiry to the Vatican
- 16 December 2013: Opening of the Roman phase of the Cause of Beatification of the Servant of God Jules Jean Chevalier.
- 18 October 2014: Letter from Fr. Boguslaw Turek, Undersecretary of the Congregation for the Causes of Saints, on the need to proceed with an additional investigation in view of the Validity of the Acts of the Diocesan Inquiry.
- 11 March 2016: Decree on the Validity of the Acts of the Diocesan Inquiry. This Decree of Validity is accompanied by a note signed by Archbishop Marcello Bartolucci, Secretary General, asking the Rapporteur of the Cause to contact the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith to consult certain "problematic" writings of the Servant of God.
- 28 October 2016: Announcement of the appointment of Fr Maurizio Tagliaferri, as Rapporteur for the drafting of the Positio on the life, reputation for holiness and virtues of the Servant of God Jules Jean Chevalier.



Where we are:

The Public Copy of the Acts of the Diocesan Inquiry carried out in 2012-2013 and the Supplementary Inquiry carried out in 2015-2016 on the life and virtues and the reputation for holiness of the Servant of God Jules Jean Chevalier was handed over on 5 October 2018 to Father André Bohas, msc, by the Rapporteur, Prof. Don Maurizio Tagliaferri of the Congregation for the Causes of Saints. Father André Bohas, msc, is the collaborator of the Postulator General Father Jean-Jules Chassem, msc, of the Congregation of the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

At the request of the Secretary of the Congregation for the Causes of Saints, Archbishop Marcello Bartolucci, dated 11 March 2016, the Rapporteur, together with the Postulator General and his collaborator, went to consult the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith about the writings of the Servant of God. At the request of the General Reporter of the Congregation for the Causes of Saints, in October 2019, Fr. André Bohas went to consult the Vatican Secret Archives (henceforth referred to as "apostolic"), the Vatican State Archives and those of the Congregation for Institutes of Consecrated Life and Societies of Apostolic Life.

In October 2019, the part of the Positio called Summarium Testium consisting of the formatting and study of the testimonies of the two diocesan investigations was completed. The editing of the reports of the Theologians and the Historical Commission presented at the two enquiries was also completed in October 2019. The work continues with the preparation of the abridged documented biography of the Servant of God. In October 2020, the Rapporteur Prof. Don Maurizio Tagliaferri asked Fr. André Bohas to begin the abridged documented

biography with a first chapter that should specify the political, historical and ecclesial context of the 19th century during which the Servant of God Jules Jean Chevalier lived, attaching at the end of the chapter the most important authorized documents that support the understanding of what will have been thus developed throughout each chapter. Historical research and numerous readings were necessary for the study of this political, historical and ecclesiastical context and its writing was the object of the work of this year 2021 (from November 2020 to August 2021).

What still needs to be done

It then remains to continue writing the documented biography of the Servant of God, from his birth to his death in a chronological presentation, presenting his activities and works. The most important documents collected during the diocesan investigation (in particular the 737 letters selected from a total of 2737 letters and other documents collected in the second volume of the Public Copy) will be inserted at the end of each chapter according to the content of each chapter of the biography. Some documents not used in the biography will then be presented in the Summarium Documentorum.

Some specific problems that have been raised about the life and writings of the Servant of God and that require study and response will be inserted in another part of the Positio called Selected Questions (especially those found in the file of Fr. Chevalier's file and consulted at the Holy Office on devotion to Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, on the statue of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, as well as the relations with Fr Ramière and Fr Dehon, the questions raised in the Report of the theologians who studied the books published by Fr Chevalier).

Finally, the last part, called Informatio, will present in the Positio the path followed by the Servant of God to reach evangelical perfection and his permanent state of virtue, a presentation of the heroic exercise of the virtues (theological and cardinal, the auxiliary virtues as a religious and particular virtues) and his reputation for holiness.

When this work is completed, the Positio will then be studied by theologians (from Roman universities) chosen by the Congregation for the Causes of Saints, and then, based on the results of



their research, a group of cardinals also chosen by the Congregation for the Causes of Saints will study the Positio. To all of them, theologians and cardinals, a copy of the book by E.J. Cuskelly, msc, "Jules Chevalier, the man and his mission - 1824-1907", will be given as a supplement to the abridged documented biography. After this long process, if all this work is positive, the results will be presented to the Holy Father by the Prefect of the Congregation of the Causes of Saints. The Pope will then be able to declare our founder, the Servant of God Jules Jean Chevalier, "Venerable".

