

17 October 2024



October 17

On October 17, at 9 a.m., the religious gathered in the Chapter Hall.

The president greeted the capitulars and gave some legal and practical guidelines for a correct and transparent vote regarding the election of the new Superior General. Roll call took place, Articles 110 and 133 of the Constitutions were read, and it was reminded that the calculation of votes is done by considering only valid ones.

On the second ballot, Father Giuseppe Adobati Carrara, MAPRAES provincial superior, was elected. Father Adobati accepted the appointment as superior general.

Father Giuseppe Adobati presided over the afternoon session.

He announced the following timetable for Friday the 18th

- 8 a.m.: Eucharistic celebration in the chapel (choir) of the community;
- 9.15 a.m.: in the Chapter House for the elections of the consultors;
- a. Voting for the choice of the number of consultors;
- b. Elections of the consultors.

He invited us to keep in mind the topics on the agenda, on which the chapter members have been working these days, for the choice of the consultors. The idea is to compose a Council that can respond to the expectations of the General Chapter and support and accompany the Configurations. A plenary sharing followed.

Subsequently, a vote was taken for each Configuration to propose two or three names of possible candidates for the office of Consultor. The Capitulars expressed themselves in favour.

Finally, the individual Configurations met to discern the names to be proposed to all the Capitulars.