



MISSION REPORT 2021

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Salvatorian Mission

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Dear Friend,

Thank you for supporting the Salvatorian missions in 2020. Your contribution has helped us to sustain more than 600 Salvatorians living and working in 13 different mission countries around the world. I would like to present you a pictorial report of the happenings from our different missions in 2020. The report is compiled in a very simple way with a lots of pictures of some significance. I sincerely thank all the mission superiors for providing the reports and request those mission units who did not present a report this year to provide a mission report in the coming year.

Thank you all

Joby Philip SDS
General Mission Secretary

East Asian Mission Vicariate PHILIPPINES



General Information

In the year 2020, Formation remained the primary focus of our mission in the Philippines. The initial formation takes place in four stages:

Stage no 1. English school in Loyola, Manila;

Stage no 2. Candidacy in Talon/Cavite province - philosophy study;

Stage no 3. Novitiate in Silang/Cavite province;

Stage no 4. Scholasticate in Manila - theology study.

English school in Loyola, Manila



SDS Language students in Loyola – Manila

- Until the end of May 2020 there were 13 language students coming from: The Philippines, Vietnam, East Timor, Indonesia and China .
- Since the beginning of September 2020, there are 17 candidates taking online English studies. Because of pandemic and travel restrictions they couldn't travel to the Philippines.
- At least we could provide for them online English classes.

Candidacy/philosophy study in Talon



Acceptance to the candidature, September 08, 2020-Talon



Philosophy students in Talon

- 28 candidates/postulants from different Asian countries

Novitiate



Novices – The Year 2019/2020

- (Year 2019-2020) 6 novices from: the Philippines, Vietnam, Indonesia and Romania



Novices – The Year 2020/2021

- (Year 2020-2021) 4 novices from: Vietnam, Sri Lanka and the Philippines

Scholasticate in Manila – Theology Study



Theology students in New Manila

22 temporary professed members in total

- 17 members
- 4 members studying in Tor de' Cenci (Rome)
- 1 member studying in Morogoro (Tanzania)

Deacons: 6

- 1 from the Philippines and 5 from Vietnam

Priest in Radice: 16

- 6 Vietnamese, 6 Chinese, 4 Filipinos

Renewal of the vows

RENEWAL OF THE VOWS

16 members renewed their vows in EAMV

Because of the pandemic and travel restrictions some of the theologians (regency year) were not able to come back to the Philippines by June 16, 2020. They renew their religious vows in our SDS communities outside the Philippines:

Cl. Cyrilus Eko in Madagascar

Cl. Geovanni Haresko in Kenya

Cl. Anthony Thai Viet Huyen in Australia



Renewal of vows, June 16, 2020, New Manila



Renewal of vows, Kenya



Renewal of vows, Madagascar



Renewal of vows, Australia

MAJOR STEPS

- Final profession: 3
- Diaconate ordination: 3
- Priestly ordination: 4

FINAL PROFESSION: 3



*Final profession,
New Manila*

DIACONATE ORDINATION: 3



Diaconate ordination, June 17, 2020, New Manila

PRIESTLY ORDINATION: 4

*Priestly ordination of
Fr. Joselito and Fr.
James, June 22, 2020,
General Trias, PH*



*Priestly ordination of
Fr. Paul Tran Van
Duong, April 04, 2020,
Gosford, Australia*

*Priestly ordination of
Fr. Ren Hao,
September 09, 2020,
Xiamen, China*





PROJECTS

- Construction of the new International Novitiate in Balubad, Silang, Cavite Province
- Construction of the roof in New Manila community house

The construction of the new International Novitiate House



- In 2019 the EAMV initiated the construction of the new International Novitiate in Balubad, Silang, Cavite Province.
- The construction continued during 2020 with some interruptions due to pandemic restrictions. 75% of the structure is completed. Thanks to the financial support from German & Austrian provinces
- We hope the last part (phases 6 and 7) of the project could be accomplished in the first part of the year 2021

The construction of the new International Novitiate House



Novitiate – view of the dormitories



Novitiate – view from inside - the chapel and dormitories





Construction of the roof in New Manila community house



- In 2020 we were able to accomplish the construction of the roof in New Manila community house.
- This project was possible to materialize because of the financial help of SOFIA, additional support from the Polish Salvatorians of the Canadian Region and other benefactors



Construction of the roof in New Manila community house



New Manila Theology house - roof construction



*New Manila-
community house*



PASTORAL & SOCIAL MINISTRIES OF THE EAMV IN 2020



GIFT DISTRIBUTION DURING
CHRISTMAS TIME, TALON-MINANTOK

- ***Due to the pandemic, all our pastoral activities were affected. We had to cancel practically all of them.***
- ***The youth apostolate in Talon has been suspended except the gift distribution during the Christmas Time***
- ***There was no Christmas Party organized by Puso sa Puso, no Medical Mission in Mindoro Island, etc.***
- ***The regular Sunday Masses in prisons were canceled. We could only participate in gift distribution, the activity organized by the Ursuline Sisters and Fr. Hermann, SDS***

PASTORAL AND SOCIAL MINISTRIES OF THE EAMV



Fr. Hermann, SDS together with Ursuline Sisters, Bulihan, Cavite



Fr. Hermann, SDS blessing the inmates from outside the prison, Trece Martires, Cavite

ERUPTION OF THE TAAL VOLCANO

January 2020 some provinces including Cavite where our philosophy house is located were affected by the eruption of the Taal Volcano. . Our community in Talon actively participated in helping people to deal with this calamity. Since our community house is equipped with a solar voltaic system, we were able to supply our water pumps and allowed people from our village to come and get drinking water. They were also coming every day to recharge their cellphones since the electricity was cut off practically in the entire province of Cavite for more than one week.

