



MARIST PROVINCE OF WEST AFRICA

RELIGIOUS CALENDAR SEPTEMBER 2025

Pope's Intention: For our Relationship with all of Creation.

Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.

1st SEPTEMBER, MONDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME.	
OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	1Thes.4:13-18. Do not grieve about those who have died in Jesus. Lk 4:16-30. This text is being fulfilled today, even as you listen.
Anniversaries	In 1937, First Marist foundation in Zimbabwe In 1965, Departure of the first Brothers for Cameroon.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> “Life consecrated through profession of the evangelical counsels is a stable form of living, in which the faithful follow Christ more closely under the action of the Holy Spirit, and are totally dedicated to God, who is supremely loved. By a new and special title, they are dedicated to seek the perfection of charity in the service of God’s Kingdom, for the honor of God, the building up of the Church and the salvation of the world. They are a splendid sign in the Church, as they foretell the heavenly glory” <i>Canon 573 §1.</i>
Reminder	Last day for Brothers to report to their New Communities (Budgeting & drafting of CLPs)
Intentions	For more vocations to the consecrated life. For the Marist mission in Zimbabwe and Cameroon.

2nd SEPTEMBER TUESDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	1Thes.5:1-6, 9-11. Keep strengthening one another. Lk 4:31-37. ‘I know who you are: the Holy One of God’.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Christ’s faithful freely assume this manner of life in institutes of consecrated life which are canonically established by the competent ecclesiastical authority. By vows or by other sacred bonds, in accordance with the laws of their own institutes, they profess the evangelical counsels of chastity, poverty and obedience. Because of the charity to which these counsels lead, they are linked in a special way to the Church and its mystery. <i>Canon 573 §2.</i>
Intention	For the grace to remain faithful to our religious vows.



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	For the young brothers in our various communities
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3rd SEPTEMBER, WEDNESDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME OFFICE: Psalter week II Memorial of St. Saint Gregory the Great, Pope, Doctor. VESTMENT: WHITE	
Liturgy	Colossians 1:1-8: The message of the truth has reached you and is spreading all over the world. Lk 4:38-44: He would not allow them to speak because they knew he was the Christ.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The state of persons who profess the evangelical counsels in these institutes belongs to the life and holiness of the Church. It is therefore to be fostered and promoted by everyone in the Church. <i>Canon 574 §1</i>
Reminder	Provincial Meeting with All the Commissions and Teams together
Intentions	For the grace of perseverance in Religious Life. For all farmers and those who till the land

4th SEPTEMBER, THURSDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Col 1:9-14: God has taken us out of the power of darkness. Lk 5:1-11: They left everything and followed him.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Some of Christ's faithful are specially called by God to this state, so that they may benefit from a special gift in the life of the Church and contribute to its saving mission according to the purpose and spirit of each institute. <i>Canon 574 §2</i>
Anniversary	In 1908, the first Marist foundation in Peru, South America.
Birthday	Birthday of Br. Kfeban Divine Sebe'eh from Cameroon.
Intentions	For brother Divine, his personal intention, vocation, and family members as he celebrates his birthday. For the Marist mission in Peru, South America

5th SEPTEMBER, FRIDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Col 1:15-20: All things were created through Christ and for Christ.



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	Lk 5:33-39: When the bridegroom is taken from them, then they will fast
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The evangelical counsels, based on the teaching and example of Christ the Master, are a divine gift which the Church received from the Lord and which by His grace it preserves always. <i>Canon 575</i>
Birthday	Br. Paul Adu Latiff from Ghana.
Intentions	For Br. Paul, his vocation, mission, and personal intentions. For the community of Ashalaja.

6th SEPTEMBER, SATURDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Col 1:21-23: God has reconciled you by Christ's death in his mortal Body Lk 6:1-5: The Son of Man is Master of the Sabbath.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> It is the prerogative of the competent authority in the Church to interpret the evangelical counsels, to legislate for their practice and, by canonical approval, to constitute the stable forms of living which arise from them. The same authority has the responsibility to do what is in its power to ensure that institutes grow and flourish according to the spirit of their founders and to their sound traditions. <i>Canon 576</i>
Intentions	For Christians suffering from persecution. For all our former students

7th SEPTEMBER 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week III VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Wis 9:13-18: Who can divine the will of God? Phi. 9-10, 12-17: He is a slave no longer, but a dear brother in the Lord. Lk. 14:25-33: Anyone who does not carry his cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.
Reminder	Perpetual Profession of Vows of Brother Kra Benjamin Florentin
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> In the Church there are many institutes of consecrated life, with gifts that differ according to the graces given them: they more closely follow Christ praying, or Christ proclaiming the Kingdom of God, or Christ



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	doing good to people, or Christ in dialogue with the people of this world, but always Christ doing the will of the Father. <i>Canon 577</i>
Anniversaries	In 1895, first Marist foundation in Syria. In 1888, beginning of the Marist mission in Fiji.
Intentions	For the grace to be true servants of God For the Marist missions in Syria and Fiji.

