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***SOLIDARITY MASS AND CANDLE LIGHTING FOR THE THIRTY SIX ACCUSED OF  
INCITING TO SEDITION***

On August 4, 2019, Tuesday at 4:00 PM at the Christ the King Church along E. Rodriguez Sr. Boulevard in Quezon City, the mission partners and permanent commission of the Association of Major Religious Superiors in the Philippines will hold a *silent gathering* to resist the shadow of fear cast on the nation and the Filipinos caused by thousands of unexplained summary killings and the persecution of Church leaders, priests and those who speak the truth.

The groups call on the Philippine Government to uphold truth, justice and peace and further ask the country's leaders to:

- end the senseless killings and holding responsible those who take away life,
- prioritize decent jobs to end poverty,
- safeguard the country's sovereignty, and,
- uphold the rights of the thirty-six (36) accused of inciting to sedition, cyber libel, libel and obstruction of justice by the Philippine National Police Criminal Investigation Division and the Office of the Solicitor General.

The silent gathering will begin with a Eucharistic Celebration presided by Reverend Fathers Angelo Cortez, OFM and Daniel Franklin Pilario, CM. A statement from the AMRSP Mission Partners and the Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation Commission will be read to those attending the mass and distributed to the public.

Candles will be lighted as the Christians walk out in silence to line the sidewalks along the E. Rodriguez Sr. Boulevard.