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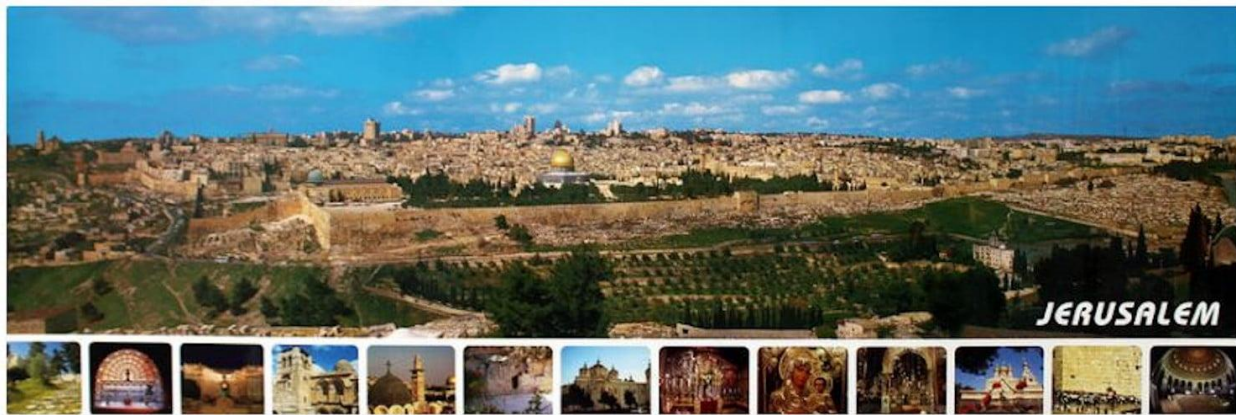
Dear Loving Sisters,

Loving and Prayerful greetings from the Provincial House, Dum Dum !

The Season of Creation has ended on 04 October, on the feast of St. Francis of Assisi but our responsibility to care for our Mother Earth continues. St. Francis, a true friend of the earth, teaches us to see the divine in every creature and to live in harmony with nature. Dear sisters, I invite each one of you to carry forward this awareness into our daily lives, to nurture a spirit of reverence, compassion, and stewardship, so that our communities may reflect God's love and the beauty of creation in tangible ways.



Pilgrimage to Jerusalem: A Journey of Faith, Reflection and renewal



Dear Sisters, our pilgrimage to Jerusalem has been a profound experience, filled with fond memories, renewal of faith and spiritual growth. From the place of Annunciation to the Lord's Ascension into heaven, we've walked in the footsteps of Jesus, deepening our faith and connection with God.

Let us recall a few places for our reflection and Renewal.

The Place of Annunciation

- Mary's humility and faith: We reflected on the angel Gabriel's message to Mary, embracing God's plan with trust and obedience.
- A sacred moment: We felt the significance of this moment, where the divine intersected with humanity, and the journey of salvation began.

Following in Jesus' Footsteps

- Walking the Via Dolorosa: We were fortunate to accompany Jesus on his journey to Golgotha, reflecting on his Passion and sacrifice.
- The Last Supper: We relived the moment Jesus shared his final meal with the disciples, instituting the Eucharist and preparing them for his departure.

The Lord's Ascension

- A bitter sweet moment: We felt the joy of Jesus' triumph over death and sin, but also the sadness of his physical departure from the disciples.
- Empowered to continue: We reflected on Jesus' final instructions to the disciples, commissioning them to spread the Good News to all nations.

A Touching Experience

- Emotional and spiritual connection: We felt a deep sense of connection to Jesus, Mary, Joseph and the early Christian community, experiencing a range of emotions from joy to sorrow.
- Personal reflection and growth: We took time to reflect on our own faith journey, deepening our understanding of God's love and plan for our life.

Fond Memories

- The Western Wall: We prayed at this sacred site, feeling a sense of awe and reverence for the Jewish faith and history.
- The Church of the Holy Sepulcher: We worshipped at the site of Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection, experiencing the triumph of life over death.

A Lasting Impact

- Renewed faith: our pilgrimage has strengthened our faith, inspiring us to live out our values and principles in daily life.
- Gratitude and wonder: We are filled with gratitude for the experience and a sense of wonder at the beauty and significance of the Holy Land.

May the memories of our pilgrimage stay with us all dear Sisters, inspiring us to live a life of faith, hope, and love. Above all we have touched and witnessed the Gospel that we read in our daily life.

During our recent pilgrimage to the Holy Land, we were blessed to walk in the very places where the Lord lived, taught, and revealed His love. We had the profound opportunity to **see the Lord's places**, from the humble streets of Nazareth to the sacred sites in Jerusalem, and to witness firsthand the history and mystery of our faith.

This pilgrimage was not only a journey of sight but also a journey of the heart. We **saw and witnessed** the enduring presence of God in the landscapes, the sacred sites, and in the lives of the people who continue to live in faith today. Every moment reminded us of the deep connection between Scripture and reality, between faith and lived experience.

Let us now **share these experiences with our recipients**, so that the grace, inspiration and joy we received may also touch their hearts. May our stories, reflections and the witness of our

journey encourage others to grow in faith, hope and love. In this way, the blessings of our pilgrimage continue to unfold, reaching far beyond the places we visited, into the hearts of all whom we serve.

Canonization of Blessed Maria Troncatti 19 October

“From the forests of Ecuador to the heart of the Church, Maria Troncatti’s life continues to whisper: Love, serve, and trust.”

Here I inscribe a short, inspiring biography tracing her journey from Italy to Ecuador, her work among the Shuar people, and her heroic witness of charity.

