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*We Recommend Our Departed Brothers and Sisters
 to the Prayers of the Monks and Nuns of the Order*

01/2018 - 06/2018

Wrentham

December 31, 2017: **Sister Cécile Jubinville** was born in 1920 in Providence, Rhode Is. (USA). She entered Wrentham in 1949 and made her solemn profession in 1955. She was named Superior of the foundation of Santa Rita in 1972 and elected Prioress from 1978 to 1990. She returned to Wrentham in 1990. Sister was 98 years old and had been in monastic vows for 66 years when the Lord called her.

Tenshien

January 2, 2018: **Sister Casimir Hatanaka** was born in 1917 in Nagasaki Prefecture (Japan). She entered Tenshien in 1935 and made her solemn profession in 1942. Sister was 100 years old and had been in monastic vows for 78 years when the Lord called her.

Orval

January 12, 2018: **Dom Marc Gallant** was born in 1928 in Wervicq (Belgium). He entered Orval in 1950, made his solemn profession in 1956 and was ordained a priest in 1957. Appointed Superior *ad nutum* of Achel in 1994, he was Abbot of Achel from 1995 to 2006. Dom Marc was 89 years old, had been in monastic vows for 65 years and 60 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Kibungo

January 17, 2018: **Sister Marguerite-Marie Mukamurenzi** was born in 1939 in Busego (Byimana) (Rwanda). She entered Clarté-Dieu in 1961 and made her solemn profession in 1970. Sister was 79 years old and had been in monastic vows for 52 years when the Lord called her.

Géronde

January 25, 2018: **Sister Marie-Benoît Bonvin** was born in 1925 in Icogne (Switzerland). She entered Géronde in 1944 and made her solemn profession in 1949. Sister was 92 years old and had been in monastic vows for 72 years when the Lord called her.

Prairies

February 2, 2018: **Brother Jacques Bossé** was born in 1950 in St Quentin (Canada). He entered Prairies in 2007 and made temporary profession in 2010. Brother was 68 years old and had been in monastic vows for 8 years when the Lord called him.

Genesee

February 2, 2018: **Brother Cyril Anderson** was born in 1926 in Omaha, Nebraska (USA). He entered Holy Trinity Abbey in Utah in 1954 and made his solemn profession in 1961. He transferred his stability to Genesee in 2016. Brother was 91 years old and had been in monastic vows for 60 years when the Lord called him.

Chambarand

February 4, 2018: **Sister Gaby Gantelet** was born in 1946 in Cran-Gevrier (France). She entered Chambarand in 1976 and made her solemn profession in 1982. Sister was 71 years old and had been in monastic vows for 39 years when the Lord called her.

Hinojo

February 13, 2018: **Sister María Ela Presutti** was born in 1934 in Vittorito (Italy). She entered Vitorchiano in 1961 and made her solemn profession in 1966. She had been one of the foundresses of Hinojo in 1973. Sister was 83 years old and had been in monastic vows for 54 years when the Lord called her.

Maria Frieden

February 13, 2018: **Sister Ruth Mersmann** was born in 1931 in Oelde (Germany). She entered Maria Frieden in 1968 and made her solemn profession in 1975. She was superior *ad nutum* at Maria Frieden from 1983-1984. Sister was 86 years old and had been in monastic vows for 46 years when the Lord called her.

Chimay

February 21, 2018: **Sister Marguerite Galis** was born in 1928 in Rauville-la-Place (France). After joining the "Sœurs de Jésus Crucifié" for a number of years, she entered Chimay in 1990 and made her solemn profession in 1994. Sister was 90 years old and had been in Cistercian life for 28 years when the Lord called her.

Maria Frieden

February 25, 2018: **Sister Donata Offermann** was born in 1927 in Bonn (Germany). She entered Maria Frieden in 1959 and made her solemn profession in 1964. Sister was 91 years old and had been in monastic vows for 57 years when the Lord called her.

Timadeuc

March 4, 2018: **Father Yvon Page** was born in 1950 in Pommerit-le-Vicomte (France). He entered Timadeuc in 1975, made his solemn profession in 1981 and was ordained a priest in 1991. Father was 67 years old, had been in monastic vows for 40 years and 26 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Roscrea

March 10, 2018: **Father Eanna Henderson** was born in 1925 in Dublin (Ireland). He entered Roscrea in 1943, made his solemn profession in 1948 and was ordained a priest in 1950. Father was 93 years old, had been in monastic vows for 72 years and 68 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Zundert

March 13, 2018: **Brother Johan Oomen** was born in 1926 in Oosteind-Oosterhout (The Netherlands). He entered Zundert in 1950 and made his solemn profession in 1956. Brother was 91 years old and had been in monastic vows for 65 years when the Lord called him.

Maria Frieden

March 15, 2018: **Sister Consolata Klein** was born in 1922 in Braunsberg (Poland). She entered Maria Frieden in 1958 and made her solemn profession in 1964. Sister was 95 years old and had been in monastic vows for 58 years when the Lord called her.