People from our village coming to get water and recharge their cellphones - Talon



Vietnam Mission



GENERAL INFORMATION

- Mission in Vietnam was established for more than 6 years.
- Right now, they have 3 priests
 - One serves as an assistance priest in Ben Cat parish.
 - One serves in HCM city as the formator of 4 candidates.
 - One serves as local coordination of Vietnam with 5 candidates together with 2 deacons.
- Another deacon serves in a parish
- In total we have 3 priests, 3 deacons and 9 candidates in Vietnam

Formation in Vietnam



The Salvatorian community with the bishop



5 students of first year formation in Vietnam



4 students of second year of formation in Vietnam

Major Mission Developments in 2020



Looking back, the year 2020 even with the pandemic, there were still some developments in Vietnam. 3 projects have been accomplished in 2020

- Firstly, a new building was built and was blessed by Bishop Joseph Nguyen Tan Tuoc – bishop of Phu Cuong Diocese on December 08 2020.
- Secondly, a new community is in HCM city which is rented. This house will serve for the Philosophy students who will study in Vietnam.
- Thirdly, an English center was established to teach kinds English in and around Ben Cat town.

The new building



- It is as an extension of the present community house in Ben Cat.
- The project was accomplished with the 60% contribution from Belgium province and 40% raised locally
- It was blessed by Bishop Joseph Nguyen Tan Tuoc on December 08 2020.
- On that day, Bishop Joseph also blessed the statue of Mother Mary of the Savior which is in front of the building.
- This new building will help us accommodate more candidates in the initial stage of formation.

The new building



Bishop Joseph Nguyen Tan Tuoc and concelebrants during the blessing



Blessing the statue of Mother Mary of the Savior on December 08 2020



The people at the inauguration

A New community in HCM City



- Salvatorians opened a new community in a rented house in Ho Chi Min City in 2020
- This house will serve for the Philosophy students who will study in Vietnam.

Tâm Trí Thành English School



Logo

Tâm – Heart; Trí – Knowledge; Thành – Success

- Salvadorians Established an English school in Ben Cat in a rented house
- The English center helps the children of the local area with learning English
- At present it serves about 70 children per month

Tâm Trí Thành English School



Some children of the English centre

Tâm Trí Thành English School



A class room at the English Center



Reception area – English Center

MINISTRIES



- Organized a charitable Christmas party for the poor children
- Visiting the orphanage and disable children in HCM city.
- Help with catechism classes & involved in the activities of the parish

Christmas party for poor children



The children gathered for the christmas party

- December 27 2020, we organised a charity Christmas party for the poor children.
- There were around 100 children participated together with their parent
- To make that event happen, there were benefactors who silently donated financial support towards the event

Christmas party for poor children



The children enjoying the christmas meal



The Volunteers

Visiting Orphanage



Helping with catechism & Parish Activities



SDS candidates performing at the Parish – Christmas Eve, 2020

Catechism class



Kenyan Mission



GENERAL INFORMATION

- Founded: 8th Dec, 2015
- The mission is currently served by 4 fathers and a brother
- The members are from Tanzanian Mission province and Congo Missionary Pro Province.
- Covid-19 affected the operations of the mission.
- The places of worship were closed for a period of four months.
- Schools were also closed for a period of nine months. However, the schools were eventually opened with strict protocols.
- It was impossible to attend to any apostolate other than staying indoors in order to consider our safety and that of others.

APOSTOLATES



PARISH

Salvatorians in Kenya manages a big parish with about 12 out stations.

