

World Apostolic Congress On Mercy (WACOM) PHILIPPINES 2017

January 16-20, 2017

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

DAY 1 January 16, 2017 Monday: Manila Metropolitan Cathedral
Archdiocese of Manila

MORNING Arrival of Delegates to Hotels and Parishes
Distribution of Kits

AFTERNOON

3:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Recitation of the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy

Arrival at the Manila Cathedral
of Church Officials led by
Most Rev. Giuseppe Pinto, D.D.
Papal Nuncio to the Philippines
His Eminence Christoph Cardinal Schönborn, D.D.
Archbishop of Vienna (Austria), WACOM President
WACOM President
His Eminence Luis Antonio Cardinal Tagle, D.D.
Archbishop of Manila
Most Rev. Socrates Villegas, D.D.
Archbishop of Lingayen - Dagupan
CBCP President
Most Rev. Ramon Aguelles, D.D.
Archbishop of Lipa
Most Rev. Bishop Ruperto Santos, D.D.
Bishop of Balanga
WACOM Asia Episcopal Coordinator
Most Rev. Jose Oliveros, D.D.
Bishop of Malolos
WACOM National Episcopal Coordinator
Rev. Fr. Patrice Chocholski
Secretary General WACOM4
Rev. Fr. Prospero V. Tenorio
Asia Secretary General WACOM4

5:00 Celebration of the Most Holy Eucharist
Presider: Most Rev. Giuseppe Pinto, D.D.
Papal Nuncio to the Philippines
Homilist: His Eminence Luis Antonio Cardinal Tagle, D.D.

Archbishop of Manila

EVENING

7:00 Dinner
Cultural Presentations

DAY 2 January 17, 2017 Tuesday: The Royal and Pontifical University
of Santo Tomas, Manila

MORNING

7:00 Arrival at UST
Entrance of Colors
Parade of Colors of Delegates and Participants

8:00

Enthronement of the images of the Divine Mercy and the Our Lady of Mercy;
Sts. Faustina, John Paul II, Lorenzo Ruiz and Pedro Calungsod (with relics)
and Morning Prayer – Quadricentennial Pavillion

8:30

Talk 1

“The Church is called to be a Communion in
the Love and Mercy of God in Jesus Christ”

Speaker: Rev. Fr. Catalino Arevalo, SJ

Testimonies: Most Rev. Broderick Pabillo, D.D.

Auxiliary Bishop of Manila Rev.

Sr. Erika Belucci E.A.M.

Handmaids of Merciful Love

10:00

Health Break

10:30

Talk 2

“The Church receives and celebrates the mercy of God through the Word
and Sacraments especially the Eucharist and the Sacrament of Penance
and Reconciliation”

Speaker: Rev. Fr. Patrice Chocholski

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Testimonies: Mr. Ted Failon (ABS-CBN Anchorman)
Ms. Fatima Soriano

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 Lunch Meeting for WACOM 5
- 1:30 Talk 3
“The Church is the Servant and Witness of God’s Mercy”
Reflections on the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy
Speaker: Rev. Fr. Seraphim Michalenko, MIC
- Testimonies: Most Rev. Archbishop John Du, D.D.
Bishop of Palo
A Yolanda Victim
- 2:45 Health Break
- 3:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Recitation of the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy
- 3:30 Talk 4
“The Church is Sent to be Missionary of Mercy to the Poor
and Suffering of the World”
Speaker: Most Rev. Anicetus Bongsu A. Sinaga, OFM Cap, D.D.
Archbishop of Medan
- Testimonies: Mr. Peter Chang
Businessman
Mary Sarindhorn Mativachranon
Businesswoman
- 5:00 Celebration of the Most Holy Eucharist
Presider: His Eminence Christoph Cardinal Schönborn, D.D.
Archbishop of Vienna (Austria), WACOM President
Homilist: Most Rev. Socrates B. Villegas, D.D.
Archbishop of Lingayen – Dagupan
CBCP President

EVENING

- 6:30 Dinner
- 7:00 Saint Faustina and Divine Mercy: A Musical Play
Ms. Joy Delarmente
Executive Producer

DAY 3 January 18, 2017 Wednesday: The National Shrine and Parish
of Padre Pio, Archdiocese of Lipa, Batangas

8:30 Arrival

9:00-4:30 On-going Confession

9:00 Enthronement of the images of the Divine Mercy, Our Lady of Mercy
and the relic of Padre Pio

Morning Prayer

Welcome Rites

10:00 Health Break

10:30 Talk 5

“Remembering and Celebrating the Mercy of God
as a Forgiven and Forgiving Community”

