

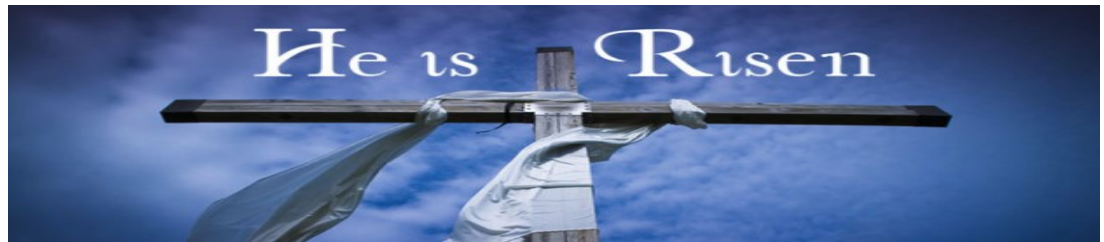
May 2022

# Passionist News Notes

## St Paul of the Cross Province



Da	May Ordinations
2	DUNN, Stephen
	MCEACHERN, Bernard
3	BONEY, Vincent
4	RICCARDI, Salvatore
12	SEGOTTA, Vincent
	POWERS, John
	JOERGER, Robert
13	GREENE, Michael
	RUTTLE, Paul
	LANDRY, Francis
	WARD, Mark
14	BURKE, Richard
	AWARD, Richard
16	DOUGLAS, John
	TIEDEMANN, Neil
17	MONACO, David
	FRECHETTE, Richard
18	CARBONNEAU, Robert
	WIERICHS, Paul
19	GRACE, Peter
	WOLANSKI, Edward
	KERBER, Justin
21	OMOLO, Gilbert
25	COONEY, Theophane
26	BONACCI, Thomas
	WARE, Donald
	CHENOT, Paul
28	GILLETTE, James
	ESPARZA-PEREZ, Hugo
29	NALEPA, Richard
30	SEDLEY, Joseph
	KRISTOFK, Terence
	VITALI, Theodore
	SALVAGNA, Michael
31	BARRY, James
	VAETH, Paul
	FINNIGAN, Francis
	BRISLIN, Thomas
	BRACKEN, Jerome
	DOUGHERTY, Charles



*"Here we have a young man of thirty, after three years at most of activity, perhaps only a few months... Expelled from society, betrayed and denied by his disciples and supporters, mocked and ridiculed by his opponents, forsaken by men and even by God, he goes through a ritual of death that is one of the most atrocious and enigmatic ever invented by man's ingenious cruelty. Had anyone promised more than he did? And now this complete fiasco of an ignominious death!"* -Hans Kun

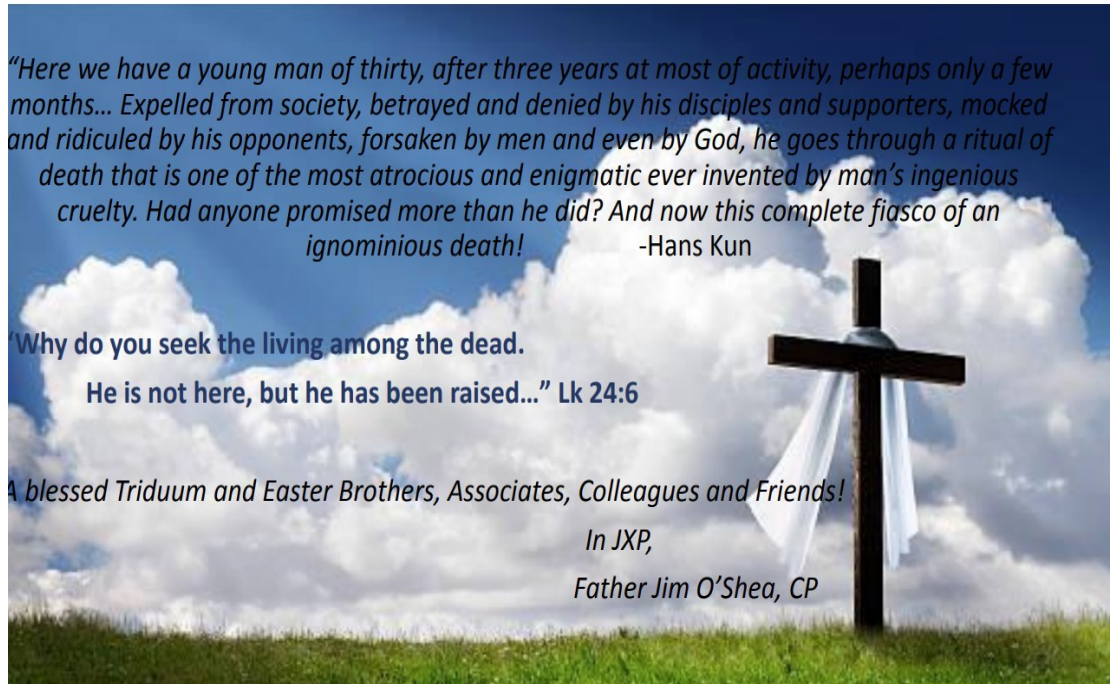
**Why do you seek the living among the dead.**