- Born: 1883, Corteno Golgi, Italy
- Mission Departure: 1922 to Ecuador
- Service: Nurse, missionary, peacebuilder
- Beatified: 24 November 2012
- Canonized: 19 October 2025



With hearts full of joy and gratitude, we rejoice in the forthcoming **canonization of Blessed Maria Troncatti on 19 October 2025**. This moment of grace is a gift not only for our Institute but for the entire Church.

Blessed Maria Troncatti lived the **charity of Christ** in a profound and tangible way, especially among the **Shuar people** of Ecuador. As a missionary, nurse and mother, she gave herself completely to the service of others—healing bodies, consoling hearts and bringing the light of the Gospel to those most in need. Her life was a radiant testimony of simplicity, courage and boundless love.

May her example inspire each of us to live our vocation with renewed zeal and generosity, practicing daily the charity that transforms hearts and communities. Let us prepare spiritually for this great celebration, asking her intercession so that we too may become signs of God’s tenderness and peace in today’s world.

In the School of Mary: The Rosary, a Path of Love and Light

As we enter this beautiful month dedicated to Our Lady of the Rosary, my heart is filled with gratitude for the gift of this simple yet profound prayer—the Holy Rosary. It is a chain of love that unites heaven and earth, a gentle rhythm of prayer that leads us into the heart of Christ through the eyes of Mary.

The Rosary is not merely a repetition of words but a **journey of contemplation**. Each Hail Mary becomes a steppingstone into the mystery of God’s love revealed in the life of Jesus. As we meditate on the Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful and Glorious Mysteries, we are invited to live them in our daily lives—with joy, with light, with compassion and with hope.

Blessed Maria Troncatti, whose canonization we joyfully await, loved the Rosary deeply. Among the Shuar people, she carried it as her silent companion, a **source of peace, courage and**

strength. In times of difficulty, it was her lifeline—a way to entrust her mission entirely to Mary, the Mother of Consolation.

Today, as we face the challenges of our times—conflict, suffering and uncertainty—the Rosary remains a prayer of **peace and perseverance**. It teaches us to listen, to trust and to let our hearts beat in harmony with Mary's. Each decade we pray is like planting a rose of love and faith in the garden of our souls.

Let us renew our devotion to the Rosary—not as a duty, but as a daily encounter with Mary who brings us closer to her Son. May every bead remind us of our mission to bring peace, tenderness and hope wherever we are sent.

With Mary, let us continue to say our humble “yes,” trusting that through prayer and service, we can transform hearts and heal the world.



Communications

On 15 of October 2025, together with Aishwarya Toppo, a past pupil of Auxilium Dum Dum I will leave for Rome to take part in the Canonization of Blessed Maria Troncatti.

1st Phase of the Second Novitiate will take place at Shillong. From our province Sr. Anima Kujur and Sr. Martha Minj will be joining for the second novitiate from 14 November to 15 December 2025. We wish them fruitful preparation for their final commitment to the Lord.

Meetings and Seminars

- ❖ Sr. Lily D'Souza, Sr. Rosy Veliyan and Sr. Stella Potteparambil will take part in PCI Formators' Meet at Guwahati from October 22-27, 2025.

Gratitude and Appreciation to:

- 🌸 Sr. Stella Potteparambil and the formation sector for organizing seminar for the profession batch, 2001 – 2013 from 03 to 06 October with the them: “To be Recharged and Rejuvenated in Spirit”.
- 🌸 Sr. Rosy Veliyan and the Aspirantate community for preparing the aspirants to make their fruitful retreat and postulants to go one more step ahead as they received the Medal on 07 October 2025.
- 🌸 Sr. Lily D'Souza the vice provincial, Sr. Lily Perumpettikunnel, the general coordinator and the team members for their meticulous planning for the Provincial community day and Jubilee celebration of our sisters.
- 🌸 Sr. Minimol Thomas for explaining the society matters very clearly online on 26 September 2025.
- 🌸 Sr. Clara Saminathan, Sr. Stella Potteparambil and Sr. Elizabeth Valliyil for Policy book meeting on 23 September 2025.
- 🌸 Sr. Stella and the community of Auxilium Dum Dum for all the arrangement for the successful Provincial Community Day and Jubilee Celebration.

Let us pray for our dear departed - Condolences to:

† Sr. Susanna Korah at the demise of her brother Mr. Joseph Korah (78) on 08 October 2025.

Let us continue to intercede before God for the needs of the province, the communities and the good health of all our sisters and the ailing members of our families.

Dear Sisters,

As I conclude this letter let us make the season of creation our sacred call to care for our common home — to see God's beauty reflected in every leaf, every creature, every breath of life. Our **pilgrimage to the Holy Land** deepened this awareness, as we walked the very paths of the Lord and witnessed His enduring presence in the land that still echoes His peace and love.

In this month of the **Holy Rosary**, we are invited to journey with Mary, contemplating the mysteries of Christ's life through her eyes of faith. May the gentle rhythm of the Rosary draw us ever closer to Jesus and strengthen our unity as communities of prayer and service.

As we joyfully prepare for the **canonization of Sr. Maria Troncatti**, we are inspired by her radiant charity and missionary courage. Her life among the Shuar people is a living reminder that holiness is born from love — a love that heals, reconciles and gives itself without measure. May all these graces lead us to live our vocation with renewed enthusiasm and tenderness, as true witnesses of God's mercy in today's world.

Yours affectionately in Our Lady,

Sr. Leelamma Palliparambil FMA

Provincial



St. Maria Troncatti
Pray For Us !