Tenshien

March 18, 2018: **Mother Maria Spes Ano** was born in 1932 in Nagasaki (Japan). She entered Tenshien in 1951 and made her solemn profession in 1958. Mother Maria Spes was abbess of Tenshien from 1976 to 2000. She was 85 years old and had been in monastic vows for 63 years when the Lord called her.

Nunraw

March 20, 2018: **Brother Kentigern Heenan** was born in 1925 in Glasgow (Scotland). He entered Nunraw in 1948 and made his solemn profession in 1953. Brother was 92 years old and had been in monastic vows for 67 years when the Lord called him.

Vina

March 22, 2018, **Father Anthony Bellesorte** was born in 1935 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA. He entered the Dominicans in 1963, was ordained to the presbyterate in 1969, transferred to Vina in 1972 and made stability in 1978.

Father was 82 years old, had been in Cistercian life for 45 years and 48 years a priest when the Lord called him when the Lord called him.

Cîteaux

March 24, 2018: **Dom Loys Samson** was born in 1921 in Cosne (France). He entered Cîteaux in 1946, made his solemn profession in 1952 and was ordained a priest in 1954. Dom Loys was abbot of Cîteaux from 1969 to 1993 then Counsellor of the Abbot General from 1993 to 1999. He was 97 years old, had been in monastic vows for 69 years and 63 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Mount Melleray

April 4, 2018: **Father Bonaventure Cumiskey** was born in 1922 in Ceanannus Mór (Ireland). He entered Mount Melleray in 1941, made his solemn profession in 1946 and was ordained a priest in 1948. Father was 95 years old, had been in monastic vows for 74 years and 70 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Mariawald

April 5, 2018: **Brother Jordanus Brink** was born in 1924 in Gelsenkirchen-Buer (Germany). He entered Mariawald in 1951 and made his solemn profession in 1957. Brother was 93 years old and had been in monastic vows for 63 years when the Lord called him.

Echourgnac

April 10, 2018: **Sister Michèle Mège** was born in 1940 in Giat (France). After joining the Congregation of the Sisters of "la Providence de Peltre" for a number of years, she entered Echourgnac in 1969 and made her solemn profession in 1972. Sister was 78 years old and had been in monastic life for 48 years when the Lord called her.

Arévalo

April 12, 2018: **Mother Pilar Castro Prieto** was born in 1923 in Reliegos (Spain). She entered San Quirce of Valladolid of the Congregation of las Huelgas in 1943 and made her solemn profession in 1946. Entered Arévalo in 1948 and changed stability in 1949.

Mother Pilar was abbess of Arévalo from 1960 to 1991. She was 94 years old and had been in monastic vows for 75 years when the Lord called her.

Mount Melleray

April 14, 2018: **Father Denis Collins** was born in 1931 in Skibbereen (Ireland). He entered Mount Melleray in 1960, made his solemn profession in 1965 and was ordained a priest in 1966. Father was 87 years old, had been in monastic vows for 55 years and 52 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Gethsemani (Holy Trinity)

April 19, 2018: **Dom Malachy Flaherty** was born in 1924 in Bloomfield, KY (USA). He entered Gethsemani in 1943. He was a founder of Holy Trinity in 1947 where he made his solemn profession in 1949. He was ordained a priest in 1960. Dom Malachy was abbot of Holy Trinity from 1983 to 1995. He was 94 years old, had been in monastic vows for 72 years and 58 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Cardeña

April 23, 2018: **Father Roberto Carpintero Barrientos** was born in 1930 in San Cipriano de Rueda (Spain). He entered Cardeña in 1943, made his solemn profession in 1951 and was ordained a priest in 1956. Father was 87 years old, had been in monastic vows for 69 years and 62 years a priest when the Lord called him.

San Isidro

April 27, 2018: **Brother Clemente Rivera Rovira** was born in 1922 in Plasencia (Spain). He entered San Isidro in 1949 and made his solemn profession in 1955. Brother was 95 years old and had been in monastic vows for 66 years when the Lord called him.

L'Étoile Notre-Dame

April 29, 2018: **Sister Hélène Ogawin** was born in 1948 in Gomè (Benin). She entered L'Étoile N.D. in 1968 and made her solemn profession in 1976. Sister was 69 years old and had been in monastic vows for 46 years when the Lord called her.

Mount St. Bernard

May 4, 2018: **Father Hilary Costello** was born in 1926 in London (UK). He entered Mount St. Bernard in 1947, made his solemn profession in 1953 and was ordained a priest in 1955. Father was 91 years old, had been in monastic vows for 68 years and 63 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Cabanoule

May 5, 2018: **Sister Marie Luc Gourichon** was born in 1942 in La Plaine (France). She entered les Gardes in 1963 and made her solemn profession in 1968. She had been one of the foundresses of Cabanoule in 1970. Sister was 76 years old and had been in monastic vows for 52 years when the Lord called her.

New Melleray

May 9, 2018: **Brother Placid Zilka** was born in 1929 in Flensburg, MN (USA). He entered New Melleray in 1955 and made his solemn profession in 1960. Brother was 89 years old and had been in monastic vows for 60 years when the Lord called him.

