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"Fear not, I am with you!" These words, which inspired Fr Alberione and which appear in every chapel of the Pauline Family, were the first words of the new Superior General of the Society of St. Paul. Presiding over the work of the Chapter, Domenico Soliman thanked the former Superior General, Fr Valdir José De Castro, for his service in the last 7 years, especially for the way in which he played this role: always with serenity, welcome and profound communion, promoting unity in diversity, in every action and situation, loving communication. Finally, Fr Domenico thanked the Council and the Officers who have supported Fr Valdir in the Government of the Congregation in recent years.

Continuing the Chapter work after the election of the Superior General, the first 3 General Councilors were elected:

- 1. **Don Boguslaw Zeman**, 54, Polish, currently Director of the Pauline Spirituality Center in Rome.
- 2. **Don Johnson Vattakunnel**, 54, Indian, currently Editorial Director of the India-UK-Ireland Province.
- 3. **Don Valdecir Uveda**, 53 years old, Brazilian, currently Director General of the Province of Brazil.

Tomorrow, Thursday 16 June, the Capitulars will continue the work of weaving the *Programmatic Document*, aloong with the election of the other 3 General Councilors.

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