



SM bulletin

Friday, 7 June 2019

General Administration

Frs John Larsen and Juan Carlos Piña are in Mexico for the visitation of the Province.

ELECTION OF NEW ZEALAND PROVINCIAL

Fr Tim Duckworth has been elected as the next provincial of New Zealand. Currently he is the vicar provincial and provincial bursar, and he has also a vast experience in Education and Facilitation & Planning Consultancy. The current provincial, Fr David Kennerley has served two terms and will be succeeded by Tim in January 2020.



SPIRIT IN THE CITY OF LONDON



Last week "Spirit in the City", the annual evangelisation festival of the Marist parish of Notre Dame de France took place in the centre of London. The first festival took place in 2006 in the West End, and was organised by four parishes. The idea was to organise a faith festival, with elements of prayer, faith formation

and evangelisation, in a dynamic, joyful and festive atmosphere and at the same time offering space for reflection and prayer in the complex city life. Gradually since 2010, and formally since 2015, the festival has been run from and supported by our Marist parish of Notre Dame de France.

WORKSHOP ON MISSION FUNDING IN DAVAO

On 30 - 31 May a financial workshop on Mission Fund/Grant was held at the Marist district house in Davao City, Philippines. It was participated by Marist Fathers, RNDM Sisters, a Marist Sister, a Trinitarian Sister and a lay man.



The workshop was facilitated by Br. Allen Sherry, fms from Australia. For all the participants it was helpful and insightful as Br. Allen shared his knowledge, expertise and experiences in fund raising for mission projects.

DECEASED CONFRERES

We pray for

Fr Louis Blanc, aged 93, of the Province of Europe (France), who died on 15 May, and Fr Christopher Austin, aged 82, of the Province of Australia, who died on 20 May, May they rest in peace.