

SMBulletin

Friday, 11 October 2019

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Fr Albert Kabala has been introduced to the work of the General Administration. The last weeks of the plenary session the General Council gave attention to several topics linked to the world wide mission of the Society, finance, laity, formation etc. Many of these will be discussed with the Major Superiors at ARC, which will start on Sunday.

MEETING OF THE GENERAL FINANCE COMMITTEE

The *General Finance Committee* of the Society is holding its annual meeting yesterday and today. Members of the committee, elected at the last *Council of the Society*, are Frs Tim Duckworth (Z), Setefano Mataele (O) and Martin McAnaney (EU). The committee has five tasks: (1) review annual financial report, (2) offer advice on budgets, (3) make recommendations on contributions from units, (4) give advice on foreseen financial projects, and (5) ensure solidarity within the Society. They will present their report to the Superior General and Council at the end of their meeting and the minutes will be distributed to the Major Superiors at ARC'19.



New Provincials



This week the two incoming provincials, Frs Yvan Mathieu of Canada and Timothy Duckworth of New Zealand, had meetings with the members of the General Council, to be introduced to their new role. Yvan has already started his mandate in January of this year, while Tim will take up his role in January 2020.

A NEW WEBSITE FOR THE US

The province of the United States of America launched this week their recrafted website. The address remains the same at www.societyofmaryusa.org, and we recommend that you have a look! With the new website the province hopes to *reflect the Marist call to be truly missionary to the cyber world*.

LET US PRAY THAT OUR DECEASED CONFRERES MAY REST IN PEACE

Fr Robert Champagne
United States of America
03.09.1922—03.09.2019

Fr Jacques Parent
Canada
17.07.1945—21.09.2019

Fr Jean Neyret
Europe (France)
26.09.1926—26.09.2019