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FINANCIAL LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

The General House is hosting this week the Society's *Financial Leadership Workshop*. The workshop began on Monday with a day of spiritual reflection led by the Superior General. Fr John Larsen used the first two chapters of *Economy at the Service of the Charism and Mission*, a publication of the Holy See's Congregation for Religious. The last two chapters of this booklet guides the workshop in the many practical aspects of financial governance for the remainder of the week. Fourteen lay and religious Marists have come together for this workshop which ends on Saturday with a vigil Mass. Participants welcomed the opportunity to meet each other, and to share and learn so much from the experience.



From left to right: Ben Mckenna, Samuel Ledesma Corral, Phil Isacco, John Larsen, Lawrence Cakau, Daniel Rojo Sagura, Kevin Medilo, Gil Casio, Aisake Vaisima, John Harhager, Martin Simna, Constant Ephrem Amoussouga, Jimmy McElroy, Larry Duffy, Renivaldo Rodrigues de Souza, Bertrand la Clavière, Pat Brophy, Romain Trépanier, Andrew Biddle

Think Tank on Vocations Promotion

Recently a second zoom meeting on Vocation promotion has taken place at the General House with confreres from different parts of the Marist world and two deacons from Casa di Maria. The Superior General has asked Fr. Juan Carlos Piña to lead a "think tank group" to discuss on vocations. Its members are: Frs Juan Carlos Piña, David Sánchez, Lauro Ferreira, Daniel Fernández and Tim Costello, and Deacons Samuela Tukidia and Guy Roger Assogoma. More specific: its tasks are to analyze the reality of vocations in the worldwide Society; a theological reflection on vocations; developing programs; sharing vocational skills throughout the Society.

So far, the group has focused especially on the collection of vocations promotion material that has been produced in the local units during the past years, to update it and to share it. Another main item has been the need to continue to reflect on our own Marist vocation as brothers and priests.