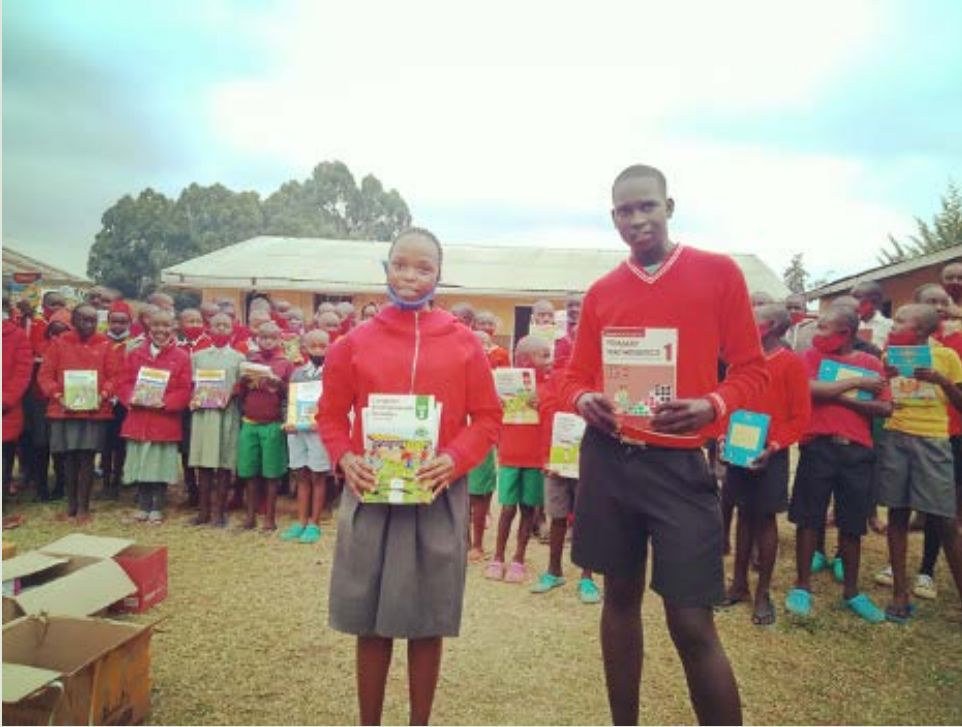
SCHOOL



- The Salvatorians established the school in 2017 to engage in educational apostolate apart from their pastoral ministry
- At the moment, the school has 203 pupils

SCHOOL

Recently the school was able to purchase text books and computers for the students from the donation received through SOFIA



Some of the pupils at the Mater Salvatoris Academy expressing their joy after receiving textbooks.



Children engaged in computer learning which was installed through the help of donors in 2020

CONSTRUCTION OF THE SECONDARY SCHOOL

- Salvatoirans are constructing a new secondary school in Eldoret with the grant support obtained through SOFIA
- The new secondary school will start admitting students from September 2021.



Ongoing construction of the Mater Salvatoris Secondary school



CONSTRUCTION OF BOYS' DORMITORY

The School is building a dormitory for the boys with the supports of external donors to accommodate children who would come from far away places. A girl's hostel already exists



Ongoing construction of the boys' dormitory at the Mater Salvatoris Academy



VOCATION PROMOTION AND FORMATION

- In 2020, we engaged in vocation promotion jointly with the Salvatorian sisters in the nearby diocese
- we managed to send two candidates to Tanzanian Mission Pro-Province for formation.



Cl. Giovanni and Bro Denis talking to the young students during one of the Vocation promotions meetings in 2020

FORMATION

- Kenyan mission currently has 2 candidates and 2 Novices
- One of its member made his first profession in on Dec 8th 2020 and another candidate is pursuing Philosophy at JUCo



The newly professed member and other formandis of Kenyan mission

MADAGASCAR MISSION



**The Salvatorian
community in
Madagascar**

About the complexity of Malagasy society,

- It has a society rich cultural and religious values but also with full contradictions
- it is a society without middle classes. There are very rich and very poor.
- The dimension of the sacred is experienced in many ethnic groups. However, the situation is then aggravated by religious ignorance and superstition.
- Despite the difficult economic situation, the Malagasy people live with a happy face.
- It is since 2018 that we have been established in Madagascar in the capital Antananarivo.

ACTIVITIES OF THE MISSION

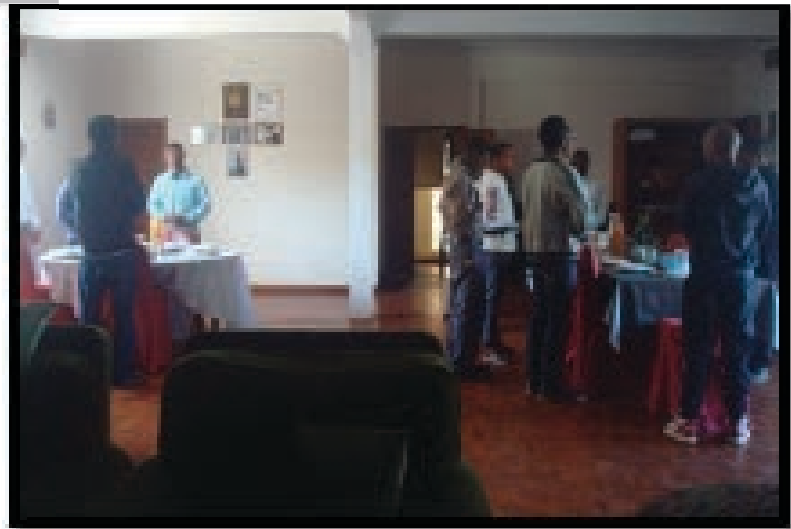


Activities

- The priority of the mission is vocational animation through conferences in parishes, schools but also individual contacts with young people, then recruitment and formation.
- Knowing the Family: this is field work. We visit the family of each candidate. No candidate can be admitted without making a visit to his family
- The young person who wants to come to us must aspire at least a year being at home . At the end of the year, we organize a week-long vocational camp for candidates . This vocational camp is also a moment of discernment and selection of candidates.
- We have the impression that the young people who come from paganism (pagan family in the true sense of the word), baptized in adulthood are more serious in the commitment than those who are already Christians since childhood.

