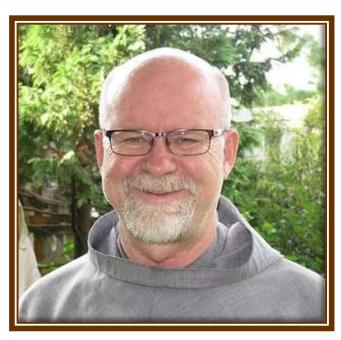
A Warm Welcome



A warm welcome to Friar Maurice Richard, OFM Conv who has been appointed Spiritual Assistant to St. Francis of Immaculate Heart of Mary Fraternity in Ottawa.

Friar Richard is a Canadian friar who grew up in Greenfield Park, Quebec. For the past several years he was assigned to the St. Joseph Cupertino province Provincial

Office in Arroyo Grande, California, as Assistant Director of novices.

As of August 3, he was reassigned by his Franciscan leadership to Ottawa, where he is ministering at St. Ignatius Martyr Roman Catholic Church there and taking on the position of parish priest.

His assignment to serve as Spiritual Assistant is effective as of September 15, 2021.

Pax et bonum brother Maurice!