MARIST PROVINCE OF WEST AFRICA

RELIGIOUS CALENDAR: NOVEMBER 2025

Pope's Intentions**:**
Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

NOVEMBER 1 SATURDAY SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS OFFICE: PROPER VESTMENT: WHITE

Liturgy	Apo. 7: 2-4. 9-14 "I saw a huge number impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language." 1 Jn 3: 1-3 "We shall see God as He really is." Mt 5: 1-12 "Rejoice and be glad for your reward will be great in heaven."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Jesus and God's mission were the center of St. Marcellin Champagnat's life. As a disciple of Jesus, Marcellin Champagnat is the source of inspiration that nourishes the Marist Educational Mission. (1)
Anniversaries	1805: Saint Marcellin entered the seminary in Verriers 1968: First Marist foundation in Paraguay.
Intentions	For holiness among the People of God. In thanksgiving for all the holy men and women God has put in our path.

NOVEMBER 2. SUN THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS' DAY)
VESTMENT: VIOLET OR WHITE

Liturgy	Job 19:1.23-27b "I know that my redeemer lives." Rom. 5:5-11 "Since we are now justified by his blood, much shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God." Jn 6:37-40 "I shall raise him on the last day."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Led by the Spirit, he initiated Marist education with his first followers. Times and circumstances change but his dynamic spirit and vision live on in our hearts. God chose him to bring hope and the message of Jesus' love to the children and youth of France in his time. God inspires us to do the same today in our time and place. (1)
Anniversaries	1816: Marcellin Champagnat meets John Baptist Audras for the first time. 1853: Brother Stanislaus died at the Hermitage.
Intentions	For all our deceased Brothers, parent, relatives, friends and benefactors. For the grace to experience the happiness of dying as a member of Mary's family.

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November 3 Monday of 31st Week in Ordinary Time Psalm Week 3 Vestment Green	
Memorial	Saint Martin de Porres. Born in Peru, son of a Spanish father and an African slave mother, he became a medica assistant and later joined the Dominican order, where he continued to dispense medicine to the poor, while living a humble and austere life, with great devotion to the Eucharist. He died in 1638.
Liturgy	Rom 11:29-36 "God has consigned all men to disobedience, that he may have mercy upon all." Lk 14:12-14 "Do not invite your friends, but the poor and the maimed."
Birthday	Br. Ivo Njongai (1966) from Cameroon
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Marlhes, the village where Marcellin was born, was a place characterized by the challenges of a rural setting. Most of the adults and young people were semi-literate or illiterate. The impact of the Revolution was also felt here. Marcellin's father played an important role, at the local level, in this social movement. (3)
Intentions	For Bother Superior General and his council. For Bro. Ivo, his family, community, friend and all his intentions.
November 4 Tuesday of 31st Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 3 Vestment: Green	
Memorial	Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop. He was Archbishop of Milan and Cardinal. He prayed a leading role in the implementation of the council of Trent. He was a prominent defender of the faith at the time of Counter-Reformation; he drafted the Catechism and established seminaries and Catholic schools. He died in 1584
Liturgy	Rom 12:5-16 "We are individually members one of another" Lk 14:15-24 "Go out to the highways and hedges, and compel people to come in, that my house may be filled."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Because of the scarcity of opportunities and the lack of competent teachers who sometimes mistreated students, Marcellin had difficulties at the beginning of his intellectual formation. With these personal attributes, Marcellin wholeheartedly embraced God's call even as an adolescent with limited literacy. In time, he overcame his initial challenges, successfully completing his studies, and remained committed to lifelong learning. (5)
Intentions	For all the Catechists and agents of evangelization. For Provincial and his intentions.