8th SEPTEMBER 2025, MONDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. The Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary - FEAST OFFICE: Psalter week III VESTMENT: WHITE	
Liturgy	Mic 5:1-4: He will stand and feed his flock with the power of the Lord. Mt. 1:1-16, 18-23: The ancestry and conception of Jesus Christ.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The evangelical counsel of chastity embraced for the sake of the Kingdom of heaven, is a sign of the world to come, and a source of greater fruitfulness in an undivided heart. It involves the obligation of perfect continence observed in celibacy. <i>Canon 599</i>
Anniversaries	In, 1823, foundation of the Institute of the Marist Sisters by Jeanne-Marie Chavoin. In 1969, arrival of the first two Brothers to Bouake, Ivory Coast. In 2002, new departure of 3 Brothers for Algeria after the tragic event of 1994.
Reminder	Beginning of the XXIII General Chapter – Manila, Philippines (8 th September - 25 th October)
Intentions	For a success of the XXIII General Chapter. For the Marist mission in Bouake, for the brothers working there. For more vocation to the Marist Sisters

9th SEPTEMBER 2025, TUESDAY OF THE 23RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week III St. Peter Claver. VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Col 2:6-15: The Lord has brought you to life with him. Lk. 6:12-19: Jesus chooses his twelve apostles.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The evangelical counsel of poverty in imitation of Christ who for our sake was made poor when he was rich, entails a life which is poor in



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	reality and in spirit, sober and industrious, and a stranger to earthly riches. It also involves dependence and limitation in the use and the disposition of goods, in accordance with each institute's own law. <i>Canon 600</i>
Birthday	Br Clinton Berlla (1996) from Cameroon Br Wirba Hadrian (2000) from Cameroon
Intentions	For Brothers Clinton and Hadrian, their families, mission and their vocation. For missionaries who offer and risk their lives in preaching and spreading the Gospel.

10th SEPTEMBER 2025, WEDNESDAY OF THE 23RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week III VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Col 3:1-11: You must look for the things that are in heaven. Lk. 6:20-26: Happy are you who are poor, who are hungry, who weep.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The evangelical counsel of obedience, undertaken in the spirit of faith and love in the following of Christ, who was obedient even unto death, obliges submission of one's will to lawful Superiors, who act in the place of God when they give commands that are in accordance with each institute's own constitutions. <i>Canon 601</i>
Anniversary	In 1966, first Marist foundation in Pakistan.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Pakistan. For the community of Bafut.

11th SEPTEMBER 2025, THURSDAY OF THE 23RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week III VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Col 3:12-17: Be clothed in love. Lk. 6:27-38: Love your enemies.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The fraternal life proper to each institute unites all the members into, as it were, a special family in Christ. It is to be so defined that for all it proves of mutual assistance to fulfill their vocation. The fraternal union of the members, rooted and based in charity, is to be an example of universal reconciliation in Christ. <i>Canon 602</i>
Intentions	For the conversion of all who perpetrate crimes against human right.



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For teachers and educators across the world.

12th SEPTEMBER 2025, FRIDAY OF THE 23RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week III The Most Holy Name of Mary. VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	1 Tim 1:1-2, 12-14: I used to be a blasphemer, but the mercy of God was shown me. Lk. 6:39-42: Can the blind lead the blind?
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Religious life, as a consecration of the whole person, manifests in the Church the marvelous marriage established by God as a sign of the world to come. Religious thus consummate a full gift of themselves as a sacrifice offered to God, so that their whole existence becomes a continuous worship of God in charity. <i>Canon 607 §1</i>
Intentions	In thanksgiving for the Gift of Religious men and women to the Church. For all those who work for the protection of creation.

13th SEPTEMBER 2025, SATURDAY OF THE 23RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor. VESTMENT: WHITE OFFICE: Psalter week III	
Liturgy	1 Tim 1:15-17: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. Lk. 6:34-49: Whoever hears me builds his house on a rock.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> A religious institute is a society in which, in accordance with their own law, the members pronounce public vows and live a fraternal life in common. The vows are either perpetual or temporary; if the latter, they are to be renewed when the time elapses. <i>Canon 607 §2</i>
Anniversary	In 1971, first Marist foundation in South Korea.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in South Korea. For all former Marist Brothers.

