ENCOURAGE THE CALL

MY FAMILYpersecution during the CristPARENTS: Von (dad) and Mee (mom)War. His persecutors offeredSISTERS: Tiffanyseveral times to spare his life

FAVORITE PRAYER: Litany of Humility

FAVORITE FOODS: Chipotle

WHY I LIKE THESE TWO SAINTS: MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

because throughout his life brought so many people to a deeper relationship with Christ, especially through consecration to Mary. He constantly laid down his life by serving others until ultimately sacrificing his life for another inmate at Auschwitz. JOSÉ SÁNCHEZ DEL RÍO, at age 14, courageously defended the faith in the midst of government persecution during the Cristero War. His persecutors offered several times to spare his life if he would renounce Christ. However, each time, José would fervently respond with, "¡Viva Cristo Rey!"

A FAVORITE SCRIPTURE PASSAGE: Matthew 13:44

HOW I RELAX: : Running, rock climbing, playing guitar

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MEMORIES: In 2nd grade I started crying because I failed a time test. My teacher and classmates tried to comfort me, but did not work. My teacher wrote a note of this incident to my mom that we still have to this day.



ANDREW NOUANESENGSY

PROPAEDEUTIC STAGE



COLUMBUS CATHOLIC

HOMETOWN & PARISH COLUMBUS ST. CATHARINE

PRAYER FOR A SEMINARIAN

Father, You love us and call each of us to go on mission with you in advancing your kingdom. You equip us with everything that we need to serve and love others in that mission.
We pray for seminarian Andrew Nouanesengsy whom you have called to seminary to discern a possible call to serve you as a priest.
Please watch over Andrew, Lord. Guide him and help him to grow in holiness. Grant him wisdom and courage to give himself radically to You.
We pray also for the grace to grow in holiness ourselves and to seek always your will in our lives. We ask this through Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

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