

## Greetings fellow Lasallians,

This year, our Region will celebrate the 10th annual Spring into Action initiative from **March 15 – April 15, 2021.** Spring into Action, sponsored by the Regional Council of Young Lasallians, is an initiative that highlights the service done by Lasallians throughout the academic year.

Historically, we have called for Lasallians to join together by participating in a volunteer or service activity and sharing that experience through pictures on social media. Given the ongoing continued impact of COVID-19, we realize planned service trips and initiatives may be postponed or cancelled. This year, to celebrate the 10th anniversary, we will highlight ministries from across the Region that have responded to needs in their community while navigating the challenges of the pandemic.

During these uncertain times, we know all Lasallians have responded to the signs of the times and we would like to shine a spotlight on some of the remarkable things that have happened this academic year. Be sure to like and follow our social media accounts to see ministry spotlights and engage in dialogue on service. In addition, we would love to hear from you with how you and your ministry have responded to the uncertain times we are experiencing. Please post about your experience on social media using #SpringIntoAction2021.

o Twitter: @yl\_RELAN

o Facebook: YoungLasalliansRELAN

o Instagram: @yl\_relan

This year, we will host two virtual prayer services to celebrate the beginning of Spring into Action on Monday, March 15 and the conclusion of Spring into Action on Thursday, April 15. Information regarding these prayer services will be posted on www.Lasallian.info.

We invite you to learn more about Young Lasallians in RELAN, the Regional Council of Young Lasallians, and who your local representative is by visiting us on the web at <a href="http://lasallian.info/lasallian-family/young-lasallians/">http://lasallian.info/lasallian-family/young-lasallians/</a>.

Thank you for your support and continued work as Young Lasallians..

Together and by Association, The Regional Council of Young Lasallians

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