PROCESS OF ADMISSION TO FORMATION

Entrance test



Meals after the test



Acceptance ceremony

TRAINING OF OUR YOUNG PEOPLE

The formandis undergo four years of formation in Madagascar

- one year of foundation
- three years of postulancy while doing philosophy



The first year students of formation



The sisters of Divine Providence join our formandis for some lessons

PHILOSOPHY FORMATION

- All study at the Philosophat Saint Paul U-Magis Tsaramasoanadro. we have
- 5 students in the 1st year of philosophy;
- 3 students in the 2nd year of philosophy;



The first year philosophy students



The second year Philosophy students

PASTORAL ACTIVITIES

There are no fixed pastoral activities. Nevertheless, they are asked from time to time to celebrate eucharist in the parish, for giving recollections in religious communities and also for prayers with the sick.



Salvatorian brothers engaged in youth ministry



OTHER ACTIVITIES



December 8th, 2020
celebration with the
Sisters of Divine
Providence and the
teachers

Christmas sketch:
Claude plays "Bishop"
with "deacon" Torrain



Christmas celebration
in the community

Sports and Games



OTHER ACTIVITIES

Candidates engaged in studies



COVID-19

This is how the Malagasy population is treated with this traditional-modern remedy and also with other traditional plants: Voaroy, eucalyptus leaves. We take care of ourselves regularly with traditional plants boiled at 1000, we drink morning noon and evening to boost our immunity





PERU MISSION

MEMBERS OF THE MISSION



P. Francisco Javier Navas from Venezuela (superior)



P. Fernando Sartori from Brasil (Treasurer)



Edgar Orozco from Colombia. He is currently in his Province and is waiting to return to the mission.

Activities

The members engaged in refurbishing the community house



Activities

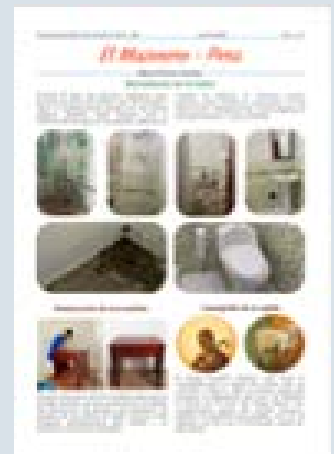


A Icon donated to their community chapel in
2020

Participation in the
Conference of Religious



The News letter of Peru Mission



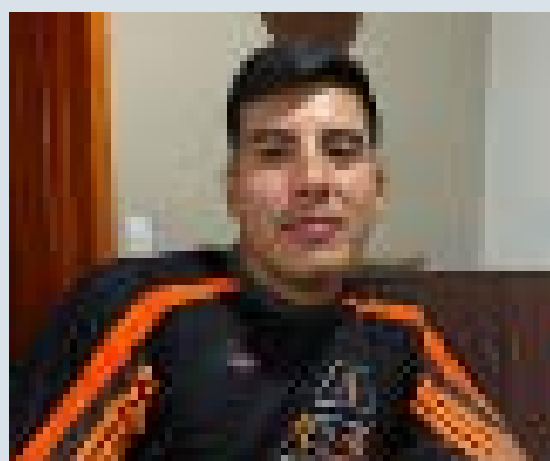
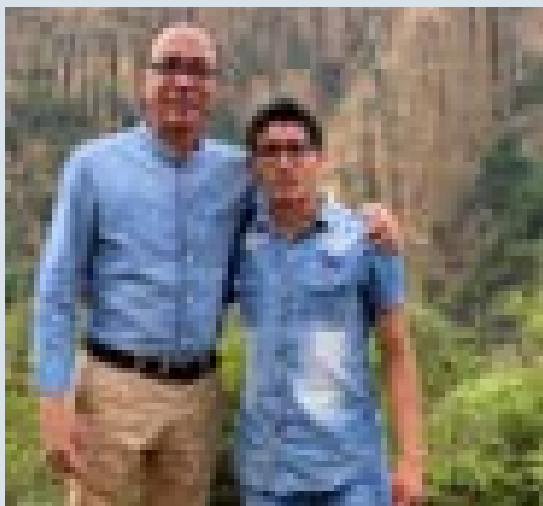
Vocatin promotion

Due to the pandemic, the accompaniment of the formandis was carried out through social networks; out of the 4 initially joined us, 3 have decided to enter our formation process.

P. Francisco Javier Navas is incarge of vocation promotion and formation



They have prepared a Vocation Training Plan, which was approved by the Generalate



Admission of the candidates

Parish Apostolate - Immaculate Conception Parish



The Parish Assembly was held with the participation of catechists and community leaders.