Les Neiges

May 10, 2018: **Father Zephirin Gleize** was born in 1920 in Prinsuéjols (France). He entered Les Neiges in 1947, made his solemn profession in 1952 and was ordained a priest in 1952. Father was 98 years old, had been in monastic vows for 68 years and 65 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Tre Fontane

May 11, 2018: **Father Carmelo Bucciarelli** was born in 1928 in Castel Piano (Italy). He entered Tre Fontane in 1957, made his solemn profession in 1963 and was ordained a priest in 1975. Father was 89 years old, had been in monastic vows for 58 years and 43 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Rawaseneng

May 17, 2018: **Brother Florentinus Suwito** was born in 1951 in Klaten (Indonesia). He entered Rawaseneng in 1983 and made his solemn profession in 1990. Brother was 67 years old and had been in monastic vows for 32 years when the Lord called him.

Oelenberg (Mariawald)

May 23, 2018: **Father Pius Hans** was born in 1932 in Gronig (Germany). He entered Mariawald in 1955, made his solemn profession in 1960 and was ordained a priest in 1962. Father was 85 years old, had been in monastic vows for 61 years and 55 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Ajimu

May 30, 2018: **Sister Maria-Immaculata Akabae Fumi** was born in 1927 in Nagasaki (Japan). She entered Nishinomiya in 1950 and made her solemn profession in 1956. She had been one of the foundresses of Miyako in 1981 and participated in the transfer of the Community to Ajimu in 2001. Sister was 90 years old and had been in monastic vows for 65 years when the Lord called her.

Abakaliki

June 1, 2018: **Mother Margaret Hanron** was born in 1928 in Worcester, Mass. (USA). She entered Wrentham (USA) in 1951 and made her solemn profession in 1957. Then she went to the monastery of Glencairn (Ireland) where she changed stability in 1966. She had been one of the foundresses of Abakaliki (Nigeria) in 1982, first Superior of the Fondation and first Prioress of Abakaliki from 1997 to 2003. Mother Margaret was 90 years old and had been in monastic vows for 65 years when the Lord called her.

New Melleray

June 2, 2018: **Brother Walter Schoenberg** was born in 1924 in Spring Hill, Minnesota (USA). He entered New Melleray in 1946 and made his solemn profession in 1952. Brother was 94 years old and had been in monastic vows for 69 years when the Lord called him.

Sept Fons

June 2, 2018: **Brother Jean-Paul Charmette** was born in 1987 in St Agrève (France). He entered Sept-Fons in 2013 and made temporary profession in 2016. Brother was 31 years old and had been in monastic vows for 2 years when the Lord called him.

Guadalupe

June 4, 2018: **Father Mark Weidner** was born in 1926 in Brooklyn, NY (USA). He entered Our Lady of the Valley / Spencer in 1947, and was sent out on the first foundation in Pecos, NM in 1948. He made his solemn profession in 1952 and was ordained a priest in 1954. Father was 91 years old, had been in monastic vows for 69 years and 63 years a priest when the Lord called him.

St. Sixte

June 5, 2018: **Brother Placied Ongenaert** was born in 1925 in Verrebroek (Belgium). He entered St. Sixte in 1957 and made his solemn profession in 1962. Brother was 93 years old and had been in monastic vows for 58 years when the Lord called him.

Awhum

June 8, 2018: **Brother Cletus Ezenwafor** was born in 1960 in Aguluezechukwu (Nigeria). He entered Awhum in 1990 and made his solemn profession in 2002. Brother was 58 years old and had been in monastic vows for 25 years when the Lord called him.

Bellefontaine

June 10, 2018: **Brother Jean-Berchmans Boulestreau** was born in 1923 in Saint-Quentin-en-Mauges (France). He entered Bellefontaine in 1950 and made his solemn profession in 1957. Brother was 95 years old and had been in monastic vows for 63 years when the Lord called him.

Cîteaux

June 17, 2018: **Brother Hubert d'Hamonville** was born in 1923 in Manonville (France). He entered Cîteaux in 1942 and made his solemn profession in 1952. Brother was 94 years old and had been in monastic vows for 69 years when the Lord called him.

Gethsemani (Holy Trinity)

June 18, 2018: **Brother Nicholas Prinster** was born in 1927 in Grand Junction, CO (USA). He entered Holy Trinity in 1951 and made his solemn profession in 1957. Brother was 91 years old and had been in monastic vows for 65 years when the Lord called him.

Géronde

June 24, 2018: **Sister Marie-Elisabeth Gillioz** was born in 1932 in Grône (Switzerland). She entered Géronde in 1959 and made her solemn profession in 1964. Sister was 86 years old and had been in monastic vows for 57 years when the Lord called her.

Cîteaux (Melleray)

June 27, 2018: **Brother René Le Guelvout** was born in 1925 in Nantes (France). He entered Melleray in 1945 and made his solemn profession in 1951. Brother was 93 years old and had been in monastic vows for 70 years when the Lord called him.
