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## TO ALL RELIGIOUS OF THE ORDER THE GRACE AND PEACE OF GOD, OUR FATHER

Dear Brothers,

We are at the gates of a new Piarist Vocational Year, which will begin, God willing, on November 20, a particularly significant day for the Pious Schools. In this vocational context, we celebrate a new Day of Prayer for the Young Piarists, instituted by the Order for September 26 of each year.

As on other occasions, I send you the complete list of all our young people in Formation, so that we can have a real picture of the vocational and formative dynamics that we live, and we can, especially, pray for them, giving thanks to God for each one. I invite you to a personal and community prayer for each young Piarist, asking the Lord to grant them the precious gift of vocational fidelity and a process of growth that allows them to become the Piarist that children and young people need in the moment we live.

Let us pray for our young people, that they may be authentic children of Calasanz, who made it clear to us what is the center of Piarist life, what is the way in which it should be lived, what are the keys that help and sustain the vocation, what is the meaning of our mission, etc. Piarists consecrated to the one Lord, focused on their faith, dedicated to the mission, brothers of community, companions of children and young people and always on the path of conversion.

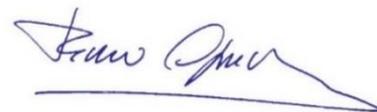
It is good that this Day of Prayer is celebrated in a special way in each community and in each presence, dedicating time and affection to prepare it. There is no doubt that the best thing we believers can do for the people we care about is to pray for them, putting their lives in God's hands. That is the meaning of this Day of Prayer that the General Congregation proposes to the entire Order.

Let us renew our thanksgiving to God for all the young people He sends us.

Receive a fraternal embrace.



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Rome, 26 September 2021, Prayer for the Young Piarists