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* SPECIAL EDITION – NEW SUPERIOR GENERAL *



Dear Brothers,

No doubt you've probably heard, it is with great joy that I bring you the news that Br Peter Carroll has been elected the Superior General.

The delegates of the 23rd General Chapter have recognised what we have known for so long that Peter is an outstanding leader with vision, intelligence and wisdom. I know that the brothers here have acknowledged these qualities along with Peter's approachability, his love of the brothers and his depth of spirituality. At this point in our history as an Institute, they are looking for a leader who is open minded and committed to genuine dialogue, a person who embraces a synodal manner of leadership.

In his first speech to the Chapter, Peter spoke of "the God of surprises who has done it again". He went on to speak of the honour that has been bestowed on him, highlighting the importance of working as a team and the sense of brotherhood that has been palpable at this Chapter.

We wish Peter all the very best for this great responsibility that has been entrusted to him and leave him in the care and guidance of Jesus, Mary, our Good Mother, and Marcellin.

Br Darren Burge
Vice Provincial

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