Let us not forget that for our founder to be declared "Blessed", it is necessary to obtain through his intercession a presumed miraculous cure which will also be studied in another Positio on the miracle. The same applies to the process of Canonization.

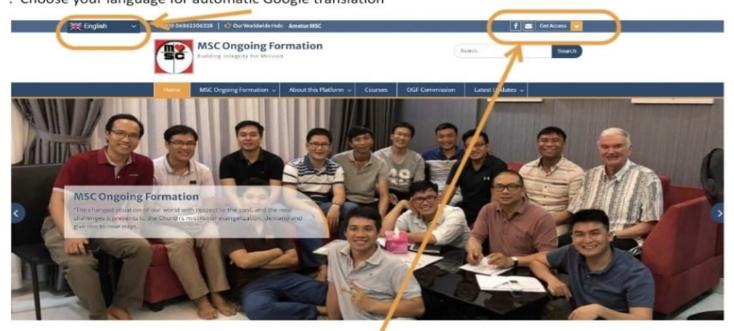
It is therefore important that at this stage, with many steps still to go, all confreres and members of the Chevalier Family throughout the world (in their communities, in the parishes, movements, prayer groups, or schools where we minister...) pray and invite prayer intensely, persistently and tenaciously through the intercession of our founder, Servant Jules Jean Chevalier. Let us not forget to send in writing to the Postulator General, Fr. Jean-Jules Chassem, msc, our testimonies of graces received through the intercession of the Servant of God.

| André Bohas, MSC (Province of France—encharged for the Cause of our Founder)

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25 years of the Mission in Ecuador

A Jubilee year always requires preparation, many meetings, planning, programming,

organisation and expectations. Especially when it is celebrated in times of pandemic. But, as we dedicate it to our Mother Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, there is no need to fear, as she does everything in our Congregation.

The health emergency made us reflect and reorganise many things. On August 10, 2020, during the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the religious life of Father Francisco Wellikin, in the Canton of Chunchi, Province of Chimborazo, Ecuador, we declared this Jubilee Year open. We all remember Chevalier's phrase: "There is our place" (Chevalier 1875) and that of Father Jouet: "We all dreamed of a foundation in Quito". Now this dream is a reality!

From what was programmed for the Jubilee Year, we highlight two very significant events, the conversation by Zoom with all the MSC who are part of these 25 years. This was a moment in which we shared the experiences lived by each one of us, very significant experiences! A very motivating moment. Among many novenas and parish celebrations to make this Jubilee Year known, we also highlighted our ordinary MSC meeting of the Section in May. In

this second significant event we shared the devotion and affection we have for Our Lady of the Sacred

"Pilgrims of Hope", Missionaries of the Sacred Heart, We celebrate 25 years of many lives Given in mission.



Heart. We studied the booklet, "Our Lady of the Sacred Heart", published by our confreres in Spain. At the end of our meeting we celebrated the Eucharist for the enthronement of the official image in the chapel of the Formation House. The image was specially made as a symbol for our jubilee year, carved in cedar

wood and with a photochromatic painting by the Escuela Quiteña de artes.

The first festive closing mass of the Jubilee Year was celebrated with a great popular devotion in the parish of Santo Domingo de Guzmán in the Cantón Chunchi, on Sunday, September 5, 2021. Monsignor José Bolívar, bishop administrator of the Diocese of Riobamba, presided over the celebration, concelebrated by the MSC of the Ecuadorian Section. Delegations from the communities and parishes served by the MSC shared in the celebration. Father Paco and the Chuncheños organised a beautiful celebration. Many tributes,

many thanks, memories and hugs. The bishop highlighted our spirituality and charism in his homily. He showed himself to be knowledgeable about our history. With a lot of patience he welcomed every gesture, words and symbols presented in the celebration. At the end Fr. Mario, representing the Provincial of Curitiba, Fr. Dirceu, thanked all those present.

The second festive mass was held in the cathedral of Riobamba, on the 7th September, the 25th anniversary of MSC presence in Ecuador, where we gathered to give thanks to our Mother. A beautiful mass presided by Monsignor Victor Corral Mantilla, bishop emeritus of the diocese of Riobamba. We remembered the day that Monsignor Fernando Panico, msc blessed us and sent us from the Shrine of Vila Formosa, São Paulo, Brazil. With the Blessed Mother in his hands, he gave us the sending forth blessing. Here in Ecuador the first day we entered the cathedral (07/09/1996), She received us, together with Monsignor Victor. The image of our patron saint was prominently displayed in the presbytery. Together with many friends, benefactors,

priests of the diocese, religious men and women, we expressed our thanksgiving. Monsignor stressed the importance of our presence for the diocese and the Church of Riobamba. He spoke of our ability to work as a team, of our efforts at inculturation, of our participation in the Presbyteriate and above all of our choice to be in the most difficult and distant places for pastoral work. Excited and grateful, he blessed not only the MSC, but also the whole Chevalier Family that is already in Ecuador.

