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

01/2017 - 06/2017

Mount St. Bernard

January 11, 2017: **Brother Thomas Taylor** was born in 1927 in Manchester (UK). He entered Mount St. Bernard in 1949 and made solemn profession in 1955. Brother was 89 years old and had been in monastic vows for 64 years when the Lord called him.

Nasu

January 12, 2017: **Sister Julia Wada** was born in 1926 in Shizuoka-Shi (Japan). She entered Nishinomiya in 1956 and made her solemn profession in 1963. She changed stability to Nasu in 1967. Sister was 90 years old and had been in monastic vows for 56 years when the Lord called her.

San Isidro

January 14, 2017: **Brother Julián Atienza Nieto** was born in 1936 in Baltanás (Spain). He entered San Isidro in 1949 and made his solemn profession in 1957. Brother was 81 years old and had been in monastic vows for 62 years when the Lord called him.

Imari

January 15, 2017: **Sister Germana Kobayashi Yuri** was born in 1923 in Nagasaki (Japan). She entered Tenshien in 1948. She had been one of the foundresses of Shindembaru in 1953 and made her solemn profession in 1954. Sister participated in the transfer of the Community to Imari in 1965. She was 93 years old and had been in monastic vows for 65 years when the Lord called her.

Nazareth

January 15, 2017: **Sister Marie-José Burin** was born in 1928 in Tongeren (Belgium). She entered Brecht in 1954 and made her solemn profession in 1959. Sister was 88 years old and had been in monastic vows for 60 years when the Lord called her.

Mount Melleray

January 18, 2017: **Father Alphonsus O'Connell** was born in 1924 in Killavullen, Cork (Ireland). He entered Mount Melleray in 1947, made his solemn profession in 1952 and was ordained a priest in 1953. Father was 92 years old, had been in monastic vows for 67 years and 63 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Tre Fontane

January 19, 2017: **Dom Angelo Buccitti** was born in 1917 in Boville Ernica (Italy). He entered Frattocchie in 1931, made his solemn profession in 1938 and was ordained a priest in 1942. Appointed Superior ad nutum of Tre Fontane in 1979 and elected Abbot in 1980, he resigned in 1991. Father was 99 years old, had been in monastic vows for 81 years and 74 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Avila

January 20, 2017: **Sister Lucía Vicente Pindado** was born in 1943 in Llano de Olmedo, Valladolid (Spain). She entered Avila in 1962 and made her solemn profession in 1967. Sister was 73 years old and had been in monastic vows for 52 years when the Lord called her.

Kokoubou - Bellefontaine

January 28, 2017: **Brother Vincent Manguet** was born in 1948 in St Lumine-de-Clisson (France). He entered Bellefontaine in 1969, made his solemn profession in 1978 and was a founder of Kokoubou in 1978. He returned to Bellefontaine in February 2016 for health reasons. Brother was 68 years old and had been in monastic vows for 45 years when the Lord called him.

Tamié

January 29, 2017: **Father Philippe Hémon** was born in 1950 in Guengat (France). He entered Tamié in 1974, made his solemn profession in 1979 and was ordained a priest in 1994. Father was 66 years old, had been in monastic vows for 40 years and 22 years a priest when the Lord called him. He had just been incardinated in the diocese of Quimper for a month.

Berryville

January 30, 2017: **Dom Robert Barnes**, Abbot emeritus of Berryville.

Dom Robert was born in 1942 in (USA). He entered Berryville in 1961, made his solemn profession in 1966 and was ordained a priest in 1970. He was Abbot of Berryville from 1998 to 2016. Father was 75 years old, had been in monastic vows for 53 years and 46 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Mt. Melleray

January 30, 2017: **Brother Camillus Canning** was born in 1930 in Dublin (Ireland). He entered Mt. Melleray in 1951 and made his solemn profession in 1958. Brother was 86 years old and had been in monastic vows for 61 years when the Lord called him.

Sept Fons

February 8, 2017: **Brother Maur Buisson** was born in 1927 in Paris (France). He entered Sept-Fons in 1963 and made his solemn profession in 1968. Brother was 89 years old and had been in monastic vows for 51 years when the Lord called him.

Victoria

February 8, 2017: **Dom Bernard Kaboggoza**, Abbot emeritus of Victoria.

