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Oct. 2: Join the "spectacle of saints"!

Monday, Oct. 2, marks the 200th anniversary of the founding of the Society of Mary. This is a joyful day for Marianist brothers and priests, and they are asking all of us to help them celebrate in a simple and profound way.

The Marianists have composed a special prayer commemorating their bicentennial, and are encouraging *everyone* at *all* the sponsored

ministries to join as one voice, simultaneously, on that day.

Think of it: All students, faculty, staff, administrators and visitors at Marianist-sponsored ministries across the province joining in prayer with Marianist brothers and priests at the same time! Truly, we will be what Blessed Chaminade called a "spectacle of saints."

When you and others at your ministry will pray depends on where you are. This is how it works across time zones:

Time zone	Begin prayer at
Hawai'i	8 a.m.
Pacific	11 a.m.
Central	1 p.m.
Eastern	2 p.m.
Ireland	7 p.m.

Please download the <u>Prayer for October 2, 2017</u>, and read the <u>Frequently Asked Questions</u> for additional context.

The prayer may also be found under the <u>Bicentennial</u> tab at marianist.com.

Please be sure join us for this historic event! Questions? Contact us atsponsorship@marianist.com.

Peace,

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