14th SEPTEMBER 2025, 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS – FEAST. VESTMENT: RED OFFICE: Psalter week IV	
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Liturgy	Numbers 21:4-9: If anyone was bitten by a serpent, he looked up at the bronze serpent and lived. Philippians 2:6-11: Christ humbled himself, but God raised him high. Jn. 3:13-17: God sent his Son so that through him the world might be saved.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The public witness which religious are to give to Christ and the Church involves that separation from the world which is proper to the character and purpose of each institute. <i>Canon 607 §3</i>
Intentions	For the grace to be humble servants of the Lord and Humanity. For domestic workers in our communities.

15th SEPTEMBER 2025, MONDAY OF THE 24TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. Our Lady of Sorrows. VESTMENT: WHITE OFFICE: Psalter week IV	
Liturgy	1 Tim 2:1-8: Pray for everyone to God, who wants everyone to be saved Jn. 19:25-27: 'Woman, this is your Son'
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> A religious community is to live in a lawfully constituted house, under the authority of a Superior designated according to the norms of law. Each house is to have at least an oratory, in which the Eucharist is celebrated and reserved, so that it may truly be the center of the community. <i>Canon 608</i>
Anniversaries	In 1907, first Marist foundation in Greece. In 1969, foundation of the Community of Dimbokro in Ivory Coast.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Greece and Ivory Coast. For the brothers working in the various communities in Ivory Coast

16th SEPTEMBER 2025, TUESDAY OF THE 24TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. Saint Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs. VESTMENT: RED OFFICE: Psalter week IV	
Liturgy	1 Timothy 3:1-13: The president must be of impeccable character. Lk. 7:11-17: The only son of his mother, and she a widow
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> In establishing religious houses, the welfare of the Church and of the institute are to be kept in mind, and care must be taken to safeguard everything that is necessary for the members to lead their religious life



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	in accordance with the purposes and spirit proper to the institute. <i>Canon 610 §1</i>
Anniversaries	In 1990, arrival of the first Brothers in Hungary.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Hungary For all those whose work is not rewarding

17th SEPTEMBER 2025, WEDNESDAY OF THE 24TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week IV VESTMENT: GREEN Saint Robert Bellaemine, Bishop, Doctor.	
Liturgy	1 Tim 3:15-16: : The mystery of our religion is very deep. Lk. 7:31-35: ‘We played the pipes, and you wouldn’t dance’
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Superiors are to fulfill their office and exercise their authority in accordance with the norms of the universal law and of their own law. <i>Canon 617</i>
Anniversaries	In 1974, opening of the Marist Mission in Korhogo, Ivory Coast.
Birthday	Br. Linus Ngam, from Cameroon.
Intentions	For Br. Linus, his family members, friends, vocation and mission For the Marist mission in Korhogo.

18th SEPTEMBER 2025, THURSDAY OF THE 24TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week IV VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	1 Tim 4:12-16: Be an example to all the believers. Lk. 7:36-50: Her many sins have been forgiven, or she would not have shown such great love.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The authority which Superiors receive from God through the ministry of the Church is to be exercised by them in a spirit of service. In fulfilling their office, they are to be docile to the will of God, and are to govern those subject to them as children of God. By their reverence for the human person, they are to promote voluntary obedience. They are to listen willingly to their subjects and foster their cooperation for the good of the institute and the Church, without prejudice however to their authority to decide and to command what is to be done. <i>Canon 618</i>
Birthday	Br. Germain Bery Beda, from Côte d’Ivoire.



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Intentions	For Br. Germain, his family members, friends, well-wishers, vocation and Mission For all the community Leaders in our Province.
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19th SEPTEMBER 2025, FRIDAY OF THE 24TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week IV VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	1 Tim 6:2-12: We brought nothing into the world and can take nothing out of it. Lk. 8:1-3: The women who accompanied Jesus.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Superiors are to devote themselves to their office with diligence. Together with the members entrusted to them, they are to strive to build in Christ a fraternal community, in which God is sought and loved above all. They are therefore frequently to nourish their members with the food of God's word and lead them to the celebration of the liturgy. They are to be an example to the members in cultivating virtue and in observing the laws and traditions proper to the institute. They are to give the members opportune assistance in their personal needs. They are to be solicitous in caring for and visiting the sick; they are to chide the restless, console the fainthearted and be patient with all. <i>Canon 619.</i>
Intentions	For the Provincial and his Council For the sick and those caring for them