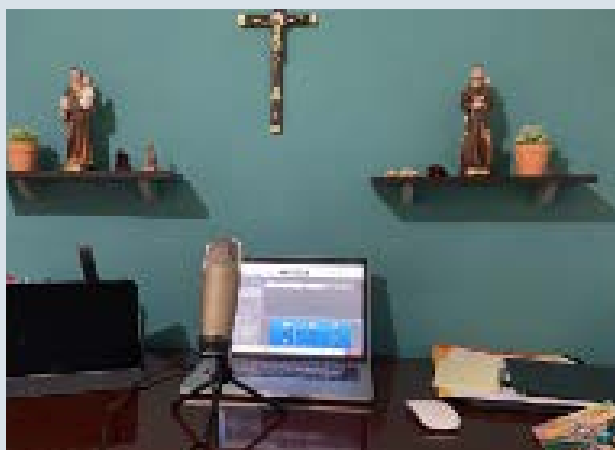
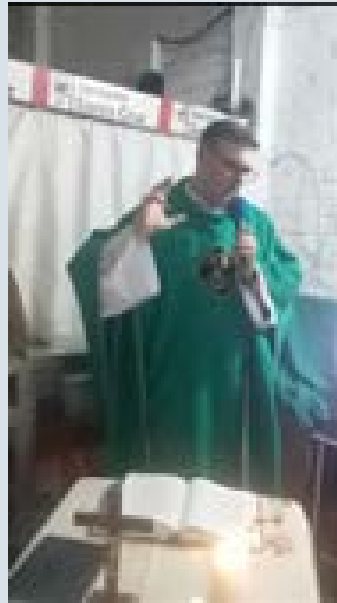


Normal activities of the parish



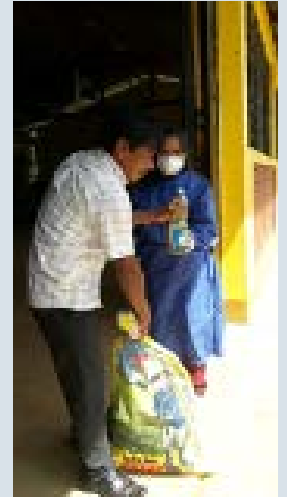
Parish Apostolate - Immaculate Conception Parish

During Covid-19, Sacramental life of the church as not missed due to virtual celebrations. We celebrated virtual Masses for the intentions of the deceased and others



Covid-19 Relief Action

Donation for families suffering with COVID-19 - donating 1,400 kg of food and medicine to the native (indigenous) communities of our parish.



Pastoral activities were suspended from March 16, 2020 to November 15, 2020 due to the pandemic. Currently it is again suspended

MATER SALVATORIS SCHOOLASTICATE MOROGORO- TANZANIA



23 THEOLOGY STUDENTS

First Year- 2
Second Year-6
Third Year -8
Fourth Year- 7

7 PHILOSOPHY STUDENTS

First Year-5
Second Year-1
Third Year -1

OTHER STUDIES-3

FORMATORS- 3

FINAL RELIGIOUS PROFESSION



**3 FROM CONGO
PROFESSED FINAL VOWS
ON 29 SEP 2020**

Following the tradition of the Salvatorian Community in Congo, on Tuesday, 29th September 2020, at the International Formation House Mater Salvatoris Scholasticate, Morogoro, 3 confreres from Congo made their final religious vows.



**2 confreres from india &
7 from Tanzania
professed final vows on 1
January 2020 at Mater
Salvatoris Chapel
,Morogoro.**

**9 SCHOLASTICS
PROFESSED FINAL
VOWS ON 1 JAN 2020**



DIOCONATE ORDINATIONS



**8 WERE ORDINED
DIACONS**

Most Rev. Telesphor Richard Mkude, Bishop of Morogoro Diocese ordained 3 scholastics from Congo, 2 from India and 3 from Tanzanian pro-province to the order of diaconate On 21 November 2020

THE MINISTRIES OF LECTOR & ACOLYTE



*9 Scholastics of second year theology receive Ministry of Acolyte
6 Scholastics of first year theology receive Ministry of Lector*

DIFFERENT PROJECTS OF THE COMMUNITY



Frt. Geminus Balthazar, SDS tends two cows of the community

Scholasticate Community has 4 types of small income generating projects

- 1.milking cow project with 2 cows
- 2.Chicken farm wth about 100 chicken
- 3.Small scale piggery project.
- 4.Vegitable garden



Community poultry: chickens together with white and coloured guinea fowls.



Fr. Deogratias with Fr. Evodius Mbenna, working at the community's small scale piggery project.



Lenten charitable activity, March 2020



As usual, with the spirit of Lenten Season that is fasting, prayer and alms-giving, we planned to reach out to those who are in need. And in 2020, we decided to make our program at the Mgolole Orphanage Center.

“ impacts of the Covid – 19 on the Community

- The Tanzanian Government closed temporarily all schools and universities for almost 3 months, thus Jordan University College was not exceptional. Due to which, some of the first semester examinations were postponed, and all the other activities were eventually suspended
- Five confreres from the Tanzania Mission Pro-Province who were supposed to go to Congo for philosophical studies, and some confreres from Congo Mission Pro-Province supposed to come to Tanzania for theology studies could they not travel

- Life in the country has become difficult. The price of goods has abruptly changed and became expensive than before.
- The community introduced two Masses on Sundays, one for the community and the second for those people who used to join us for the holy eucharist.



