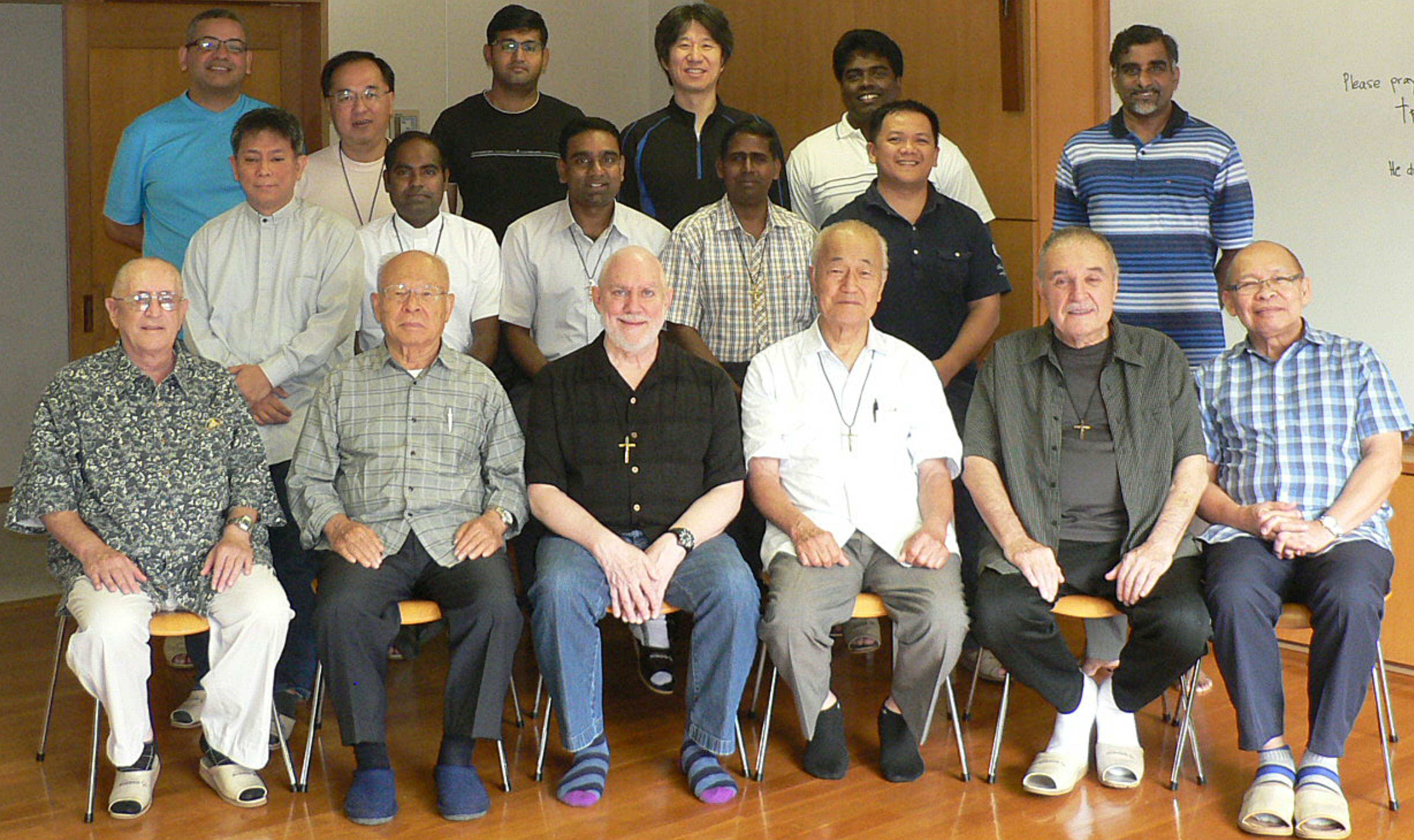


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Please pray for the eternal rest
† FR. KENNEDY KAT...
JPIC Director in...
He died at the General House

Retreat for the Delegation of Japan-Korea 2016

Br. Patrick M. McGee, OMI

A thematic outline of the retreat –

- Called by Christ (Monday)
- In and Into Community (Tuesday)
- To the Cross (*Kenosis*) (Wednesday)
- With Mary (Thursday)
- In Mission to the (*Secular*) World (Friday)

Sunday – opening of retreat: an invitation to **ABIDE** – A reflection on John 15: 1-17

Monday –

- Morning: “Called by Christ” – Constitution 1 – to see myself as called by Christ to a personal friendship with Christ.
- Afternoon: “Called to be like Christ the Savior” – to live as other Christ.

Tuesday –

- Morning: “Called in and into Community” – Constitution 3 and 37 – shaped into Christ in our fraternal living.
- Afternoon: “Community as our *Asceticism*” – Rule 18a & Constitution 34 – Jesus Christ and the Apostles.

Wednesday –

- Morning: “The Cross of Christ: *Kenosis*” – Phil. 2: 6-11 and Gal. 2: 19-20
- Afternoon: “The Cross of Christ in our preaching” – Jesus as the Face of a compassionate, self-giving, loving God.

Thursday –

- Morning: “With Mary at the Cross”
- Afternoon: “With Mary, close to the people”

Friday –

- Morning: “Our mission in the (secular) world” – Return to John 15, adding the final section “if the world hates you....” Verses 18-27.

2016 Annual Retreat:



Brother Pat McGee, OMI

Preaching our retreat this year (Sept. 11-16) is Brother Pat MCGEE of the USA Province. He is originally from St. Paul, Minnesota. He was born in 1947, professed his first vows in 1968 and final vows in 1976. His ministry experience includes parish and youth ministry, formation ministry, preaching ministry and spiritual direction. He is preparing to become the Director of Novices in August 2017. Br. Pat is also a holder of a PhD degree. He will be with us from Sept 7 to 21. He will be visiting the missions after the retreat.

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