The jubilee has truly been a year of grace. The question remains: "If we were to start the mission today, where would the protagonist of the mission, the Holy Spirit, lead us? There are many challenges to face and to build up for another 25 years, if God allows it and if Our Lady, Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, protects us.



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Celebration in commemoration of 25 years in the Cathedral of Riobamba

| Moacir Figueiredo, MSC (Province of Curutiba—Superio of the mission in Ecuador)

JUBILEES

50 years of the MSC Indonesian Province

On October 6th, 2021, the MSC Indonesian Province will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the founding of the province. Before it became an autonomous province, MSC Indonesia was under the Dutch MSC Province. However, after going through various preparations, the MSC General Conference in Rome in October 6th, 1971 erected the MSC Indonesian Province and appointed Fr. P.S. Hardjasoemarta to be the first Provincial Superior.

The Acts of the MSC General Conference, held in Rome from 5 to 15 October 1971, states: "On

October 6th, 1971, the General Conference erected the MSC Province of Indonesia. Consequently, Fr Hardjasoemarta is the first provincial superior of the new province." The preceding text says: "Indonesia has been a Vice-Province, or Provincial Administration since 1961. The special Provincial Chapter held in June 1971 judged that the time had come to ask for the erection of the Indonesian Province. The number of native-born Indonesians has been steadily increasing: 32 priests, 21 brothers, 20 students. Furthermore, there are still many foreign -born MSC working in Indonesia (136). These are free to decide whether they become members of the new Province or remain members of their Province of origin" (Analecta MSC, N. IV, Anno LXIX – 1971, p. 322). Since then, MSC Indonesia has been independent, managing its life and ministry



independently, apart from the Dutch Province.

Many events have shaped the MSC Indonesian Province as it is today and towards the future. Therefore, celebrating the 50th foundation anniversary is a historical moment that deserves to be remembered and celebrated – remembering the



great works God of experienced in the history of God's People, especially the journey of the **MSC**

Congregation in Indonesia. This 50th foundation anniversary is not only an opportunity for Indonesian MSC to remember and celebrate, but also to renew their being and actions. Therefore, the theme is "Becoming Disciple of the Sacred Heart of Jesus who Remembers, Celebrates, and Renews His Being and Doing."

In order to make this 50th foundation anniversary meaningful, the Provincial Superior with his Council launched the Jubilee Year in October 6th, 2020. The opening ceremony of the 50th Jubilee began with the celebration of the Eucharist, followed by a short ceremony to mark the start of the Jubilee Year. The launching ceremony took place in the Chapel of the Mother House in Jakarta and was broadcast virtually. In addition, following the launching ceremony, members of the province also marked the opening of the Jubilee Year in every District and Local Communities with different planned activities.

The Provincial Superior with his Council formed a committee in the province, headed by Fr. Florianus Miranta MSC (the vicar) to coordinate various activities to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the MSC Indonesian Province.

The committee worked to construct the history of the MSC Indonesian Province; to organize materials for reflection on the theme of the jubilee year; to construct a survey questionnaire and to present the results on the "being and doing"; to compose prayers; to prepare liturgies and to deepen understanding of the special prayers of the MSC; to prepare events to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the province; to produce publications and

documentation; to hold social services and to raise funds to support activities of the 50th anniversary of the MSC Indonesia Province. Apart from the Province Committee, local committees were also formed in each District and Local Community.

The journey and growth of the MSC Indonesian Province cannot be separated from cooperation and partnership with the dioceses, institutions, diocesan priests, religious congregations, lay people and other partners. Therefore, this 50th Jubilee celebration is not merely a celebration of MSC but is expected to also involve our partners and all the faithful people. However, due to the Coronavirus pandemic situation, many activities were carried out internally, such as the preparation and publication of a book series on the history of the MSC Indonesian Province; prayers and novenas for the Jubilee Year; webinars on special prayers of MSC; recollection and reflections to deepen the theme of the Jubilee Year in the District and Local Communities; webinars on the theme "communio, missio, leadership and the future". The committee has been preparing a memorial book and a ceremony for the 50th Anniversary of the Province. In addition to the activities coordinated by the Committee in the Province, each District and Local Community also carried out various activities to celebrate the Jubilee Year according to their context.