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November 5. Wednesday. 31st Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 3 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Rom 13:8-10 "Love is the fulfilling of the law" Lk 14:25-33 "Whoever of you does not renounce all that he has cannot be my disciple"
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Marcellin passed on his apostolic and educational enthusiasm to these brothers. He lived among them. He taught them to read, to write and to count, how to pray and to live the Gospel in everyday life in community, and how to become teachers and religious educators themselves. (12)
Intention	For the Bishops in the Dioceses in which we work. For our lay collaborators in our schools.
November 6 Thursday of 31st Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 3 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Rom 14:7-12 "if we live, we live to the Lord and if we die to the Lord" Lk 15:1-10 "There is Joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repent"
Reminder	International Day for preventing the exploitation of environment in War and Armed Conflict.
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** As far as was possible and always in accordance with the legal requirements, Marcellin offered his followers initial and ongoing human, spiritual and professional formation. The Hermitage, therefore, can be described as the crucible of Marist pedagogy. (15)
Intentions	For Peace and stability in all African Countries. For all the projects under construction in our Province.
November 7 Friday of 31st Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 3 Vestment Green	
Liturgy	Rom 15:14-21 "A Minister of Christ Jesus to the Gentiles, so that the offering of the Gentiles may be acceptable." Lk 16:1-8 "Sons this World are wiser in their own generation than the sons of light."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** With a heart that knew no bounds, Marcellin also helped other vulnerable people and those who were excluded from society such as those who were orphaned, elderly or in physical need (17)
Intentions	For immigrant and displaced people.

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	For Provincial and his councils.
November 8. Saturday of 31st Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 3 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27 "Greet one another with a holy kiss" Lk 16:9-15 "If then you have not been faithful in the unrighteous mammon, who will entrust to you the true riches."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** The Hermitage was also the source of the missionary activity of the Congregation, beginning in 1836, when three brothers were sent to Oceania with a group of Marist Fathers. Marcellin himself wrote to a Bishop who asked him for brothers: "Every diocese in the world figures in our plans" (18)
Intentions	For our family members who are sick. For the evangelical use of goods entrusted to us. **Marist Saturday** – Special prayers for vocation to the province
NOVEMBER 9 SUNDAY OF 32ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME PSALMS: WEEK 4 VESTMENT: WHITE	
Feast	**DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA, Feast** The Basilica of the St. John of the Lateran is the Cathedral of Rome and such, the cathedral of the Pope, Bishop of Rome. This feast reminds us of the symbolism of the church as places where Christian people gather to worship God.
Liturgy	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 "I saw water running from the temple, and all those to whom the water came were saved." 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17 "You are God's temple." Jn 2:13-22 (671) "He spoke of his temple."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** To secure the work of the brothers, he did not hesitate to act in a realistic, practical, and resilient manner. Realistic and practical in buying land and houses, constructing, renovating, and enlarging buildings to make them suitable for religious27 community life and formation. Resilient in facing and dealing with problems, as is evident in his efforts to gain official recognition for his Congregation (21)
Reminder	Beginning of Canonical Visit to Postulancy Community
Intention	For the Holy Father and his intentions. For the gift of prayer upon all the brothers of the province.

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November 10 Monday of 32nd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 4 Vestment: Green	
Memorial	Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church. He consolidated the organization of the church at a time of civil and doctrinal disorder. He died in 461.
Liturgy	Wis 1:1-7 "Wisdom is a spirit. The spirit of the lord fills the whole world" Lk 17:1-6 "If your brother comes back to you seven times a day and says, I am sorry, you must forgive him."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Marcellin became an authentic leader, cultivating a particular style of leadership, with determination and commitment. He was a servant leader:29 "He hitched up his cassock, cut away the rock and built the house of the Hermitage".30 His style, so evident in his closeness, presence, and care as "father" and brother, inspired others in their service and leadership in Marist ministry. (22)
Intention	For Peace and reconciliation in countries experiencing war and violence For Marist community of MIC, Nairobi.
November 11 Tuesday of the of 32nd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 4 Vestment Green	
Liturgy	Wis 2:23-3:9 "in the eyes of the wise, they did appear to die, but they are in peace" Lk 17:7-10 "We are merely servants; we have done no more than our duty."
Memoria	Martin of Tours, Bishop. He was a soldier in the Roman army until his conversion and Baptism. He was made bishop of Tours, France in 372. He spread the monastic life and is remembered by his love and sharing with poor.
Birthdays	Br. Kelvin Ngoran -1965 From Cameroon Br. Valentine K. Meyanui -1986 From Cameroon David Cooney -1943
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Over time Marcellin became a good educator. In Marlhes, during his holidays from the seminary, he gathered children and even adults who came from quite a distance to attend his 29 catechism lessons. (24)
Intention	For all the Religious in the Dioceses where we work. For the intentions of Our Brothers Kelvin, Valentine and David as they celebrate their Birthdays.