20th SEPTEMBER 2025, SATURDAY OF THE 24TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. Saint Andrew Kim Taegon, Priest, and Paul Chong Hasang, and their Companions, Martyrs. VESTMENT: RED OFFICE: Psalter week IV	
Liturgy	1 Timothy 6:13-16: I put to you the duty of doing all that you have been told. Lk. 8:4-15: The parable of the sower.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Major Superiors are those who govern an entire institute, or a province or a part equivalent to a province, or an autonomous house; the vicars of the above are also major Superiors. To these are added the Abbot Primate and the Superior of a monastic congregation, though these do



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	not have all the authority which the universal law gives to major Superiors. <i>Canon 620</i>
Anniversaries	In 1936, Brother Eusebio was murdered in Barcelona. In 2000, Pope John Paul II, blessed the statue of Marcellin Champagnat which was placed on the exterior wall of the Vatican Basilica.
Birthday	Br. Njong Basil Ngum from Cameroon.
Intentions	For Br. Basil, his family members, friends, vocation and mission For the Provincial and his Council

21st SEPTEMBER 2025, 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week I VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Amos 8:4-7: I will never forget your deeds, you who trample on the needy. 1 Timothy 2:1-8: Pray for everyone to God, who wants everyone to be saved Lk. 16:1-13: You cannot be the slave of both God and money.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> In an institute the general chapter has supreme authority in accordance with the constitutions. It is to be composed in such a way that it represents the whole institute and becomes a true sign of its unity in charity. Its principal functions are to protect the patrimony of the institute mentioned in Canon 578 and to foster appropriate renewal in accord with that patrimony. It also elects the supreme Moderator, deals with matters of greater importance, and issues norms which all are bound to obey. <i>Canon 631 §1</i>
Reminder	International day of Peace.
Birthday	Br. Isaac Frimpong Amponsah from Ghana
Intentions	For Br. Isaac, his family members, vocation and personal intentions. For peace to reign all over the world.

22nd SEPTEMBER 2025 MONDAY OF THE 25TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME OFFICE: Psalter week I VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Ezra 1:1-6: Cyrus king of Persia frees the Jews to return to Jerusalem. Lk. 8:16-18: Anyone who has will be given more.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Since they are by virtue of the law juridical persons, institutes, provinces and houses have the capacity to acquire, possess, administer and alienate



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	temporal goods, unless this capacity is excluded or limited in the constitutions. They are, however, to avoid all appearance of luxury, excessive gain and the accumulation of goods. <i>Canon 634 §1 & 2</i>
Anniversaries	In 1948, first Marist community in Mozambique. In 1991, foundation of the community in Monrovia.
Birthday	Br. Kouassi Konan Jules Maurice, from Côte d'Ivoire.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Mozambique and Monrovia. For Br. Jules, his vocation, personal intentions and mission.

23rd SEPTEMBER 2025 TUESDAY OF THE 25TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME OFFICE: Psalter week I Saint Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio). VESTMENT: WHITE	
Liturgy	Ezra 6:7-8, 14-20: Darius king of Persia pays for the rebuilding of the Temple of God Lk. 8: 19-21: 'My mother and my brothers are those who hear the word of God'
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> In each institute, and in each province ruled by a major Superior, there is to be a financial administrator, distinct from the major Superior and constituted in accordance with the institute's own law. The financial administrator is to administer the goods under the direction of the respective Superior. Even in local communities a financial administrator, distinct from the local Superior, is in so far as possible to be constituted. <i>Canon 636 §1</i>
Birthday	Br Alladoum Aime (1996) from Chad
Anniversary	In 1968, departure of the first Brothers for Paraguay.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Paraguay.
	For Br. Aime, his vocation, personal intentions and mission. For all those on the margins of society.

24th SEPTEMBER 2025 WEDNESDAY OF THE 25TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME OFFICE: Psalter week I VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Ezra 9:5-9: 'God has not forgotten us in our slavery'. Lk. 'Take nothing for the journey'.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> By religious profession, members make a public vow to observe the three evangelical counsels. Through the ministry of the Church, they are



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	consecrated to God, and are incorporated into the institute, with the rights and duties defined by law. Canon 654
Anniversary	In 1836, Fr. Colin was elected Superior General of the Marist Fathers
Intentions	For the work of the missionaries in the Church For migrants around the world.

