The Carthusian order has a new Prior General

**Hall-of-chapter-general (the Grande Chartreuse)**

The new Prior General of the Carthusian order, and the sixty-fourth successor to Bruno was elected:

**Dom Dysmas de Lassus**

On November 3, 2014, began the procedures for election by the community of the Grande Chartreuse. Subsequently, on November 7, 2014 the priors of all the monasteries confirmed the election of the candidate. The new Reverend Father was elected following a vote in which the Holy Spirit has helped the monks to choose and appoint their leader.

The vote took place as usual in the great hall of the General Chapter of the Grande Chartreuse, under the gaze of the portraits of all the Priors General over the centuries.

The new Reverend Father was since 2012, and currently prior of the Charterhouse of Portes.

Dom Dysmas (Michel) de Lassus is 58 years old, and has always been in the Grande Chartreuse, from his first entrance at twenty years old. And at the Grande Chartreuse he had held the task of master of novices until 2012.

May St. Bruno, bless his new successor, illuminate his work at the helm of the Carthusian Order, and protect outgoing Dom François-Marie Velut. Our prayers to both, and let us all unite in prayer to Saint Bruno, for the Order and for all the Carthusian communities of monks and nuns.