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November 12 Wednesday of 32nd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 4 Vestment: Green	
Memoria	Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr. Born in Ukraine in 1580. His reform as bishop aroused hostility and he was murdered during a pastoral visit.
Birthdays	Brother Michael Telewa from Ghana
Liturgy	Wis 6:1-11 "listen, kings, that you may learn what wisdom is." Lk 17:11-19 "No one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner"
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Marcellin showed a personal interest in each of his brothers, guided them spiritually, accompanied them, encouraged them to be properly prepared, and entrusted them with responsibilities. He visited their schools and assisted each brother in his mission as teacher and catechist. (27)
Reminder	End of Canonical Visit to Postulancy Community
Intention	For all the Novices and staff at Marist Formation Centre, Sabin Akrofrom. For Brother Michael his vocation, family, personal intentions and his apostolate in Buokrom.
November 13 Thursday of 32nd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 4 Vestment Green	
Liturgy	Wis 7:22b—8:1 "Wisdom is a reflection of the eternal light, untarnished mirror of God's power." Lk 17:20-25 "the kingdom of God is among you."
Anniversary	In 1941, cure of Jean Ranaivo, a pupil of the brothers in Madagascar. His cure was accepted by Rome as one of the miracles needed for the beatification of Fr. Champagnat.
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Since the early days at La Valla and the Hermitage, many men and women, attracted by his personality and charism, have been called by the Spirit to live as Marists and respond to the needs of our times. (32)
Intention	For people who are oppressed and marginalized in our countries. For the Marist Community of Koumra, Chad.
November 14 Friday of 32nd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 4 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Wis 13:1-9 "If they are capable of investigating the world, how have they been so slow to find its master"

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	Lk 17:26-37 “when the day comes for the son of man to be revealed”
Anniversary	1934: The Cause of Brother François was introduced in Rome.
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Marist spirituality shapes our way of life, our attitudes, and permeates our whole mission. As we journey with God, we are inspired by the vision and lives of Marcellin and his first followers. We freely make a life choice for simplicity, humility, and modesty (37)
Intention	For sick people in the hospitals and for all those caring for them For all those persecuted for their faith.
November 15 Saturday of 32nd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 4 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9 “There appeared an unhindered way out of the Red Sea, and they leaped like lambs.” Lk 18:1-8 “God will see justice done to his chosen who cry to him”
Memorial	of St Albert the Great, bishop and Doctor of the Church. He was a Dominican and teacher of St Thomas Aquinas. He was interested in all fields of study and wrote many books of theology and philosophy. He died in 1280
Anniversary	In 1845, Françoise Perroton left France to begin her missionary work in Oceania, where she founded the Marist Missionary Sisters In 1873: Father Jean-Claude Colin died at La Neylière, France.
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** As evangelizers of children and young people, we are convinced that we render the best service of all through the witness of our joyful lives, which model what it is to be a committed Christian in today’s world. (42)
Reminder	Beginning of Canonical Visit to Ashalaja Community
Intentions	For the grace to accept and to tolerate one another. For all farmers that they may enjoy the fruit of their labor.
NOVEMBER 16 SUNDAY OF 33RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME PSALMS: WEEK 1 VESTMENT: GREEN	
Liturgy	Mal 4:1-2a “The sun of righteousness shall rise for you.” 2 Thes. 3:7-12 “If anyone will not work, let him not eat.” Lk 21:5-19 “By your endurance you will gain your lives.”
Reminder	International Day of Tolerance
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT**