Speaker: Most Rev. Teodoro Bacani, D.D.
Bishop Emeritus of Novaliches

Testimonies: Most Rev. Marcelino Antonio Maralit, D.D.
Bishop of Boac

Rev. Msgr. Josefino Ramirez

Victim of ISIS/Chinese underground Catholic/Muslim convert

12:00 Lunch

AFTERNOON

1:30 Presentation:
Shadow Play (El Gamma Penumbra)
Grand Winner: Asia Got Talent

3:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Recitation of the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy

3:30 Health Break

4:00 Ecumenical Prayer

4:30 Celebration of the Most Holy Eucharist
Presider: His Eminence Gaudencio Cardinal Rosales, D.D.
Archbishop Emeritus of Manila
Homilist: Most Rev. Ramon Arguelles, D.D.
Archbishop of Lipa

EVENING

6:00 Home Sweet Home
Packed Dinner

DAY 4 January 19, 2017 Thursday: The National Shrine and Parish
of the Divine Mercy, Diocese of Malolos, Bulacan

(FOR LOCAL DELEGATES)

MORNING

7:00 Arrival

8:00 Welcome Rites

Rev. Fr. Gener Garcia,
Jr.
Chairman, Diocesan Commission on Youth and
Commission on Youth in coordination with NSPDM
Pastoral Council

8:15 Light breakfast

9:00 – 10:30 Stations of the Cross to be led by
Rev. Fr. Ulysses S. Reyes
Parochial Vicar, NSPDM
and Commission on Liturgy NSPDM

10:30 Health Break

11:00 Testimonies of Healing and Answered Prayers
Rev. Fr. Rogelio Cruz and 6-8 sharers from different Diocese

(FOR INTERNATIONAL DELEGATES)

Foreign Delegates: Designated Places of Mercy
(Accompanied by a seminarian, a religious and a lay leader and an
interpreter, as needed, and a police escort)

1. Galilee Homes (Substance Abused Patients)
Dona Remedios Trinidad

Rev. Fr. Joshua Panganiban
Sta. Monica Parish – Angat, Bulacan
Rev. Msgr. Angelito Santiago
Collegio de Sta. Monica Angat

2. Dumagat (Indigenous People)
Dona Remedios Trinidad
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish – DRT, Bulacan
Rev. Fr. Nap Baltazar
St. Paul College of San Rafael

3. Bahay ni San Martin (Male Orphans)
Bustos, Bulacan
Rev. Fr. Florentino Concepcion
Sto. Nino Parish – Bustos, Bulacan
Rev. Fr. Javer Joaquin

4. Nazareth Home for Street Children (Female Orphans)
Bustos, Bulacan
Rev. Sr. Jesusa Bona, SDS
San Isidro Labrador Parish – Liciada Bustos, Bulacan
Rev. Fr. Jeffrey Zuniga
San Isidro Parochial School

5. Hospicio San Juan de Dios for Women
(Mentally Challenged)
Bustos, Bulacan
Rev. Bro. Raymond Marquez, FM
Holy Angels Parish
Rev. Fr. Teodorico Trinidad

6. Bethlehem House of Bread (Orphans) Rev. Fr.
Angelito Santiago
St. Augustine Parish – Baliuag, Bulacan
Rev. Msgr. Andres Valera
Saint Mary's College of Baliuag

7. Sto. Nino Bethany House Orphanage (Boys and girls)
Guiguinto, Bulacan
Rev. Sr. Analyn Dela Cruz, OP
San Ildefonso Parish – Guiguinto, Bulacan

Rev. Fr. Reynaldo Rivera
San Martin de Porres Catholic School

8. Bahay Pangarap (Battered Children)
Guiguinto, Bulacan
Ms. Thelma Catigum
Sis. Remedios Domigpe (CWL)
Immaculate Conception Major Seminary
Rev. Fr. Emmanuel Cruz
9. Ephesus House (Battered Children)
Guiguinto, Bulacan
Bro. Mario Somera
Immaculate Conception Minor Seminary
Rev. Fr. Sonny U. de Armas
10. Tahanan ni Mother Rita (Orphans)
Guiguinto, Bulacan
Augustinian Sisters of Our Lady of Consolation

Violeta Village, Guiguinto, Bulacan
Rev. Fr. Esidro Rodriguez
La Consolacion University Philippines
11. Tahanang Mapagpala
(Home for the Aged women)
Malolos City, Bulacan
Rev. Mo. Senarillos Fatima, SDS Our
Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish
Barasoain, Malolos City
Rev. Fr. Dario Cabral
Immaculate Conception School of Malolos
12. Emmaus House of Apostolate (Home for the Aged -
Male & Female)
Malolos City, Bulacan
Rev. Fr. Ricardo Moraga
Immaculate Conception Parish, Basilica Minore
Rev. Fr. Domingo Salonga
Immaculate Conception School for Boys
13. Lingap Bata Center (Orphans) Sta. Maria, Bulacan
Immaculate Conception Parish – Sta. Maria, Bulacan
Rev. Fr. Renato B. Brion Jr.

