

ORDER OF FRIARS MINOR
Immaculate Conception Province
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Provincial Minister



FTM4FMU 2014

FRANCISCANS TOGETHER IN MISSION FOR FMU 2014

FEBRUARY 2, 2014 THROUGH DECEMBER 8, 2014

World Mission Sunday celebrated throughout the Catholic World on Sunday October 19, 2014, is an opportunity for us as Friars to give thanks for our Franciscan vocation. As missionaries, we are "Witnessing the Joy of the Lord throughout the world"! The Franciscan Missionary Union theme for the missionary/ evangelization activities of the Province is "The Love of Christ impels us (I Corinthians 5:14). Our theme is inspired by our founder Saint Francis Assisi's complete joy of the Gospel. The FTM4FMU has made a tremendous impact on the way we as friars live out our missionary call. Through our collective efforts as Missionaries we are proud to say that we are "in mission together".

As "The love of Christ Impels us" our gratitude is extended to our Provincial, Fr. Primo P. Piscitello, OFM Ms. Madeline Bonnici, and staff of the Franciscan Mission Associates, Missionaries in Central America, our Mission Team FTM4FMU (Franciscan Together in Mission for the Franciscan Missionary Union), and our generous benefactors.

On this Mission Sunday 2014, let us join our Holy Father Pope Francis as we pray that "through the intercession of Mary, the model of humble and joyful evangelization, that the Church may become a welcoming home, a mother for all peoples and the source of rebirth for our world".

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FMU Moderator

*The Love of Christ
Impels Us*

APPEAL

11 CORINTHIANS 5:14