Dom Bernard was born in 1925 in Butolo (Uganda). Solemn Profess of another Congregation, he entered Victoria in 1958, made his solemn profession in 1960 and was ordained a priest in 1969. He was Abbot of Victoria from 1989 to 2001. Father was 91 years old, had been in monastic life for 59 years and 47 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Vina

February 21, 2017: **Dom Bernard Johnson**, Abbot emeritus of Conyers and Vina.

Dom Bernard Johnson was born in 1925 in Las Animas, Colorado, USA. He entered Holy Spirit, Conyers, in 1946. He made his solemn profession in 1951 and was ordained a priest in 1954. He arrived in Vina in 1967. He was elected second abbot of Vina (1968 -1970). He then served the Order as a Permanent Councilor and as Procurator General (1971 – 1990). He was elected fifth abbot of Conyers (1990 - 2000) when he returned his stability to Vina. Dom Bernard was 91 years old and had been in monastic vows for 69 years and 62 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Nunraw

February 21, 2017: **Father Brendan McGlynn** (Fr. Nivard of Bamenda) was born in 1930 in Glasgow (Great Britain). After joining the Franciscans for a number of years, he joined the Cistercian Abbey of Mount St Bernard in 1952, made his solemn profession in 1957 and was ordained a priest in 1959. He was later sent on the new foundation in Bamenda, Cameroon, in the '60s. He came back to Great Britain in 2008 for health reasons and changed his stability to Nunraw. At that time he also changed back to his baptismal name of Brendan. Father was 86 years old, had been in monastic vows for 62 years and 57 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Guadalupe

March 2, 2017: **Father Joseph Benedict Donnelly** was born in 1916 in Oakmont, PA (USA). He was ordained a priest in 1943, entered Guadalupe in 1965 and made his solemn profession in 1968. Father was **100 years old**, had been in monastic life for 52 years and 74 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Campénéac

March 9, 2017: **Sister Françoise Moulin** was born in 1928 in Lorient (France). She entered Campénéac in 1977 and made her solemn profession in 1981. Sister was 88 years old and had been in monastic vows for 37 years when the Lord called her.

Sobrado

March 10, 2017: **Father Pablo Martínez Fernández** was born in 1937 in Santander (Spain). He entered Viaceli in 1959, made his solemn profession in 1965 and was a founder of Sobrado in 1966. He was ordained a priest in 1976. Father was 79 years old, had been in monastic vows for 55 years and 40 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Val d'Igny

March 10, 2017: **Sister Camille Dhote** was born in 1922 in Chissey (France). She entered La Grâce-Dieu in 1943 and made her solemn profession in 1948. Sister was 94 years old and had been in monastic vows for 71 years when the Lord called her.

Port-du-Salut

March 14, 2017: **Father Jacques Livrauw** was born in 1929 in Etterbeek-Bruxelles (Belgium). He was ordained a priest in 1954, entered Port-du-Salut in 1995 and made his solemn profession in 2001. Father was 87 years old, had been in monastic vows for 19 years and 62 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Wrentham

March 14, 2017: **Sister Edith Scholl** was born in 1931 in London (Great Britain). She entered Wrentham in 1956 and made her solemn profession in 1963. Sister was 85 years old and had been in monastic vows for 58 years when the Lord called her.

Sept-Fons

March 17, 2017: **Brother Paul Pfisterer** was born in 1935 in Colmar (France). He entered Sept-Fons in 1956 and made his solemn profession in 1965. Brother was 81 years old and had been in monastic vows for 55 years when the Lord called him.

Westmalle

March 20, 2017: **Brother Luc Lahaut** was born in 1928 in Vlissingen (the Netherlands). He entered the Dominican Order in 1950 and entered Achel in 1975. He made his solemn profession in 1978. Brother was 88 years old and had been in monastic vows for 39 years when the Lord called him.

New Melleray

March 31, 2017: **Brother Kevin Knox** was born in 1939 in McHenry, Illinois (USA). He entered New Melleray in 1959 and made his solemn profession in 1965. Brother was 78 years old and had been in monastic vows for 56 years when the Lord called him.

