

Marist Brothers United States Province

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Friday Notes Newsletter

January 3, 2020 | WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF THE PROVINCE OF THE USA

PROVINCE NEWS

- The Marist Young Adult Advisory Committee is meeting today in Esopus with Matt Fallon.
- The Province Finance Committee will meet next Saturday.
- The Brothers of Miami gathered yesterday to celebrate the Feast of the Institute



- In December, Br. Bernard Yamaguchi has moved to a new home. His new address is:

"Bel Air" Asahigaoka
76 Asahigaoka-cho
Hakodate, 042-0916

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

School Board Meeting
Marist HS Chicago
January 13th

School Board Meeting
Christopher Columbus HS
January 15th

School Board Meeting
Archbishop Molloy HS
January 16th

Marist Youth

Hokkaido
JAPAN

His email remains the same:
Bernard.yamaguchi@gmail.com

Please drop him a line to wish him a
Happy 2020 and good luck
in his new home!

- On December 21st, Liberian Brother Harry Nyanti, who is in community and ministry in Ghana, professed his final vows. Prayerful congratulations from your USA Marists!

Encounter
January 16th -
January 19th

Sharing Our Call 2
January 19th -
January 21st

School Board Meeting
Saint Joseph Academy
January 20th

Trustee Meeting
Guadalupe Middle School
January 21st

Sharing Our Call 1
February 9th -
February 11th



MBCE UPDATE

Happy New Year from the
Esopus Community!

The Marist Young Adult Advisory Committee
are meeting in Esopus this weekend.



Saturday, January 4th
Br. Philip Degagne

Tuesday, January 7th
Br. Luis Ramos

Wednesday, January 8th
Sarah Kolkmeier

Director of the Marcellin Program at Marist
High School in Chicago
School Liaison to Marist Life and Mission

Thank God It's Saturday!
A BLOG BY BR. BRIAN POULIN (Co-DIRECTOR OF VOCATIONS WITH BR. AL RIVERA)

Have you checked our Br. Brian

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Poulin's weekly blog series
"Thank God It's Saturday!"

Read his latest post, and be
sure to catch his new posts
each weekend!



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the General House in
Rome [here!](#)



Marist Young Adults Celebrate the Foundation Day of the Marist Brothers

Twenty-two Marist Young Adults gathered together to celebrate the Foundation Day of the Marist Brothers in Esopus yesterday with MYA's coming from NY, NJ, IL, MA, TX, FL and Canada plus 5 Marist Brothers, two Lay Marists, and our Marist Chaplin Fr. LaMorte! After celebrating Mass together they continued the celebration with bowling and dinner!



"Journeying Through Advent"

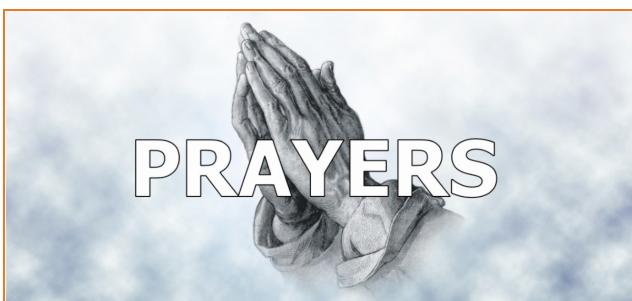
Each Wednesday during Advent a group of Brothers at Champagnat Hall gathered to explore more deeply one of the Sunday Readings. Through prayer, reflection and discussion, the



program called "Journeying through Advent", allowed the Brothers to share their faith and insights while supporting one another during these days of Advent.



Let's Not Forget Those in Need...



Br. Robert Andrews, who is at Cabrini Nursing Home.

Br. Gerry Brown began chemotherapy treatments in Blue Island, IL.

For all of our senior Brothers, other Marists of Champagnat, family members, and friends who are ill. May the Lord bring healing, and our Good Mother bring comfort to them.

For all of our Brothers throughout the world, our affiliates, our family members, and benefactors.



CHESTER "CHET" A. NORDYKE, age 67 of Highland, IN, passed away Friday, December 27, 2019. Chet had been a Dean of Studies at Marist High School in Chicago, IL in the 1990's. Recently, Chet had been a Principal at several Catholic elementary schools in northern Indiana.

Gerard "Jerry" Cox, (Former Marist Brother Stephen Luke), former Vice President and Dean of Student Affairs at Marist College, who passed away in December.

Barbara Jaspan, Grandmother of Matt Fallon, who passed away in December.

Louise Doherty, sister-in-law of Br. Gerry Doherty, who passed away during December.