



BICENTENNIAL BROTHERS OF THE SACRED HEART

Bicentennial 2018 - 2021

Over the next three years, the Brothers of the Sacred Heart will be celebrating 200 years of the first Mission founded by Father André Coindre at what was called the Pieux-Secours in 1818, and of our Institute that he founded in Lyons, France in 1821.

Depicted at right is the anniversary banner designed and made in Lyons according to the weaving method on a loom similar to the ones of the original Pieux Secours. It is made out of wool and silk, a true connection between the past and present. These tapestries have been created in the five languages of the Institute: Italian (shown at right), English, French, Spanish, and Portuguese.

In his own words, Father Coindre founded the Pieux Secours "to foster a love of virtue and work among young boys who find themselves without shelter or means." He said later in his prospectus for this mission, "A Safe haven must be found for them provided with workshops where they can be taught an honest trade. They need a sound grounding in the knowledge and practice of their religion and thus become both good Christians and good laborers so as to one day be upright heads of families."

In each part of the Institute, the Brothers and our partners in Father Coindre's mission will celebrate over a three-year period the reality of both our legacy and our future in service to the young. Please keep in prayer this special time and in particular the continued vitality of the mission of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart.



Alumni News

McKenny Jr, Walter (North Salem, NY) – On December 2017 completed 41 years of service as a volunteer Fire Fighter in the Croton Falls Volunteer Fire Department located in North Salem, New York.

Annual Fund 2018: Final Results

As of June 30, 2018

Total Contributions = **\$155,934.56**

Donors = **432**

Thank you for supporting the mission
of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart!



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