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MARIANISTI – AMMINISTRAZIONE GENERALE – Via Latina, 22 – 00179 Roma – Italia

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Distribution of Funds for the *Marianist Solidarity Fund and the Marianist Formation Fund* 2018

Dear Brothers,

At the meeting of the General Council on January 12, 2018, we approved the grants from the Formation Fund for 2018 and, after consultation with the Extended General Council, we approved the grants from the Solidarity Fund for 2018.

The General Council would like to express its gratitude and appreciation for the contributions to both funds from the Units of the Society. We realize that there are many other demands for funds, on the local level, and so we are particularly grateful to those who, despite these demands, consider global solidarity with Units and projects beyond their borders a priority. On behalf of the beneficiaries, both those in the SM, and those we serve, we say a strong “thank you!”

On the following pages, you will find a detailed summary of the contributions and grants for this year.

May the Lord bless and Mary guide all those who have given to this year’s funding, and, in a particular way, the many will benefit from these gifts!

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Marianist Solidarity and Formation Funds 2018

Contributions	USD \$
Region of Argentina	\$3,000.00
Region Austria-Germany	\$17,971.50
Region of Canada	\$12,000.00
Region of Chile	\$3,000.00
Region of Eastern Africa	\$5,000.00
Province of France-Belgium	\$71,886.00
Region of Italy	\$47,924.00
Region of Japan	\$85,500.00
Region of Korea	\$5,000.00
Province of Meribah	\$10,000.00
Province of Spain	\$131,791.00
Switzerland Community	\$20,500.00
Province of the United States	\$140,000.00
Other	\$5,400.00
General Administration	\$108,027.50
Total Contributions	\$667,000.00

MARIANIST SOLIDARITY FUND GRANTS APPROVED	USD \$
<i>Region of Argentina</i>	
GENERAL ROCA: Furnishings for the "Nazareth" Workshop	\$5,000.00
<i>Region of Eastern Africa</i>	
NAIROBI: Security fence at Maria Training Centre	\$40,000.00
KARONGA: MIRACLE Technical Institute Town Campus Project	\$50,000.00
MOMBASA: Marianist Technical Institute-Phase II Kitchen Improvement	\$30,000.00
<i>Province of France (District of Ivory Coast, Sector of Congo)</i>	
ABIDJAN: Property improvements	\$100,000.00
BRAZZAVILLE: Generator for maternity center	\$20,000.00
<i>Region of Togo</i>	
LOME: Completion of construction of the Centre Marianiste	\$35,000.00
SOTOUBOUA: Construction of school administration building	\$65,000.00
<i>Province of the United States (District of India)</i>	
ODISHA: New van, St. Joseph's School (<i>Matching Grant</i>)	\$8,000.00
BINDA: Interlocking brick installation for dust and mud abatement	\$10,000.00
DEEPAHALLI: Tools for training at REDS Training centre	\$10,000.00
BANGALORE: Science Lab St. Joseph/Chaminade School	\$3,000.00
RANCHI: Painting of Gyan Deep Community and REDS Buildings	\$5,000.00
<i>Other</i>	
Small grants for rural poor in Bogra District, Bangladesh	\$3,000.00
TOTAL	\$384,000.00

MARIANIST FORMATION FUND GRANTS APPROVED	USD \$
CLAMAR	
Assistance for Marianist Noviciate - Santiago	\$15,000.00
CAM	
Charism 2019	\$30,000.00
Region of Eastern Africa	
Purchase of vehicle for Vocation Ministry (<i>Matching grant</i>)	\$15,000.00
Generator and Improvements for Scholasticate Library	\$15,000.00
Study Support	\$25,000.00
Province of France (District of Ivory Coast)	
Rehabilitation of Formation House	\$50,000.00
Region of Togo	
Pre-Nov., Novitiate, Scholasticate, Seminary Studies	\$110,000.00
Province of the USA (District of India)	
Repair of building structures at Novitiate	\$8,000.00
Computers for Scholasticate	\$8,000.00
Renovations at Scholasticate	\$7,000.00
Total Granted	\$283,000.00