



Vietnam: Formation Event

On August 18, Four of our friars, Joseph Nguyen Van Nhan, Stephan Tran Nhu Tang, Joseph Vo Quoc Cuong and Joseph Lê Quốc Vượng professed their Solemn Vows into the hands of respective Fr Paul Gawlawski delegate of Minister Provincial during the Mass of Religious Profession at St. Nguyen Duy Khang Parish. Also on that Mass, three of our friars: Joseph Tran Van Duc, Joseph Vu Duc Huynh , and Joseph Nguyen Quoc Huy just completed a year of Novitiate in the Philippines, they took their first Profession of Vows. “The Solemn profession ceremony was a moving and prayerful experience,” said Friar Joseph Cuong. “The beautiful liturgy, along with the support and the presence of all the friars, families, and friends truly made the whole experience as of God’s hand at work throughout this journey. I feel grateful and am blessed.”

We thank God for calling some of our friars to serve his people. This is a great joy for all the friars in Vietnam. May the Lord bless all the newly ordained friars and may our Seraphic Father Saint Francis guide them through his intercession so that they may bear witness with joy and peace.

Currently, the number of confreres in the Delegation in Vietnam is increasing rapidly. In addition to four friars from our Mother Province and the Australian Delegation, the Delegation in Vietnam has 21 solemnly professed friars and 15 temporarily professed friars. We thank God for all his wondrous gifts and blessings to the Delegation in Vietnam in giving us more committed brothers and priestly vocations. May God bless us always!

Profession of Vows



Joseph Tran Van Duc, Joseph Vu Duc Huynh and Joseph Nguyen Quoc Huy was professing their Simple Vows into the hands of Father Paul Gawlawski - Delegate of Minister Provincial.



Those gathered were praying for Friars Joseph Nguyen Van Nhan, Stephan Tran Nhu Tang, Joseph Vo Quoc Cuong and Joseph Lê Quốc Vượng in Solemn Professing at the litany of the saints.



Friar Joseph Cuong Vo was professing his Solemn Vows into the hands of Father Paul Gawlawski



Friars congratulate the newly professed with a fraternal embrace

Please keep
these Friars and
the Friars in the
Delegation of
Vietnam in your
prayers.