**He is not here, but he has been raised..." Lk 24:6**

*A blessed Triduum and Easter Brothers, Associates, Colleagues and Friends!*

*In JXP,*

*Father Jim O'Shea, CP*



Da	May Birthdays
1	MAGUIRE, William
	RAMOS, Jonathan
2	LOPEZ GALARZA, Luis Alfredo
3	LANDRY, Francis
4	RODRIGUEZ RODRIGUEZ, ANIBAL (ANDY)
5	SEDLEY, Joseph
21	MORAN, Michael
23	OMOLO, Gilbert
24	NALEPA, Richard
25	RECANA, Brando
26	FITZGERALD, Timothy
27	SENA, Angelo

## The first Vocation Festival at St. John's University in Queens, NY.

The Passionists were represented by:

Samuel Joseph, CP  
Rogie Castellano, CP  
Lionel Pacheco, CP  
John A. Gonzalez  
Luis Quiles



[VIDEO](#)



## Proclaiming Our Passionist Story (POPS) - The Experience of the Cross

The story of the Cross draws us in, affects all our senses and connects to our story in order to send us out anew. This Holy Week, we invite you to watch our latest *Proclaiming Our Passionist Story* video and reflect on the Cross and how the experience of the Cross has transformed you

[VIDEO](#)



## Br. Andre Mathieu, C.P. celebrates 60 years of Profession at Holy Family Retreat House

On March 3rd 1962, Br. Andre was professed as a Passionists. On April 24th he celebrated 60 years of profession with family and friends with a Mass at Holy family Retreat House in CT. As a boy he attended retreats here with his father.



# Triduum Celebration at Holy Family Retreat House



## The death of Fr. Bonaventure Moccia, C.P

Dear Fathers, Brothers, Associates, and Friends,

It is with great sadness that I inform you that Fr. Bonaventure Moccia, C.P. died on Monday, April 18, 2022.

### Arrangements for his wake and funeral are as follows:

**Wake:** Thursday, April 21, 2022, 7pm, Immaculate Conception Monastery, Public Chapel

**Funeral:** Friday, April 22, 2022, 10:30am, Immaculate Conception Monastery, Public Chapel

**Burial:** Our Lady of the Isle Cemetery, Shelter Island, New York



### Rev. Bonaventure Moccia, C.P.

**Born:** September 4, 1925 – Bronx, NY

**First Profession:** August 15, 1946 – Pittsburgh, PA

**Final Profession:** August 15, 1949 – Scranton, PA

**Ordination:** August 28, 1952 – Union City, NJ

In Christ Crucified and Risen,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "B. Moccia".

## A BEAUTIFUL Easter Hallelujah by two Canadian girls Cassandra and Callahan

Last year, a YouTube video was posted of sisters, Cassandra Star and Callahan Armstrong, singing a version of singer/songwriter Leonard Cohen's "Hallelujah" that alters many verses to tell about Jesus' death and resurrection. Kelley Mooney, the author of this Easter Hallelujah, wrote these beautiful verses when her church asked her to sing Leonard Cohen's song for the congregation on a Sunday.

In preparing to sing, Mooney, reviewed the lyrics and noticed that Leonard Cohen's version didn't tell the story of Easter; so she created new lyrics that she felt would not only tell what Jesus did through His sacrifice on Good Friday, but glorify His name and power that He showed when He was resurrected on Sunday.



[VIDEO](#)