Thus, as a Province that is growing and developing, and remembering historical the milestones that have formed the province, together with the Blessed Virgin Mary, Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, all members of the MSC Indonesian Province exclaim: "My soul magnifies the Lord...... For the Mighty One has done great things for us" (Luke 1:49). Let us gratefully remember this historical moment: "May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be everywhere loved!" (Ametur ubique terrarum Cor Jesu Sacratissimum).

> | Yoseph Harbelubun , MSC (Province of Indonesia)

JUBILEES

Talking about 100 years in one day: impossible mission

On 26 September it was party time in Borgerhout. When the guests had to leave their



homes, the preparation teams were already at work in the church hall. And the laymen of 'Open Hart Beweging' (Open Heart Movement) were making their presence felt.

The 100 years are described in a book

published especially for this jubilee. In the church, on the communion bench, it had found a place together with other significant objects for the 100 years that the members of the province have worked in Belgium, Congo, Brazil, Papua and many other places where they were sent. At the end of the celebration this book full of testimonies was given especially to the guests from far away Fr. General and his assistants Fr. Humberto Henriques Da Silva and Fr. André Claessens.

The Eucharistic celebration was very festive and was presided over by Fr. General Abzalon Tovar and

other concelebrants. To our great surprise, Fr. Abzalon presided in Dutch. His simplicity and availability to all were much appreciated. In his homily, commenting on the readings of the 26th Sunday of the year B, he congratulated the MSC of Belgium for their witness, often in difficult circumstances, and reminded them that the challenge of the mission is always there: creative openness for the evangelisation of our world today. And among the concelebrants were the four members of the new intercultural community that is being set up to help meet the challenge in the years to come... Moreover,

after communion they sang a song to Our Lady, who has faithfully accompanied us during this centenary. She was there, too, when "difficulties became possibilities", as our Founder liked to say.

Let us give thanks to the Lord for this moving history of the MSC of Belgium! Eternal is





his love for us...

| André Claessens , MSC

THE FIRST TWO ENROLLED AT THE SAFEGUARDING COURSE OF THE GREGORIAN UNIVERSITY, IN ROME

Pope Francis in recent days addressed a special Child Protection gathering of the bishops of Eastern Europe. He challenged them to a greater engagement by their churches in the protection of minors and vulnerable adults.

I encourage you to listen to the cry of the victims and to dedicate yourselves, with each other and with society in a broader sense, in these important discussions because they truly touch the future of the Church in Central and Eastern Europe — not only the Church's future, but the hearts of Christians as well. This is our responsibility.

You are not the first to have had the responsibility to undertake these steps, which are necessary, and it is probable that you will not be the last. But know that you are not alone in these difficult times.

The recognition of our errors and our failings can certainly make us feel vulnerable and fragile. But it can also present a moment of splendid grace, a moment of self-emptying, that opens new horizons of love and reciprocal service. If we recognize our mistakes, we have nothing to fear, because it will be the Lord himself who will have led us to that point.

With malice toward none and charity toward all, I urge you to be humble instruments of the Lord, at the service of the victims of abuse, considering them as companions and protagonists of a common future, learning from each other and become more faithful and resilient so that, together, we might face the challenges of the future. May the Lord bless you, may the Madonna protect you, and please, do not forget to pray for me. Thank you.

It is encouraging to say such action already under way in one of our MSC Provinces.

The Indonesian Province recently moved in the direction the Pope called for with two members enrolled in the Safeguarding Diploma at the Gregorian University beginning in late September. The five-month course is in English each September, and in Spanish in February. Places in the course require a registration many months in advance. The two MSC are:

Yulius Sodah



I was born on July 11, 1979, in a very small 'catholic' village located in Central Sulawesi, Indonesia. My family is a mixed culture family. My father is from Maumere, Flores and my mother is from Minahasa, North Sulawesi. I was ordained on July 5th, 2008, in my village and it was such a blessing for me. After my ordination, I was assigned as a formator in the postulancy, assisting two other confreres. After four years, I was sent to study psychology and become qualified formator. I spent seven years to become a psychologist. From January 2020, I was assigned as a formator at MSC Indonesia Scholasticate till now. In September 2019, the MSC Indonesia Leaders Meeting assigned me to be the coordinator of MSC Protocol for safeguarding children. Now, I am in Rome to attend the diploma course on children protection, at the Gregorian University

Fransiskus Bram Tulusan.



