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CURRICULUM VITAE
REV DR EMANUEL BARBARA OFM Cap

PERSONAL DETAILS

Date of Birth: 27.10.1949
Place of Birth: Gzira – MALTA
Baptismal name: Emanuel
Father's name: Joseph
Mother's name: Agnes neé Muscat
Novitiate: He joined the Maltese Franciscan Capuchin Province
on 19.09.1965
Simple Profession: 25.09.1966
Perpetual Profession: 15.07.1973
Priestly Ordination: 20.07.1974

STUDIES

- He studied Philosophy and Theology at the I.N.S.E.R.M. (a Maltese Institute for Consecrated Life)
- He obtained a Licentiate (S.Th.L) in Moral Theology from the Academia Alphonsiana in Rome (1976 - 1978)
- He obtained a Doctorate (S.Th.D) in Moral Theology from the Academia Alphonsiana in Rome (1990 - 1995).

OFFICES IN THE PROVINCE

1974 - 1976 Vice-Parish Priest at San Gwann Parish
1978 -1983 Lecturer of Moral Theology at the I.N.S.E.R.M.
1981- 1983 Lecturer at the Gozo Major Seminary
1978 - 1983 Counselor of the Cana Marriage Movement
1978 - 1980 Chaplain at St. Luke's General Hospital
1980 - 1983 Superior of the Xemxija Fraternity
1981 - 1983 Rector of I.N.S.E.R.M.
1983 - 1986 Elected Provincial Minister of the Maltese Capuchin Province
1986 - 1989 Re-elected Provincial Minister of the Maltese Capuchin Province

- 1987 - 1989 Appointed by the Archbishop to represent the Council of Religious Superiors in the Archdiocesan Secretariate for the Clergy and Members of Consecrated Life.
Representative of the Maltese Religious Orders at the Faculty of Theology Board, University of Malta.
- 1990 - 2008 Missionary at the Custody of Kenya.
He worked in the Mission Station at Bura Tana in Garissa Diocese; and in Ruiru Parish in Nairobi Diocese
- 1991 - 1993 Guardian of Post-Novitiate House at the Custody of Kenya
- 1995 - 2008 Senior Lecturer in Moral Theology and in Christian Ethics Department at the Catholic University of Eastern-Africa, Nairobi – Kenya. Head of Department for the two Departments.
He also lectured at ST Thomas Aquinas National Seminary (1998-2000), at the Tangaza Theological College (1995-1997), At Marists International College (1996-2008).
Gave Formation Courses for Religious, Retreats and Confessor for various Religious in Kenya.
- 1996 - 1998 Vice-Provincial of the Capuchin Vice-Province of Kenya
- 2008 - 2010 Spiritual Director at St Francis Secondary School, Sliema
- 2010 - Elected Provincial Minister of the Capuchin Malta Province and President of the Capuchin Conference in Europe.