Sept-Fons

April 2, 2017: **Father Marc Mars** was born in 1926 in Fontainebleau (France). He entered Sept-Fons in 1943, made his solemn profession in 1949 and was ordained a priest in 1955. Father was 90 years old, had been in monastic vows for 71 years and 61 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Val d'Igny

April 16, 2017: **Sister Humbeline Brun** was born in 1926 in Dijon (France). She entered Val d'Igny in 1949 and made her solemn profession in 1954. Sister was 90 years old and had been in monastic vows for 65 years when the Lord called her.

Maria Frieden

April 21, 2017: **Sister Anna Stöcklein** was born in 1923 in Hallstadt (Southern Germany). She entered Maria Frieden in 1961 and made her solemn profession in 1971. Sister was 93 years old and had been in monastic vows for 52 years when the Lord called her.

Klaarland

April 26, 2017: **Sister Ruth Leysen** was born in 1950 in Brasschaat (Belgium). Professed of an apostolic Congregation, she entered Klaarland in 1998 and made her solemn profession in 2002. Sister was 66 years old and had been in monastic life for 18 years when the Lord called her.

Awhum

April 27, 2017: **Brother Udechukwu Umeorizu** was born in 1954 in Ikbo-Ukwu, Awka (Nigeria). He entered Awhum in 1993 and made his solemn profession in 2000. Brother was 62 years old and had been in monastic vows for 21 years when the Lord called him.

Vitorchiano

May 6, 2017: **Sister Agnese Bellomi** was born in 1921 in Villa Cogozza (Italy). She entered Vitorchiano in 1946 and made her perpetual profession in 1952. Sister was 95 years old and had been in monastic vows for 69 years when the Lord called her.

Mississippi

May 13, 2017: **Sister Mary Ann Sullivan** was born in 1937 in Washington, D.C. (USA). She entered Wrentham in 1957 and made her solemn profession in 1962. She had been one of the foundresses of Mississippi in 1964. Sister was 79 years old and had been in monastic vows for 57 years.

Illah

May 11, 2017: **Brother Joseph Udeh** was born in 1929 in Umunaa-Ndiagu, Anambra State (Nigeria). He entered Illah as an Oblate in 1986. Brother was 88 years old and had been in monastic life for 31 years when the Lord called him.

Alloz

May 27, 2017: **Sister María Luisa Ruíz Vela** was born in 1930 in Alcalá la Real, Sevilla (Spain). She entered Alloz in 1986 and made her solemn profession in 1992. Sister was 86 years old and had been in monastic vows for 25 years when the Lord called her.

Wrentham

May 28, 2017: **Mother Agnes Day** was born in 1933 in Baguio (Philippines). She entered Wrentham in 1956 and made her solemn profession in 1961. Mother Agnes was abbess of Wrentham from 1986 to 2008. She was 84 years old and had been in monastic vows for 58 years when the Lord called her.

Berryville

June 1, 2017: **Father Paschal Balkan** was born in 1927 in South Boston, Mass. (USA). He entered Our Lady of the Valley / Spencer in 1949, made his solemn profession in 1954 and was ordained a priest in 1955 and went to Berryville in 1956. Father was 90 years old, had been in monastic vows for 65 years and 62 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Conyers

June 1, 2017 : **Father Edward Morley** was born on March 2, 1931 in Jersey City, New Jersey (USA). He entered Conyers in 1974, made solemn profession in 1979 and was ordained a priest in 1983. Father Ed was 86 years old, had been in monastic vows for 40 years and 34 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Arévalo

June 5, 2017: **Sister Sonsoles Jorge Sánchez** was born in 1940 in Ávila (Spain). She entered Arévalo in 1960 and made her solemn profession in 1965. Sister was 76 years old and had been in monastic vows for 57 years when the Lord called her.

Val Notre-Dame

June 14, 2017: **Father Dominique Desrochers** was born in 1921 in Montréal (Québec, Canada). He entered Oka in 1944, made his solemn profession and was ordained a priest in 1949. Father was 95 years old, had been in monastic vows for 70 years and 67 years a priest when the Lord called him.

Maria Frieden

June 25, 2017: **Sister Maria Goretti van Oirsouw** was born in 1927 in Den Haag (The Netherlands). She entered Koningsoord in 1952 and went to Maria Frieden in 1956. There she made her solemn profession in 1957. Sister was 90 years old and had been in monastic vows for 63 years when the Lord called her.
