



Pope Francis Prayer Intentions:

The Mission of Religious

That consecrated religious men & women may stir themselves, & be present among the poor, the marginalized, and those who have no voice.

Fr Justin Taylor's book on Fr Colin: "A Reluctant Founder" has been released. Here, Br Ernesto Sanchez (Marist Brothers) Sr Grace Ellul (Marist Sisters), Sr Georgeanne Donovan (SMSM) & Fr John Larsen (SM) gather to launch the book on the Feast of the Holy Name of Mary in Rome.



Logos quiz night raised approx. \$5,000. net to send volunteers to the mission in Ranong.

Please take note of our new
Landline phone number:
09 623 0325

New Plymouth Region Visit and Retreat: Taranaki turned on its best weather for Fr Chris and I to visit the groups and offer a retreat day at the Fitzroy parish. There were 32 participants and the day lived up to the theme of joy with each able to discover a fresh sense of God's love in the everyday.



There was also a number of people who expressed interest in Marist Laity so please pray for them. We have included a photo and there are more on the webpage.

Big thanks to the organisers and to Mary and John for your hospitality.



MARISTLAITY NZ

Instruments of mercy in daily life.

October 2018



Kia Ora Marists and Friends, The world has experienced ferocious storms recently with loss of life, homes and livelihoods. We hold all those impacted by natural disasters and war in our prayers as we move deeper into Spring.

Feast of the Holy Name of Mary. The Marist family in



Auckland gathered at St Anne's in Manurewa on Sunday 16th to celebrate our Marist Feast Day. Jen from Logos gave a moving presentation on the way young people hear Mary's call today, Claudia (Logos) shared on her Marist mission Brownsville Texas.



BEV'S UPCOMING VISITS:

Nelson - Blenheim Oct. Wed. 17th—Sun 21st

Christchurch area: Wed 31st Oct—Sat 3. Nov.

Hawkes Bay: Nov. Fri 16th —Mon. 19th

Please contact Bev to schedule arrangements.

Father Frank Bird SM in Hawkes Bay. The Taradale group had Fr Frank to speak about the Marist Mission in Ranong. They invited the school and a couple of classes turned up so they had a full house. He shared about



Fr Frank SM

the school and the health services they run for Burmese migrants and though not set up as a fundraiser, they collected donations and gave over \$2,000 to the Mission. To know more go to

www.maristasiafoundation.org



Br Denis SM