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Apostleship of the Cross

Houston Center



CHRIST ETERNAL AND HIGH PRIEST'S ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

The Annual Assembly of our Houston Center took place on June 11th at St. Thomas More Parish. For this occasion we counted with the presence of Fr. Roberto Saldivar, M.Sp.S.

The theme of the assembly was "Unity". The purpose of the assembly was to create unity among the members of the center no matter which section they belong to, and to develop Guides of Operation and Procedures for each of the three committees: Social, Retreat, and Fund Raising.

As part of the assembly, members adopted some of the Missionary of the Holy Spirit seminarists. The purpose of this adoption is to promote each member to pray for priests and in this case especially, for future priests. This will also promote a communication between Missionaries of the Holy Spirit and members of the Apostleship of the Cross in the world, which will produce a spiritual growth in both.

IX GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE APOSTLESHIP OF THE CROSS

The IX Assembly of the Apostleship of the Cross will be held in Monterrey, N.L., Mexico, from September 15th thru September 18th. As members of this work of the cross, let us take advantage of this opportunity to unite in prayer with the rest of the members of the Apostleship in the world. Let us ask the Holy Spirit to spill its graces over the participants, and to enlighten them when making decisions during the assembly.

OPEN HOUSE

We invite you to participate in an "Open House" that will take place on Saturday, September 17 at 2:30pm, and which will be given by the members of St. Theresa's section to benefit the Apostleship of the Cross. Please let your coordinator know if you would like to assist, and she will provide you with additional information.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR M.SP.S.' BISHOPS

We congratulate our new Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, M.Sp.S. whose celebration took place in the city of Seattle, Washington, on June 6, 2005. Several members of our center were present.

Our congratulations are in order to our Bishop Ricardo Watty, M.Sp.S, who celebrated his 25th anniversary of Episcopal Ordination in Nuevo Laredo on July 19, 2005. Members of our St. Theresa's section were present in such a joyful occasion.

DATES TO REMEMBER

AUGUST

August 16 - Notre Dame's section starts its meetings

August 23 - St. Theresa's section starts its meetings

SEPTEMBER

Sept. 8 - Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sept. 14 - Exaltation of the Cross

- Anniversary of the birth of the Center "Christ Eternal and High Priest" in Houston (1983)

Sept. 15-18 - IX General Assembly of the Apostleship of the Cross

Sept. 15 - Our Lady of Sorrows.

Sept. 17 - Open House St. Theresa's Section

Sept. 24 - Anniversary of Priestly Ordination F. Félix (1887)

OCTUBRE

Oct. 7-9 - English retreat with F. José Ortega M.Sp.S. and Deacon Agustín Rodríguez M.Sp.S. with the theme Health and Spirituality

Oct. 10 - Spanish talk with F. José Ortega, M.Sp.S. in Notre Dame

Words of Reflexión...

On Holy Friday, April 10th, Jesus told me:

"I want, my daughter, that a Sunday Communion be established, offered to the Holy Spirit, by the hands of Mary, in favor of my Church and my priests.

That this is introduced in the Apostleship, Fraternity, Covenant of Love, Sisters and Missionaries.

.... Everyone needs to raise a cry to heaven asking for that chosen portion of my Priests, by way of the Word, to whom the Father nothing can deny.

The Priesthood, as I have told you, must react for the Works of the Cross, and this mean that I tell you about today, will be of abundant fruits for the vineyard..."

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***Jesus, Savior of all people,
Save them!***