Society of Mary

Marists in the United States

September 22, 2023

Justice & Peace Alert





As one of ND Academy's five pillars of the school's mission, service is an integral part of our curriculum! Last week, the first team of eighth graders visited <u>Clyde's Kitchen</u>, one of their service learning partners.



ND Academy third graders did an outstanding job sponsoring the first collection drive of the school year of backpacks and school supplies for <u>Amigos for Christ</u>.





Laudato Si' - Marist
Spirituality - Part 1



Laudato Si' - Marist
Spirituality - Part 2



Embracing Pope Francis' Call During the Season of Creation

The <u>Foundation of Balay Pasilungan</u>, along with the boys and dedicated staff and volunteers, came together for a meaningful day of gardening and knowledge-sharing as they launched the celebration of Season of Creation 2023.

They nurtured the Earth by planting seeds of change, and then gathered for a valuable discussion on "Solid Waste Management," a crucial step towards a greener, cleaner future.





Intercultural Day of Peace at the Marist Asia Foundation

On September 12th, Marist Asia Foundation (MAF) hosted an Intercultural event to celebrate together with the world the International Day of Peace which happens every year September 21st.

This year the MAF was blessed with the presence of many nationalities. Thai Students from different Thai Schools in Ranong (Pichai Rattakan & Sir Arunothai) participated along with Burmese students from two Learning Centres (Guiding Star & Ranong Htarni) and the MAF students whose students are Burmese. There were also people from Brazil, New Zealand, Mexico, Vanuatu, Papua New Guinee, Cameroon, Senegal, Philippines, Bougainville, and Peru, mainly Marist Catholic priests and brothers who came to be part of the Intercultural celebration.

This celebration was a moment of sharing the diversity of cultures, languages, religions, and traditions, and first and foremost, the sharing of harmonious joy and community.



2023 Feast of St. Francis program





Pastoral and spiritual aspects of the Season of Creation



Please join the Marists in celebrating the Feast of St. Francis and the close of the Season of Creation on October 4th by participating in "A Prayer for the Earth by Pope Francis, published in Laudato Si'."

St. Francis of Assisi pray for us!

2023 Teacher of Peace Celebration
September 29, 2023
In-Person and Via Livestream





'God shows no partiality': The synod, race and mutual conversion

Synod going green with initiative to offset CO2 emissions



As New York's migrant crisis
makes headlines, Catholic
Charities gets to work





Catholic advocates decry federal judge's ruling declaring DACA unlawful

Observing Hispanic Heritage <u>Month as Catholics</u>



ND Academy Kindergarteners celebrating the start of Hispanic Heritage Month with Señora Pol.





<u>Unity Walk brings people</u> from different faiths together



Young adults discuss living faithful lives in challenging times