MEXICAN MISSION



P. Jakub (Santiago) Trzopek SDS – Superior & Formator from Polish Province



P. Mario José Pulido SDS- Parish Priest from Venezuela vicariate



Br. Salvador Peñaloza Hernández SDS, Mexican belongs to Polish Province

Formation

- Mexican mission has the philosophical formation house for the candidates from Mexico, Guatemala and Peru
- Currently they have 4 students at the international study house



Daniel Navarrete León, Mexico



Miguel Escobar Cámara, Mexico



Tito Morales Tomas, Guatemala



Carlos Stiventh López, Guatemala

Life in Mater Salvatoris Formation House



Arrival of the seminarians



Sports and games



With the local ordinary



COMMUNITY LIFE



Visiting Guatemala Mission



SDS's 139-year anniversary



feast of guadalupe



chaplaincy

Purchase of Mater Salvatoris Formation House, Cuernavaca

With the Financial support of the Generalate and the west European provinces, a house was purchased for the philosophy formation in Cuernavaca, Mexico in 2020



The house



The garden

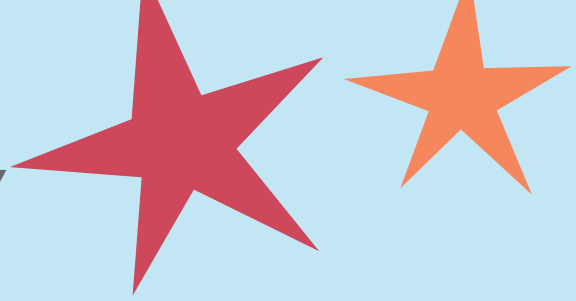


The parlour



The chapel

PARISH MINISTRY



The parish ministry



One of the many
sub-stations under
the parish



Catechism



Different groups in the parish

Covid – 19 reality – since April 2020

The reality of coronavirus has changed our life. However, we have always sought a way to proclaim the Divine Savior through new forms of evangelization



Sanitising parish compus



Online Mass



Eucharistic celebration with covid protocol



Service during Covid – 19

Given the situation of the closure of the churches due to coronavirus, several actions have been organized to feed the faith of the faithful of our parish and community. Among them the Eucharists with the sanitary measures and tours with the Sacramented Jesus through the streets of the parish



Eucharistic blessing



People kneeling for blessing



Children are blessed



Salvatorians are part of a diocesan Covid task force

During the coronavirus pandemic as the Salvatorian community we have responded to the needs of the faithful by forming part of the "Centurion" team - a group of priests who visit hospitals with Covid-19 patients as well as who give training in parishes such as protect oneself from coronavirus.



Service during Covid – 19

One of the significant actions carried out during the covid-19 pandemic was “SOS for Xoxocotla - share bread with the hungry” financed by the SALVATOR Missionary donations as well as individual benefactors that allowed feeding around 300 families in extreme poverty for more than 2 months



GUATEMALA MISSION

*Guatemala mission with
member of Mexican mission*



For those of us who live in the house in San Sebastián (Mari Angeles and Santi), the year 2020 began with total normality and even with promising prospects.

Father Lorenzo Garijo SDS assumed the coordination of the 10 communities that we minister pastorally and the activities continued: formation of new ministers, confirmations, patron saint festivities, formation of choirs, Parish Pastoral Council ..., I.G.E.R. (Guatemalan Institute of Radio Education), ... At the Diocesan Formation Center, coordinated by Fr. Santiago Pérex sds, the number of enrolled in the first level, both on the coast as in the highlands and valley, it increased considerably after a few years of decline.

At the diocesan and regional level, everything was beginning to get underway: meetings of clergy and clergy formation, Diocesan Commissions, meetings of the pastoral region of the Valley, Diocesan Pastoral Council, CONFREM (Confederation of Religious Marquenses), program of TV in San Pedro Sacatepéquez, Eucharists for the Diocesan House when required...

As a Salvatorian community we had our meetings in the two houses (San Pablo and San Sebastián). And in February we received a visit from the San Juan Bautista parish, USA , with whom we are twinned.

LIFE BEFORE
COVID-19

LIFE DURING COVID-19

All of this changed radically on March 16, when the government issued measures and restrictions to contain the COVID-19 pandemic. San Marcos has been one of the departments with the highest number of people infected by the pandemic, That means we can hardly do anything that exceeds a concentration of more than 10 people;

the San Sebastián market was closed on Wednesdays; at the diocesan level, the traditional Gerardi march, the celebration of the Chrism Mass (it was celebrated some time later and with limited clergy attendance) and Holy Week were suspended; suspension of Eucharists and sacraments, meetings of all kinds of formation ... We were requested by the Diocesan Training Center to care for mild COVID-19 patients, some works were started, meetings were held with authorities in the region (health, security ...)

We had to get used to managing social networks (ZOOM, MEET) for meetings of all kinds: diocesan, spiritual exercises, meetings with the laity sds, a storyteller in solidarity with Silvia Sáenz to raise funds to help families of San Pablo in the feeding during the pandemic; In April we began broadcasting the Sunday Eucharist on the San Sebastián cable and the Serchil cable, and on Facebook. But not all the faithful have access to these technologies.

