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In the office of the Secretary of State
of the State of California

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

of

AUG 5 1988

SAINT BENEDICT CENTER - WEST

A California Nonprofit Religious Corporation *Wench Fong Eu*
WENCH FONG EU, Secretary of State

ONE: The name of the corporation is:
SAINT BENEDICT CENTER - WEST.

TWO This corporation is a religious corporation and is not authorized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Religious Corporation Law exclusively for religious purposes.

This corporation is organized exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1984 (or the corresponding section of any future United States Internal Revenue law). Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation, and the corporation shall not carry out any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law).

THREE: The name and address in California of the corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

Brother Leonard Mary, MICM
614 A Fano
Monrovia, California 91016

FOUR: (a) No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including publishing or distributing statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

(b) The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes, as set forth in Article TWO above. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of its directors, trustees, officers, private shareholders of members, or any individual.

(c) On the winding up and dissolution of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the corporation, the remaining assets of this corporation shall be distributed to an organization (or organizations) organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes and that is tax exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

FIVE: The name of the existing unincorporated association now being incorporated by the filing of these Articles is:

ST. BENEDICT CENTER.

DATE: November 23, 1987

Brother Leonard Mary, M.I.C.M.

Brother Leonard Mary, MICM,
aka, J. Fred Farrell

Brother Charles Columban, MICM

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aka, Roy-Charles A. Coulombe

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DECLARATION

BROTHER LEONARD MARY, MICM (AKA, J. FRED FARRELL) and BROTHER CHARLES COLUMBAN, MICM (AKA, ROY CHARLES A. COULOMBE) declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of California that they are the president and vice president, respectively, of ST. BENEDICT CENTER referred to in the Articles of Incorporation to which this declaration is attached, and that association has duly authorized and approved in accordance with its rules and procedures its incorporation by means of those Articles.

Executed at Los Angeles, California, on November 23, 1987.

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347:APP:PTS:rk:gSaint Benedict Center - West
614-A Fano
Monrovia, CA 91016Purpose : Religious
Form of Organization : Corporation
Accounting Period Ending:
Organization Number :

On the basis of the information submitted and provided your present operations continue unchanged or conform to those proposed in your application, you are exempt from state franchise or income tax under Section 23701d, Revenue and Taxation Code. Any change in operation, character or purpose of the organization must be reported immediately to this office so that we may determine the effect on your exempt status. Any change of name or address also must be reported.

You are required to file Form 199 (Exempt Organization Annual Information Return) or Form 199B (Exempt Organization Annual Information Statement) on or before the 15th day of the 5th month (4 1/2 months) after the close of your accounting period. See annual instructions with forms for requirements.

You are not required to file state franchise or income tax returns unless you have income subject to the unrelated business income tax under Section 23731 of the Code. In this event, you are required to file Form 109 (Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return) by the 15th day of the 5th month (4 1/2 months) after the close of your annual accounting period.

If the organization is incorporating, this approval will expire unless incorporation is completed with the Secretary of State within 60 days.

Exemption from federal income or other taxes and other state taxes requires separate applications.

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