

# Election process for the Government of the Institute

## 1 **First survey**



1. Declaration of the opening of the consultation
2. Reflection on Leadership, Governance and Consecrated Life
3. Definition of profiles and proposals by linguistic and regional groups
4. Definition of nominees
5. Acceptance of nominations
6. Voting to define eligible Brothers

## 2 **Retreat**



7. Personal reflection on the suitability of the proposed Brothers and the future of the Institute

## 3 **Election of the Brother Superior General**



8. Reading of legal provisions and invocation to the Holy Spirit
9. First round of voting
10. Exchange of views on Eligible Brothers
11. Second round of voting

*\*Voting rounds until an absolute majority is obtained*

## 5 **Election of the rest of the Government**



16. The following days will include the election of the Brother Vicar General and the Brother General Councillors

## 4 **Appointment Ceremony**



12. Confirmation of acceptance of ministry
13. Formalisation of the appointment of the Brother Superior General
14. Procession to the Sanctuary of the Founder
15. Community prayer

## **Symbols**

**Bells**  
Joy and hope

**Embrace**  
Fraternity

**Procession**  
Unity and vitality

**Seal**  
Representativeness and authority

**Prayer in the Sanctuary**  
Presence of God and community