My full name is Fransiskus Bram Tulusan. Bram is my nick name. I am from Indonesia. I was born October 20, 1982 in Kotamobagu Manado Indonesia. I was ordained as a priest in Manado, June 29, 2011. I have

been in formation ministry for 11 years: St Yudas Thadeus Minor seminary Langgur-Diocese of Moluccas (2009-2010), St Francis Xavier Minor Seminary Kakaskasen - Diocese of Manado (2011-2016), MSC Scholasticate Indonesia (2018-2020), MSC Postulancy Indonesia (2020 - now). Cor Vitae, Formation for formators – Philippines (2017). Since 2019, I have been appointed as the member of Protocol team of safeguarding for children and vulnerable adults for the MSC Indonesian Province. It is a new mission and challenging for me as well, for I have to deal with issues that are new, for me at least. To support this ministry, our province sent me to attend the diploma course of safeguarding for children in Rome. The course will be held this September 2021-February 2022.

> | Tim Brennan , MSC (Safeguarding Office)

EVERYWHERE

« MOTEMA MOSANTU » NOVITIATE

Saturday August 14, 2021 was a memorable day for the Union of Francophone Africa – UAF-when three novices (Alexandre DINWANG, Auguste KINGALA and Landry OUEDRAOGO) took their first steps in the Congregation with their first profession and eight postulants began their canonical year in the chapel of the Novitiate "MOTEMA MOSANTU" in Kimwenza in the western suburb of Kinshasa.

It was in the presence of fellow MSC, priests, religious men and women, relatives, friends and members of the OLSH Fraternity that the

celebration began precisely at 10 a.m. under the direction of Father Christian MONGAY, Superior of the District of Congo.

During that same Eucharistic celebration, we congratulated MSC confreres Fathers Christophe ELONGO and Bonaventure MBOYO on their 25 years of religious life.

At the end of the celebration, which lasted more than four hours, a meal was served to the guests. All that in the happy atmosphere with local music.

| Jonas Hassam, MSC - UAF)



First Profession of the 3 new MSC



Beggining of the UAF Novitiate - 8 novices

Our prayer of thanksgiving and praise goes up to God for the Perpetual Vows that Domenico Rosa professed on Sunday 25 July 2021 in Florence, in our Congregation of the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Thanking him for the donation of his life in the construction of the Kingdom of God, we pray for him.

Giving him the gift of the words of Rabindranath Tagore, Bengali philosopher and poet, which says: "I served and I understood that in service there was joy", we wish him a rich and fruitful service in the vineyard of the Lord.





PREPARATION FOR PERPETUAL VOWS IN LATIN AMERICA

From 18 to 25 July 2021, the young Missionary Juniors of the Sacred Heart in Latin America had a formative meeting with the aim of preparing them for their Perpetual Vows in the Congregation. This moment was prepared by the Cor America team, which gathers members of our congregation, the Daughters of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart and the laity of the Chevalier Family. Thirteen religious from different Latin American provinces took part.

During the days of formation the youngers were asked to reflect on the following theme: "My definitive commitment to the Lord in the Chevalier Family". The objective was to encourage each of the participants to reflect freely on their choice, conviction and deepest decision in their commitment to the mission of Jesus Christ in their congregation. To this end, the themes of personal knowledge, community life, consecration and the importance of the vows, the MSC mission related to the commitment of the Martyrs and finally the life project of each one were discussed. It was a rich moment of prayer, interior search and formation about the charism of the Chevalier family and the role of the religious who follow this charism in the face of the realities of our time.

Speaking a little more about my experience of

this meeting, I can testify that most important, as much for me as for all those who took part, were the moments of fraternity. Even in an on-line form, we were able to fraternise, to get to know each other and to feel together as a family, which in fact we are. It was a rich moment of unity, despite all the regional, cultural, social diversity and difference in our ways of thinking. The formative moments led us to understand that to consecrate oneself is to put oneself at the service, especially of the poor, of the most vulnerable, thus making the Heart of Jesus loved, promoting the Kingdom of God and fulfilling our mission. Another point worth mentioning is that, as a result of the meeting, we were able to return to the sources of our spirituality, motivating us to follow Christ, in the spirit of our founder.