We have suffered the loss of close people (parish ministers, family members of sds laity), especially Fr. Lorenzo Garijo sds, who died of heart failure. However, the Covid has not affected us. We have also been able to verify the concern of our people, who have continued to visit us and worry about us, bringing us food or money to get food. For our part, with due concerns, we have participated in birthdays, the inauguration of a new water tank in the community of Los Cerezos, in a march from San Marcos Park to San Pedro Park in protest of the opaque approval, which affects the rights and life of the people



THE NEW NORMAL

... Little by little we have been recovering, although not yet fully, the parish activities with some sacraments, meetings of the Parish Pastoral Council ... The Eucharists continue to be broadcast by TV and Facebook, and posadas (Christmas tradition of preparation for Christmas), had to be recorded and later broadcast. Saint Paul, the formation center outward and the house of formation inward (candidates). Emilio and Rodolfo Llives in that community, plus the young candidates, usually two.



We have not suspend our activities, despite the pandemic, the activity of the projects (Emilio), as it would mean leaving the team of 5 bricklayers without work and leaving the many needs of the people unanswered. We have also continued with individual care (scholarships, health, personal accompaniment), and the training of candidates. What has suffered the most have been the group pastoral activities and the activity of the Training Center.

Special mention should be made of the corn and beans campaign, through WhatsApp, with which we fed, together with the parish, about 1000 families during the hard time of the pandemic for 5 months. Everyone's collaboration was amazing.

With health, we both are a little complaining (spine and sciatica), but without much importance. We have both been infected with Covid, but fortunately without symptoms.

I conclude with a photo of the visit of the Mexican brothers and the two Guatemalans in Philosophy (Cuernavaca / Mexico), a preview and scoop of the promised future Vicariate of Central America.

INDIAN MISSION VICARIATE



APOSTOLATES

Formation Houses

1. Rakshaka Sadan, Bangalore (Aspirancy , 1-year)
2. Jordan minor seminary, Tokobary- Assam (Aspirancy , 2 &3 year)
3. Divine Saviour Community, Ranchi (Aspirancy , 2 &3 year)
4. St. Joseph Minor seminary (Pre-philosophy, 4th year)
5. Jordan Philosophy Study House, Warangal (Philosophy, 5,6,7 year)
6. Otto Hopfenmuller Study House, Shillong (Theology, 10,11,12,13 year)

Schools

1. Christ Jyothi School, Nagaon
2. Christ Jyothi School, Dhing
3. Divine Saviour School, Laitkynsew
4. Divine Saviour School, Ranchi

Parishes

1. Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Laitkynsew
2. Divine Saviour Parish, Ranchi
3. Our Lady of Assumption Parish, Nongbah

FORMATION HOUSES



Fr. Noble, the formator
with the formandis,
Tokobary

JORDAN MINOR SEMINARY, TOKOBARY- ASSAM

(ASPIRANCY PROGRAM -YEAR 2&3)

Jordan minor seminary, Tokobary- Nagaon, Assam consists of 20 students and 2 fathers.



Picture from the Community Picnic

COMMUNITY LIFE

JORDAN MINOR SEMINARY, TOKOBARY- ASSAM



Newly refurbished toilets of the study house



Salvatorian candidates with their new Bicycles which help to reach their school which is 3 Kilometres away



Celebration of indian festival of Lights (Diwali)



Archbishop of Guwahati visits the community

FORMATION HOUSES

DIVINE SAVIOUR COMMUNITY, RANCHI

(ASPIRANCY PROGRAM -YEAR 2&3)



The community of Ranchi

**DIVINE SAVIOUR
COMMUNITY
CONSISTS OF 4
PRIESTS AND 9
STUDENTS.**

The community is involved in three different ministries namely;

- Pastoral (Divine Saviour Church),
- Education (Divine Saviour School for kids)
- Initial Formation (Divine Saviour Formation House).

FORMATION HOUSES

ST. JOSEPH MINOR SEMINARY (PRE-PHILOSOPHY- 4TH YEAR)



The community of Chullikara

**THERE ARE 13
STUDENTS AND 2
FORMATORS AT ST.
JOSEPH MINOR
SEMINARY**

THE SCOPE

This stage of formation prepares candidates for philosophical studies



The Students engaged in various activities

ST. JOSEPH MINOR SEMINARY

COMMUNITY LIFE



**FARMING AND
MANUAL WORK ARE
INTEGRAL TO THIS
STAGE OF
FORMATION**



SPORTS & ENTERTAINMENT



To help the young people focused

ST. JOSEPH MINOR SEMINARY

COMMUNITY LIFE



SERVICE

the young students are send to serve at the homes for abandoned, mentally or physically challenged etc; during this stage of formation



Community picnic



Celebrating cultural feasts

FORMATION HOUSES

JORDAN STUDY HOUSE, WARANGAL

PHILOSOPHY STUDIES



THERE ARE 20 STUDENTS
AND 2 FORMATORS



STUDENTS ATTENDING A
SEMINAR ON "HUMAN
FORMATION."