25 th SEPTEMBER 2025, THURSDAY OF THE 25 TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME OFFICE: Psalter week I VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Haggai 1:1-8: 'Rebuild the House'. Lk. 9:7-9: 'John? I beheaded him, so who is this?'
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Religious are to find their supreme rule of life in the following of Christ as proposed in the Gospel and as expressed in the constitutions of their own institute. Canon 662
Anniversary	In 1897, Marist Work began in Brazil.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Brazil. For the preservation, conservation, and protection of our environment and the ecology.

26 th SEPTEMBER 2025 FRIDAY OF THE 25 TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week I VESTMENT: GREEN Saint Cosmos and Damian, Martyrs	
Liturgy	Haggai 1:15-2:9: 'The new glory of this Temple is to surpass the old'. Lk. 9:18-22: 'You are the Christ of God'.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> The first and principal duty of all religious is to be the contemplation of things divine and constant union with God in prayer. Each day the members are to make every effort to participate in the Eucharistic sacrifice, receive the most holy Body of Christ and adore the Lord himself present in the Sacrament. They are to devote themselves to reading the sacred Scriptures and to mental prayer. In accordance with the provisions of their own law, they are to celebrate the liturgy of the hours worthily, without prejudice to the obligation of clerics mentioned in Canon 276, §2, n.3. They are also to perform other exercises of piety. Canon 663 §1,2,3
Anniversary	In 1889, first foundation in Columbia, South America.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Columbia



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	For the Provincial House Community
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27 th SEPTEMBER 2025 SATURDAY OF THE 25 TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME	
OFFICE: Psalter week I	
Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest. VESTMENT: WHITE	
Liturgy	Zech. 2:5-9, 14-15: 'I will be the glory of Jerusalem'. Lk. 9:43-45: They were afraid to ask him what he meant.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Religious are earnestly to strive for the conversion of soul to God. They are to examine their consciences daily, and to approach the sacrament of penance frequently. <i>Canon 664</i>
Birthday	Br. Vincent de Paul Kouassi from Côte d'Ivoire. Br. Martin Sarobe (who worked in Chad).
Intentions	For Br. Vincent de Paul and Br Martin, for their family members, vocation, mission and personal intentions For our aspirants and their parents.

28 th SEPTEMBER 2025 26 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Amos 6:1, 4-7: Woe to those who live in luxury. 1 Timothy 6:11-16: Do all that you have been told, until the Appearing of the Lord. Lk. 16:19-31: Dives and Lazarus
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Religious are to reside in their own religious house and observe the common life; they are not to stay elsewhere except with the permission of the Superior. For a lengthy absence from the religious house, the major Superior, for a just reason and with the consent of the council, can authorize a member to live outside a house of the institute; such an absence is not to exceed one year, unless it be for reasons of health, studies or an apostolate to be exercised in the name of the institute. Members who unlawfully absent themselves from a religious house with the intention of withdrawing from the authority of Superiors, are to be carefully sought out and helped to return and to persevere in their vocation. <i>Canon 665 §1&2</i>
Intentions	For the orphans, street children, and abandoned children. For all catechists and their catechumens



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29th SEPTEMBER 2025 MONDAY OF THE 26TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: WHITE Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels – Feast	
Liturgy	Dan. 7:9-10, 13-14: His robe was white as snow Jn. 1:47-51: You will see heaven laid open, and the Son of Man.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> In using the means of social communication, a necessary discretion is to be observed. Members are to avoid whatever is harmful to their vocation and dangerous to the chastity of a consecrated person. <i>Canon 666</i>
Anniversary	In 1963, Marist foundation in Taiwan.
Intentions	For the Marist mission in Taiwan For the good and effective use of social media and modern technology.

30th SEPTEMBER 2025 TUESDAY OF THE 26TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME. OFFICE: Psalter week II VESTMENT: GREEN Saint Jerome, Priest, Doctor	
Liturgy	Zech. 8:20-23: Many peoples and great nations will come to seek the Lord of Hosts. Lk. 9:51-56: Jesus sets out for Jerusalem.
Reflection	<u>THE CODE OF CANON LAW (1983)</u> Before their first profession, members are to cede the administration of their goods to whomsoever they wish and, unless the constitutions provide otherwise, they are freely to make dispositions concerning the use and enjoyment of these goods. At least before perpetual profession, they are to make a will which is valid also in civil law. <i>Canon 668 §1</i>
Intentions	For the MIC community, the formation of the Brothers. In thanksgiving to God for the blessings received in the month of September.