Finally, I believe that each one of the juniors who participated in this meeting was able to live this experience of intimacy with God and knowledge of his mission, and thus will be able to say yes more freely to their vocation and consecrate themselves for life in the Congregation of the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart. Pray for us.

| Luiz Claudio Lima, MSC (São Paulo Province)

HOPE FROM HOPELESS - LIFE FROM DEATH

No one in the world likes to live in any difficulty, or crisis, or disaster, or pandemic, etc. Normally, the people have to face up to these unexpected situations in daily life in order to survive or to find the meaning of life. I would like to borrow an image of the soil and the tree, that Dep Lão (nick name), MSC sent me this morning in order to express my feelings and my thoughts on the occasion of the renewal of vows that happened in our community in Vietnam this morning, August, 14.

God as soil is still there, at the root of the tree or somewhere else. The people as a tree have to cling on to the soil to grow up. It takes nutrient from the soil for its life. But sometimes, for some reason, there is less soil or no soil at all for some branches of the root of the tree. It causes many difficulties for the life of the tree. Sometimes, the soil is not enough for the tree, because of a landslide or because some roots of the tree have no capacity to hold the soil for themselves or people don't take care for the tree carefully. If this situation still persists, the tree will die.

At the moment, all the people over the world, particularly in Ho Chi Minh City are facing up to a terrible and horrible disaster, the Coronavirus-19 pandemic. Thousands of people are infected and hundreds of people die every day. The people now live in fear, panic and even suspecting each other. We lockdown ourselves from ward to ward, from house to house, and even from person to person.

However, the people are trying their best to keep their lives moving on. Every second of life, they try to regain the life from the Reaper.

In this situation, our brothers renew their vows. It's so hard for us to gather together as a community to have this celebration, because we can't move from house to house, even though we are so near each other. In Le Van Sy house, one senior professed brother, Vu Thanh Nguyen, MSC, accepts the profession of Tinh Dao Anh Nguyen, MSC, within the Liturgy of the Hours, Morning Prayer, because there is no priest living there.

In Banh Van Tran house, the profession is celebrated during the Eucharist, with the one of the formator accepting the profession of two brothers, Thanh Vu Nguyen, MSC; and Tien Minh Nguyen, MSC.

Sending a picture to us, Đẹp Lão, MSC said: "I pray that you will hang in there, stay connected in whatever way you can." Yep, we are living within the pandemic, and among fear, panic and suspicion, but we do not allow these negative spirits of the pandemic to disturb us much in any aspect of life. However, this is not a time to blame the pandemic, but a time to recover life from death, and hope from hopelessness. The Renewal of vows of our brothers is a living witness to that. They show their wholehearted trust to God. We, MSC members, are so joyful and happy to join with them in this atmosphere and spirit. Like the tree in the picture, we





are trying our best to cling on to God in order to regain life and hope for ourselves and for people.

> | Quang, MSC - Vietnam



On 26, 27 and 28 July 2021, the meeting of the members of the CA MSC was held on the digital platform Zoom. The meeting was coordinated by Fr. Dario Ircash, president of the entity and was attended by a significant number of confreres from the different provinces, as well as Humberto Henriques MSC, member of the General Leadership Team and on the last day, the Superior General, Fr. Absálon Alvarado, joined us. The main objective was to establish a space for sharing and to hold the election of the new board of directors.

The first day of work was marked by the sharing of the provincials. It was an opportunity to listen to the challenges and joys in this context of confronting the pandemic. It has been a demanding time that obliges all of us to rediscover the creativity of evangelisation. It was evident in the sharing how much we have grown with the challenges and have reinvented ourselves. Another point for refelction was the situation of the Andean region. This theme is already being worked on and is born out of the need to restructure the congregation: the possibility of an integrated mission among the four entities: Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela. Moacir took up the thread of the process and so far we have suggestions for the future: to work on the sensitization of all on the need to rethink the way to optimize the mission in this region, to think of the possibility of a common formation that favours the creation of bonds, to plan for the exchange of missionaries between the entities and to form a joint missionary team for a specific work, for example, in the Amazon region.

The second day of work was dedicated to the evaluation of the common theologate in El Salvador.

ONLINE MEETING OF CA-MSC

Marvin Sotelo (formator) and the spiritual director, Fr. Zeca, took part in the meeting. Both of them shared on the positive points and the limits of this experience. They agreed that the common theologate contributes to an ever more urgent awareness that we are all part of an international family. The day concluded with a presentation of the life of our martyrs of El Quiché. Father Raul Ruíz (Superior of the Central America Province) invited us to reflect on the importance of these witnesses for our missionary life. We asked the martyrs to continue interceding to God for us.

