

FDNSC INTERNATIONAL BURSARS' MEETING

ROME: December 3rd to December 14th

Theme: Economy at the Service of Charism and Mission

Day 9: Tuesday 11th December

The morning was given to two presentations by Mr Machnik, from the Pax- Bank which was founded by the Catholic Church in Germany for Catholic institutions. The title of his first presentation was "***Reading the Signs of the Times and Financial Management***". The talk was structured as follows:

1. Some information about Pax-Bank
2. Mr Machnik's experience in "finance management" in working with church entities: major issues and possible solutions
3. Some remarks about "what is change" and "what changes in religious institutes" and what could be done in this context
4. Question time

After a break Mr Machnik presented a workshop on ***Retirement Provisions for FDNSC***. We were very appreciative of the presentations we heard.

After lunch the writing group: Sr Laurentia, Sr Merle and Sr Jenny, gave feedback about the suggestions and comments which had been made by the four working groups during days 5, 6 and 8 of this meeting. We also endeavoured to answer the questions which had been raised.



