

LAITY OF SAINT ANNE FAMILY Province of Saint Francis Xavier

WHAT: Leadership Seminar

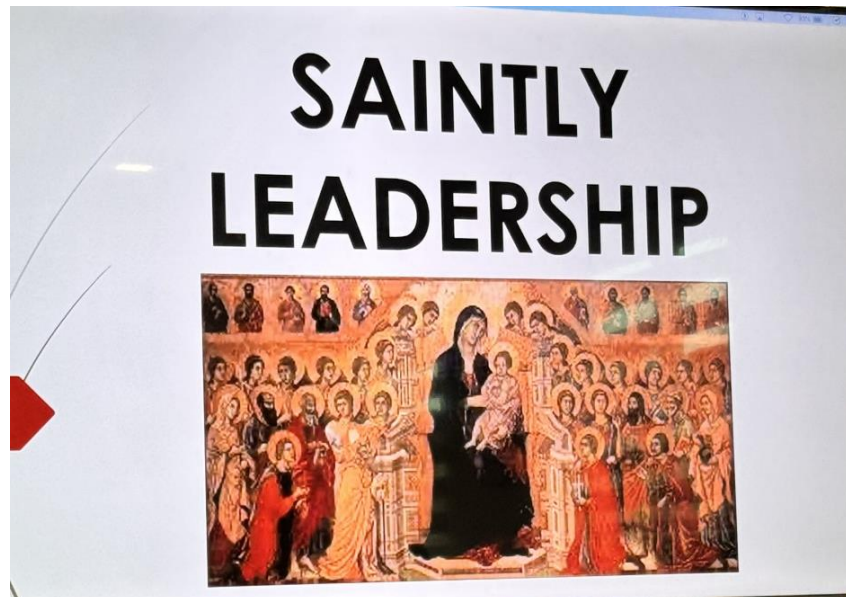
WHEN: April 5, 2025

WHERE: Puerto Galera, Oriental Mindoro, Philippines

The **first leadership seminar** organized by the **Sisters of Charity of Saint Anne (SCSA)**, led by Sister Eugene Mary Pathrose. It was joined by the Officers of the **Laity of Saint Anne Family (LSAF)** with their respective Sisters coordinator and by some LSAF members from Talipanan and Puerto Galera group.



Father Rogie Monje Quinga, RCJ, was the speaker of this inspiring leadership seminar which opened the presentation with a special prayer. Followed by a welcome and opening remarks from LSAF Puerto Galera president, Sis. Myrna Osorio.



This leadership seminar was entitled “**Saintly Leadership,**” by Father Rogie. Why Saintly Leadership? The speaker gives emphasis that to be a good leaders, we must first seek the kingdom of God. It must be rooted in Christian values, principles and faith.



Father Rogie enumerated the following Nine (9) Saintly Attributes:

1. Humility
2. Authentic Leaders
3. Value-Based Leadership
4. Mission and Vision
5. Preparation, Practice and Prayer
6. The Art of Listening
7. Empower and Engage
8. Strategic and Adaptive
9. Persistence, Perseverance, Grit

Each attributes comes with reflective self-assessments that participants abled to think and assess themselves with the enumerated leadership qualities.

That leadership ability has to be nurtured, one has to put an effort to develop it and to make it useful. Leadership is about sharing God's love in you. Leaders are "set apart" because we are called and we are instilled by God. To lead with humility integrity, compassion and grounded in love. Just like the saints, we must be faithful lovers and followers of Christ. Jesus Himself modeled the ultimate form of servant leadership when He washed the feet of His disciples and down His life for us.

LSAF Province of St. Francis Xavier President, Elsie Mercado made a closing remarks by conveying the LSAF's gratitude for Father Rogie. She shared and pointed out some important take aways on the propounded topic.



Thereafter, the group expressed their gratitude by presenting a simple token, a thank you card for Father Rogie for generously sharing his time and expertise with the topic on leadership.



The one day inspiring seminar was ended with a Holy Eucharist celebration likewise presided by Father Rogie, joined by the Sisters of Charity of Saint Anne and Laity of Saint Anne Family.