Holy Family Parish

St. Paul, School of Sta. Maria

14. Bahay Kalinga (Home for the Aged women)
Sta. Maria, Bulacan
Immaculate Conception Parish – Sta. Maria, Bulacan
Rev. Msgr. Ranilo Trillana
Saint Joseph College of Sta. Maria

15. Hospicio San Juan De Dios for Men
(Mentally challenged men)
Bocau, Bulacan
Rev. Bro. Francis Joseph Gillen, FM
St. Martin of Tours Parish – Bocau, Bulacan
Rev. Msgr. Alberto Suatengco
and
Sto. Cristo and St. Andrew Kim Taegon
Rev. Fr. Vicente Robles
St. Paul College of Bocau

AFTERNOON

12:00 Lunch

(For Local Delegates – National Shrine and Parish of the Divine Mercy)
(For Foreign Delegates – at the Places of Mercy hosted by the designated Parish)

12:45 Departure for the National Shrine and Parish of the Divine Mercy

1:00 – 2:00 FREE TIME

National Shrine and Parish of the Divine Mercy guided tour

2:00 Health Break
Rev. Fr. Teodoro Bulawit & Rev. Fr. Elmer Ignacio – In charge

3:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Recitation of the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy
Diocesan Commission on Liturgy – Rev. Fr. Francisco G. Carson
In charge

- 3:30 Talk 6
 “Witnessing to the Mercy of God as the Church of and for the Poor”
 Speaker: Most Rev. Rolando Tria Tirona, OCD, D.D.
 Archbishop of Nueva Caceres
 Chairman CBCP NASSA
- 4:30 Testimonies
 Mr. Antonio Meloto
 Chairman, Gawad Kalinga
 and A Member of the Missionary Sisters of Charity from Africa
- 5:30 Celebration of the Most Holy Eucharist
 Presider: His Eminence Ricardo Cardinal Vidal, D.D.
 Homilist: Most Rev. Jose Francisco Oliveros, D.D.
- EVENING
- 6:30 Blessing of the Tower of Mercy and the
 100 -Feet Statue of the Divine Mercy

 His Eminence Ricardo Cardinal Vidal, DD
 Assisted by: Most Rev. Jose Francisco Oliveros, D.D.
 and the Clergy of the Diocese of Malolos

 Fireworks Display
 Rev. Fr. Leocadio de Jesus
 Episcopal Vicar, Eastern District
 Rev. Fr. Alberto Santiago
 Vicar Forane
 Parish Priests of Vicariate of Bocaue
- 7:00 Dinner – Barrio Fiesta
 Rev. Fr. Teodoro Bulawit and Rev. Fr. Elmer Ignacio – In charge
 Showcase of Filipino food, folk dances, and songs
- 8:00 Final Blessing
 Most Rev. Deogracias Iniguez, D.D.
 Bishop Emeritus of Kalookan
- DAY 5 January 20, 2017 Friday: Diocese of Balanga, Bataan

MORNING

9:00

Arrivals:

Mercy and Laudato Si: Conserve the Water

Speaker: Rev. Fr. Felizardo D. Sevilla

Testimony: Bro. Benny Andres

Saint Joseph Cathedral Balanga, Bataan

Mercy and Laudato Si: Clean the Air

Speaker: Rev. Msgr. Hernando B. Guanzon, JCD

Testimony: Rev. Fr. Dandy B. Traje, CP with Family and Parishioners

Diocesan Shrine of the Divine Mercy

Mercy and Laudato Si: Preserve the Land

Speaker: Rev. Fr. Gerardo Jorge

Testimony: Bro. Boy Ramos, OCarm

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AFTERNOON

12:00

LUNCH

2:00

Arrival at Las Casas Filipinas de Acuzar

2:30

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Recitation of the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy

3:00

Talk

“Being Sent as a Church of God’s Mercy to the World”

Speaker: Most Rev. Christoph Cardinal Schönborn, D.D.

Archbishop of Vienna (Austria), WACOM President

5:00

Celebration of the Most Holy Eucharist

Presider: His Eminence Orlando Cardinal Quevedo, D.D.

Archbishop of Kidapawan

Homilist: Most Rev. Ruperto C. Santos, D.D.

Bishop of Balanga

Setting to Sail the Symbolic Lighted Boat of each participant

MISSION SENDING

WACOM 5 HOSTING ANNOUNCEMENT

DINNER

7:00

Dinner
Cultural Presentations and Fireworks Display
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