**DUE TO COVID, THE
STUDENTS HAS TO ATTEND
ONLINE CLASSES**



FORMATION HOUSES

OTTO HOPFENMULLER THEOLOGY STUDY HOUSE, SHILLONG



1st year Theology Students

Cl. Meshelmon Suja

Cl. Jeberius Tirkey

Cl. Karnelius Murmu

2st year Theology Students

Cl. Niju Josey



3rd year Theology Students

Cl. Aviral Kumar Minj

Cl. Johnson Bhengra

Cl. Pradeep Sigeon



PARISH MINISTRY

Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Laitkynsew



FR.AROCKIA SAMY SDS, PARISH PRIEST, FR.AMBROSE LAMIN SDS, ASSISTANT PARISH PRIEST,



PARISH PRIEST WITH CATECHIST & SISTERS



THE PARISH ESTABLISHED BY THE GERMAN SALVATORIANS IN 1897

At present it contains 36 Villages with 1760 Catholic Families, a population of 6570 Catholics, 78 Catechumens, 4 Catechists, 11 Pre-Primary Schools, 3 Upper Primary Schools and 5 Sub-districts.

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New Projects



BLESSING OF NEWLY CONSTRUCTED TEACHERS QUARTERS AND THE CANTEEN

Laitkynsew being a small village, the teachers quarters is a great support to the school because it helps to accommodate qualified teachers from far away places

BLESSING NEWLY CONSTRUCTED ICHAMATI SCHOOL ON FEB 2020



Ichamati is one of the villages that falls under the parish Laitkynsew. There are around 25 catholic families. The newly built small primary mission school has 60 students.

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Covid-19 Relief Action



Since 15th of March 2020, the Indian Government had announced lock down in our country in order to stop the spread of the virus. Another thing that added the suffering for the poor people in this area is the closing down of the Lime Quarry that was the source of livelihood for the many of the families at the border area. Many of the families suffered without the food during lock down due to the corona virus spread. We tried our best to reach out the poor people with the help of the donors locally and internationally.

THE PARISH GAVE AWAY 4350 KG RICE & 580 KG PULSES BENEFITING 290 FAMILIES



The parish formed a helpline center to help people who are in need during lock down and pandemic time. They requested people who are able and willing to donate food items such as rice, cooking oil, pulses, salt, sugar etc to help those in need. The parish got very good response from many people



Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Laitkynsew

Other events



15 NOVEMBER 2020, WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

The parish celebrated the holy Eucharist in which we prayed for the poor people and also we had chosen some of the poor families in our parish and we have distributed some food materials to the needy families. We also encouraged our faithful to help the poor in whatever way possible on this day in every village.



After eight months of lockdown, the government give the permission to re-open the churches with the covid protocols & hygienic measures. The church was re-opened to the public on 11 October 2020



Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Laitkynsew

Social Service



TAILORING AND EMBROIDERY

Apart from the pastoral activities, since in the year 2015 we are also engaged in the other activities, like social, educational and skill developing programs for the local people in order to help them to improving the quality of life.

CANDLE MAKING



We have trained 20 people in tailoring and Embroidery as well as candle making



PARISH MINISTRY

*Our Lady of Assumption Parish,
Nongbah*



**THE PARISH WAAS ESTABLISHED BY THE GERMAN
SALVATORIANS IN 1907**

Nongbah is also having a historical relevance to the Salvatorians as this mission station was originally initiated by Salvatorians by Frs. Bonifacius and Benedict in 1907

Our Lady of Assumption Parish, Nongbah



The parish also donated food grains to poor people during Covid lockdown

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION AFTER THE LOCKDOWN



VENEZUELA VICARIATE



SDS VENEZUELA

FORMATION IN 2020

- 3 pre-novices
- 2 novices
- 10 Candidates
- 5 Theology students

FORMATION



10 candidates in 2020



2 professed first vows

4 theology students in Brazil



3 entered noviciate in 2021 with 2 first professed in Colombia, 2020



SOCIAL SERVICE



La Constancia Parish School (headquarters of Encounter with Art-Caracas) received the visit of the Ambassador of France Romain Nadal, who was kind enough to share his morning with us and the entire family of the school. He, along with his delegation, learned a part of the work that Salvatorians do in Catia (Colleges, projects, programs).

VISIT OF THE AMBASSADOR.....



CENTRO DE SALUD PADRE JORDÁN



It is an institution founded in 1997 by the Salvatorian and located in the Nuevo Horizonte sector, Catia. Its objective is to provide health care services in the areas of general medicine, dentistry, gynecology, bioanalysis, X-rays, among others; in addition to promoting social service, organizing recreational and food activities for the elderly who reside in the sector,

THEY ARE IN THE FOR-FONT TO PROVIDE MEDICAL SUPPORT DURING COVID-19



CONCLUSION

A big thanks to all the mission procurators, provincials and the donors for supporting our missions in 2020.

Following are the major capital investments in the missions for the Society in 2020

1. Construction of the new International Novitiate House, Manila



We thank the German & Austrian provinces and the Generalate for the financial support



2. Construction of the Formation House, Vietnam



We thank, the Belgian province and the Local donors for the financial support

3. Purchase of Philosophy Study House, Mexico



We thank, Spanish, Belgian & Austrain provinces and the Generalate for the financial support



4. Construciton of Secondary School, Kenya



We thank, one of our private donors for the financial support



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