The third and last day was dedicated to the situation of the MSC in America. Fr. Humberto led the discussion on initial and on-going formation, protection of minors, martyrs and the general conference. The day ended with the election of the new board of directors of the CA-MSC. After the ballot, the following were elected Fr Juan Tomás, coordinator (Dominican Republic) and Fr Raul, vicecoordinator (Guatemala). Absálon took opportunity to thank Fr Dario who was in charge of coordination and Fr Luiz Deivys, secretary, for the work done. The meeting ended in a fraternal atmosphere and with grateful hearts. We hope that the new coordination of the CA-MSC will remain open to the calls of God to make the Sacred Heart of Jesus



everywhere.

| Luiz Deyvis, MSC (Rio de Janeiro Province)

FIRST FIVE YEARS IN MINISTRY

On August 23, 2021, at 7:00 PM, the Meeting of the First Five Years of the Province of Rio de Janeiro began in Juiz de Fora (MG), composed of the accompanier, Fr. Ruaro Cândido, and the following companions: Fathers Adeilson, Alisson, Bruno, Eliezer, Fábio Júnior and Magno Luís, and the deacons Pablo, Patrick and Roney.

The 24th began with Lauds at 8am. At 9h30, Ruaro was welcomed as the new accompanier together with the newcomers to the group, Fr. Fábio Júnior and the deacons. Ruaro presented his orientation programme, stressing the need for a culture of ongoing formation and personalised accompaniment. His plan of action consists of annual meetings with the group and individual colloquiums in the mission stations of each confrere as accompaniment. He concluded by sharing his journey, highlighting the challenges of that time when accompaniment was not part of the early years of the mission and the difference that this present programme makes. The whole group shared the necessity and importance of the accompaniment of a more experienced confrere. At 3:00 p.m. Father Attila, who has guided the group for nine years, told the story of how accompaniment came about. Then he shared his vocational testimony, telling the experience of his various missions within the Congregation. He highlighted the richness of the charism and the way of being of the Rio de Janeiro province, inherited from the Dutch missionaries.

The 25th began with Mass at 8am. At 9h30 Ruaro spoke on the theme of interpersonal communication, differentiating between



aggressiveness, passivity and assertiveness. He emphasised the importance of knowing one's own feelings in order to communicate in an assertive manner and to maintain healthy interpersonal relationships. Finally, he opened the floor for questions and made available material for training in assertiveness. Ronnie Anderson Diniz. Provincial, spoke about the institutional structure and the changes in the experience within the institution that have occurred over time. He emphasised that MSC identity and belonging must be rooted in the experience of Mercy. At 9 p.m. the recreation took place, a moment of great joy and fraternisation.

The 26th began with Mass at 8:00. At 9.30 Fr. Ruaro thanked the group for their welcome and for the sharing that they had done throughout the meeting. There was unanimous agreement as to the relevance of the meeting in terms of coexistence and the topics discussed. The group suggested that the next meetings be held in other places so that all could take advantage of the opportunity to rest. Fr Ruaro said that he would soon be in contact with each one to arrange individual visits. The 2022 meeting will be held from 16 to 20 May in Bahia (BA).

| Washington Pablo, MSC Rio de Janeiro Province



We affectionately affirm these brothers of ours mentioned below. We hope that their commitment will be without reserve to make the Heart of Jesus loved everywhere.

DATE	NAME	PROVINCE	APPROVAL
June.2021	John Peni	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	DIACONATE
June.2021	Benedict Saua ,	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	DIACONATE
June.2021	Michael Milu	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	DIACONATE
June.2021	Lawrence Namongo Teilo	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	DIACONATE
June.2021	Petrus Bajo Piran	INDONESIA	FINAL VOWS
July.2021	Domenico Rosa	ITALY	FINAL VOWS
July.2021	Jean De Dieu Loofi Epaso	UAF	PRIESTHOOD
July.2021	Juan Jose Moya Rodriguez	CENTRAL AMERICA	FINAL VOWS
July.2021	Noelguens Excellent	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	FINAL VOWS
July.2021	Jhonny Maria Brito Santana ,	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	DIACONATE
July.2021	Juan Gabriel Corona Estevez ,	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	DIACONATE
July.2021	Jahuil Alexander D. Pereira	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	DIACONATE
August.2021	Omer Martinez Montenegro	PERU	DIACONATE
August.2021	Roney Lima Santos	RIO DE JANEIRO	PRIESTHOOD
August.2021	Patrick da Silva Poli dos Santos	RIO DE JANEIRO	PRIESTHOOD
August.2021	Washington Pablo de O. Moura	RIO DE JANEIRO	PRIESTHOOD
August.2021	Wanderley Procópio Dos Santos	SÃO PAULO	DIACONATE
September.2021	Fransiskus Xavierius Sikteubun	INDONESIA	FINAL VOWS
September.2021	Richardo Bill Lira	INDONESIA	FINAL VOWS
September.2021	Janray (Godinez) Castañares	PHILIPPINES	PRIESTHOOD
October.2021	Chester Alberto Perez Roblero	CENTRAL AMERICA	PRIESTHOOD



Heartfelt congratulations to Giacomo Gilardi on the occasion of his Final Profession in Killinarden on the 8th of September 2021.

