

Information n° 9

With the election of the Vicar General, among the elected Councilors, the new General Government of the Society of St Paul is complete for the six-year period 2022-2028. It is constituted as follows:

SUPERIOR GENERAL

Fr. Domenico Soliman, 56 years old, Italian

(Attached is a more extensive profile)

VICAR GENERAL

1. **Fr. Boguslaw Zeman**, 54 years old, Polish

GENERAL COUNCILLORS

2. **Fr. Johnson Vattakunnel**, 54 years old, Indian

3. **Fr. Valdecir Pereira Uveda**, 53 years old, Brazilian

4. **Br. Lorenzo Vezzani**, 67 years old, Italian

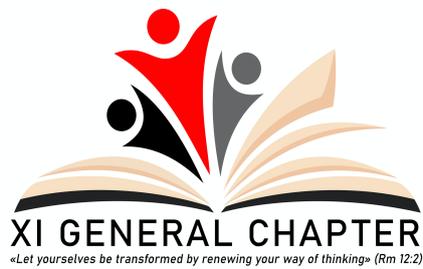
5. **Fr. Joven Jose Lagdamen**, 48 years old, Filipino

6. **Fr. Jose Antonio Pimienta**, 38 years old, Mexican

While waiting for the Audience with Pope Francis, on Saturday, June 18, the capitulars continue the work on approving the *Programmatic Document*, along with the evaluation of the Chapter Motions, as scheduled in the calendar.

Ariccia, Casa Divin Maestro, 16 June 2022

Br. Darlei Zanon



FR DOMENICO SOLIMAN

Superior General of the Society of St. Paul 2022-2028

(8th successor of Fr. James Alberione)

Fr. Domenico Soliman, 56, was born in Thiene (Vicenza, Italy) on June 2, 1966. He joined the SSP community of Vicenza on September 20, 1977. In Albano Laziale, on 8 September 1986 he made his first profession and perpetual profession on 7 September 1992 in Rome. He was ordained a priest on 30 September 1995 in Vicenza.

After attending the two-year course of communication at (1991-1993), he obtained a Licentiate in Moral Theology at the Theological Faculty of Northern Italy in Milan in 2002. He was Vocation Animator (1995-2011), Teacher of aspirants and postulants in Vicenza (2003-2007) and National Coordinator of the Pastoral Vocation and Formation of the Province of Italy (2007-2011).

His apostolic commitment was also concretized in the direction of the "*G. Alberione*" Cultural Center of Modena and the "Saint Paul" Cultural Centers of Cinisello Balsamo and Vicenza, commencing the well-known *Bible Festival*.

From 2015 to 2018 he was superior of the Canonico Chiesa community, directly dependent on the General Government. For several years he has been engaged in the spiritual animation of the Pauline Family, being appointed Postulator General of the Pauline Family on 8 November 2018. From 1 May 2021 he also held the position of Secretary General of the Society of St. Paul.

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