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	We are all called to exercise professional and pastoral leadership in our role as Catholic educators. (43)
Intention	For religious tolerance and inter-religious dialogue in Africa. For our aspirants and their parents.
November 17 Monday of 33rd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 1 Vestment: Green	
Memorial	Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious. She was a daughter of the King of Hungary. After her husband's death, she lived with complete austerity, visiting the poor and caring for the sick.
Liturgy	1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63 "it was a dreadful wrath that visited Israel." Lk 18:35-43 "What do you want me to do for you? Lord, let me see again."
Birthday	Brother Leonard Buhven (1991) From Cameroon
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** In our daily work, we seek to create an environment where everyone feels respected and co-responsible. Furthermore, among ourselves we develop a strong sense of companionship, affirming one another and offering mutual support and encouragement. (46)
Intention	For solidarity with those who are victims of poverty, sickness and ignorance. For the Marist Postulancy community of Ahwiren, Ghana
November 18 Tuesday of 33rd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 1 Vestment: Green	
Memorial	Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss Peter and Paul in Rome (Optional For the Marist community Korhogo, Côte d'Ivoire
Liturgy	2 Mc 6:18-31 "I shall have left an example of how to make a good death for the holy laws." Lk 19:1-10 "The son of man has come to seek out and save what was lost."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** We share our experiences with those with whom we minister, the joys and sorrows involved in our work, and where we have felt the presence of God. With them, we evaluate the quality of our work. (49
Reminder	End of Canonical Visit to Ashalaja Community
Intention	For the Catholic church in Africa For the Marist community of Champagnat House, Kumasi.

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November 19 Wednesday of 33rd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 1 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	2 Mc 7:1, 20-31 "The creator of the world will give you both breath and life." Lk 19:11-28 "Why did you not put my money in the bank."
Birthday	Brother Erong Sebastian Kanguri (1973) from Ghana
Anniversary	1875: Departure of the first Brothers for New Zealand
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** We recognize in this love for children and young people and especially those who are less cared for or not nurtured in faith, the essential identifying marks of our Marist mission. 61)
Intention	For brother Sebastian his vocation, vocation, personal intensions and mission in Liberia. For the brothers and works in New Zealand.
November 20 Thursday of 33rd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 1 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	1 Mc 2:15-29 "We will follow the covenant of our ancestors" Lk 19:41-44 "If you had only understood the message of peace"
Anniversary	1939: Mrs. Grondin in Waterville, Maine, USA was cured of cancer through
Reminder	Universal Children's Day Africa. Industrialization Day. Provincial's encounter with Temporary Professed Brothers in Community
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** As evangelizers and educators, we seek opportunities to be with young people wherever they are. We develop a broader understanding of the realities faced by children and young people. (67)
Intention	For the respect of the rights of children. For the Marist community of the Provincial House in Accra, Ghana
November 21 Friday of 33rd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 1 Vestment: Green	
Memorial	The presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Liturgy	1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59 "They celebrated the dedication of the alter, joyfully offering holocausts" Lk 19:45-48 "You have turned the house of God into a robbers' den"
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT**

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	We invite young people who have already made a commitment to Christian life to join us in leading youth ministry activities: in catechetical programmers for children, as youth group leaders, and other ways of evangelizing other young people. (72)
Intention	For peace in African countries. For the Marist community of Bafut, Cameroon
November 22 Saturday of the of 33rd Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 1 Vestment: Green	
Memorial	Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr. She is the patron saint of musicians.
Liturgy	1 Mc 6:1-13 "I am dying of melancholy because of the wrong I did in Jerusalem." Lk 20:27-40 Lk 20:27-40 "he is God not the dead but of the living"
Reminder	International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** In Jesus we see God. He comes among us so that we might "have life and have it to the full. (89)
Intention	For respect towards women and girls. For the brothers passing through difficulties of any kind.
NOVEMBER 23 SUNDAY: SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE CHRIST THE KING (YEAR C) OFFICE: PROPER	
Liturgy	2 Sm. 5:1-3 "They anointed David king over Israel." Col 1:12-20 "He has transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son." Lk 23:35-43 "Lord, remember me when you come in your kingly power."
Birthday	Br Birkem Pascal Funsa (1979) from Cameroon Br Alfred Ngaro Sadjinan (1982) from Chrd Allahodjim Sidoine (1996) from Chad
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Jesus proclaims a new vision of human society which begins with loving one another, together sharing the bread of life, and transcending the divisions we have created of ethnicity, ideology, religious, cultural and social differences, wealth, gender, or any other criteria of exclusion. (90)
Intention	For Peace in Africa countries. For brothers Pascal and Alfred; their intentions, families, community and their apostolates.