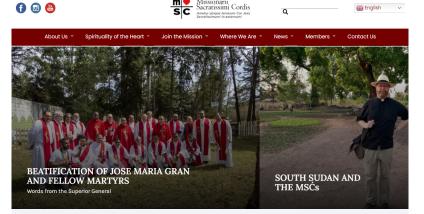
Thank you for your "yes", Giacomo, to the call of the Lord in your heart, and to this little Society of the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart and its mission. We are proud to count you as a brother among brothers and continue to hold you in our prayers for the next step of your journey.

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MSC deceased between June/2021 and October/2021

NAME	PROVINCE	DATE	WHERE HE DIED
Albert Simons	BELGIUM	12.06.2021	DUERNE
William Joseph Cunningham	AUSTRALIA	18.06.2021	Kensington
Paul Eusebius Mea Kaiuea	PACIFIC ISLANDS	24.06.2021	KIRIBATI
Tarsisius Leisubun	INDONESIA	30.06.2021	JAKARTA
Marcellus Rarun , No Obit, No CV	INDONESIA	06.07.2021	MANADO
Joseph Ruddy	IRELAND	18.07.2021	GALWAY
Bernard McGrane	AUSTRALIA	22.07.2021	Kensington
Józef Emiel Jan Caekelbergh	BELGIUM	23.07,2021	RUMST
Miguel José Vásquez Contreras	DOM. REPUBLIC	05.08.2021	SANTO DOMINGO
Luc Joseph Andre Lafleur Methot	DOM. REPUBLIC	07.08.2021	SANTO DOMINGO
Carmine Pace	ITALY	08.08.2021	FIRENZE
Cornelius Johannes (Kees) Böhm	INDONESIA	20.08.2021	AMBON
Walter Kelly Black	AUSTRALIA	20.08.2021	Glendalough
Yvon (Joannes) Germain	CANADA	01.09.2021	QUEBEC
Paul Oscar Nathalie De Decker	BELGIUM,	02.09.2021	RUMST
Jean-Paul John Paradis	CANADA/USA	06.09.2021	Bethlehem, PA,
Simon Pierre Louis Duverney	FRANCE	10.09.2021	ISSOUDUN
Yohanis Melki Toreh	INDONESIA	21.09.2021	JAKARTA
Alfred Louis Bour	FRANCE	23.09.2021	MONTLUCON
Clemente Alvarez Fernandez	C. AMÉRICA	28.09.2021	GUATEMALA
Jacques Girou x	CANADA	30.09.2021	QUEBEC
Ivan Androic	SOUTH GERMAN	29.09.2021	PAKRAC
Jean-Francois Filliez	FRANCE	04.10.2021	MARSEILLE
Salvador Joaquin Murillo Villar	SPAIN	10.10.2021	VALLADOLID

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During this novena, in December 1854, we promised the Blessed Virgin that if she heard our prayer, we would tak the title, Missionaries of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and that we would strive to carry out fully the beautiful and profound meaning of this title. (Jules Chevalier, 1862)

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After some years since our old website was discontinued, we are happy to inform you that a new **OFFICIAL MSC WEBSITE** is up and running and now with the facility of automatic translation into almost all the languages of our confreres and the countries where we are.

We know that Communications are an effective means of spreading our charism and spirituality through Good News and interconnectivity among the members of our Congregation.

Therefore, our new website is one more way to make this possible. But we are not stopping there. We will seek to improve the way we connect and share news and to that end, the next step will be the formation of an International Communications Commission to take charge of this important task.

We hope you enjoy this new platform and will share this news with your friends and relatives. Take advantage and access:

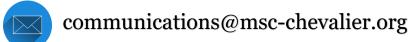
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The heart of Jesus is essentially merciful. The mercy of this divine Heart appears on every page of the Gospel"

Jules Chevalier, ('Meditations', Vol II, p. 61-62)