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November 24 Monday of 34th Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 2 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Dn. 1:1-6, 8-20 "The king found none to equal Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael and Azariah" Lk 21:1-4 "He noticed a poverty-stricken widow putting two small coins"
Birthday	Brother John Kusi Mensah (1958) from Ghana
Reminder	Beginning of In-person phase of the Course on Servant and Prophetic Leadership in Accra
Reliction	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** The work of evangelization is above all the work of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit was the source of Jesus' prophetic authority to announce the coming of the Reign of God (92)
Intention	For students in our schools. For brother John, his family, personal intentions and his community at Buokrom.
November 25 Tuesday of 34th Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 2 Vestment: Green	
Motorial	St. Catherine of Alexandria. Virgin and Merthyr
Liturgy	Dn. 2:31-45 "God will set up a kingdom which shall never be destroyed it will absorb all kingdoms" Lk 21:5-11 "Not a single stone will be left on another"
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Ever mindful of God's presence, especially in times of trial and difficulty, Marcellin was open to God's will as it unfolded in the events and circumstances of life. (94)
Intention	For all those involved in the education of Christian. For Brother Provincial of Mediterranean Province.
November 26 Wednesday of 34th Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 2 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Dn. 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28 "The fingers of the human hand appeared and began to write" Lk 21:12-19 "You will be hated by all men on account of my name, but not a hair of your head will be lost"
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT**

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	The words of Psalm 127: "Unless the Lord builds the house, the builders labor in WE ARE SOWERS OF THE GOOD NEWS 61 Chapter 4 62 vain..." became his constant prayer.23 Marcellin entrusted his person and his ministry to Mary "who has done everything for us."24 This same prayerful attitude guides us each day in our work of evangelization (94)
Intention	For all farmers and those who cultivate the land. For end of all forms of slavery.
November 27 Thursday of 34th Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 2 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Dn. 6:12-28 "God sent his angel and shut the lions' mouths." Lk 21:20-28 "Jerusalem will be trodden down by the Gentiles, until the times of Gentiles are fulfilled."
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** We welcome children and young people. We see in each one the image and likeness of God, worthy of our respect and love, no matter their circumstances, religious belief, their spiritual searching, or the reality of their lives. (99)
Intention	For all teachers working in our schools. For the community leaders of the province.
November 28 Friday of 34th Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 2 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Dn. 7:2-14 "I saw coming on the clouds of heaven one like the son of man" Lk 21:29-33 "When you see these things happening know that the kingdom of God is near"
Reminder	End of In-person phase of the Course on Servant and Prophetic Leadership in Accra
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** We educate above all by being present to children and young people in ways that show them that we care for them personally. We welcome them, listen attentively to them, and make time for them, getting to know each one individually. (128)
Intention	For those who do not believe in Jesus and those who have lost their faith. For racial discrimination in society.
November 29 Saturday of 34th Week in Ordinary Time Psalms: Week 2 Vestment: Green	
Liturgy	Dan 7:15-27 "Sovereignty and kingship will be given to the people of the saints of the Highest"

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	Lk 21:34-36 “stay awake praying for the strength to service all that is going to happen”
Birthday	Br. Philip Ninfaasie (1955) From Ghana
Reminder	International Day of Solidarity with Palestinian people
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** Marist educational ministries are canters of learning, life, evangelization, and innovation. (144)
Intention	For people who are homeless and unemployed. For Br. Philip, his vocation, family and community at Buokrom. **Marist Saturday:** A Day of prayer for Marist Vocations.
NOVEMBER 30 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (YEAR A) PSALMS: WEEK 1 VESTMENT: VIOLET	
Liturgy	Is. 2:1-5 “The Lord will gather all nations in the eternal peace of the kingdom of God Rom. 13:11-14 “Salvation is nearer to us now.” Mt 24:37-44 “Watch therefore, you must be ready.”
Anniversary	1857: foundation of the Missionary Sisters of the Society of Mary – Françoise Perroton. 1871: The first Marist Brothers set out for Australia. 1911: The first Marist brothers set out for Madagascar.
Reflection	**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARCELLIN CHAMPAGNAT** We seek to understand and become familiar with the lives of children and young people. We engage with their world by meeting them where they are, including through our involvement in co-curricular activities. (129)
Intention	For superiors of religious Institutes working in the African continent. In thanksgiving to God for the blessings received in the month of October.