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may be glorified by any legitimate means





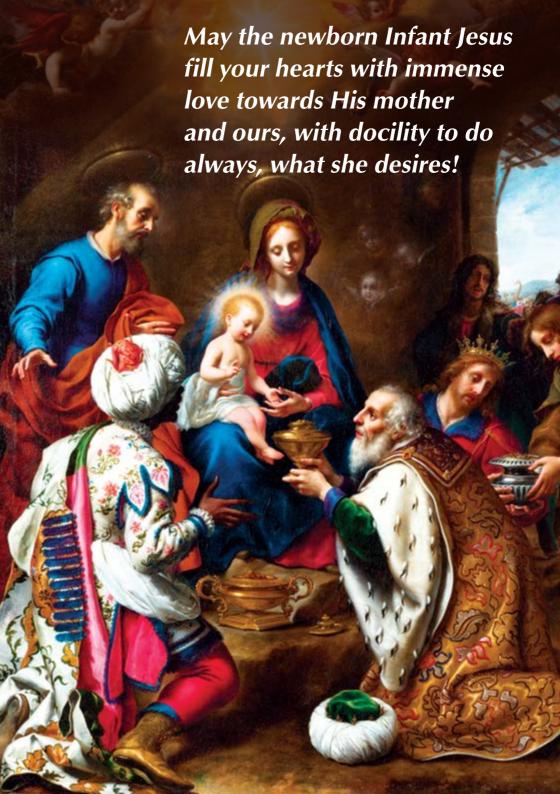
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Dear Knights of the Immaculata!

The year of the great jubilee of the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady in Fatima and the foundation of the Militia Immaculatae has already begun. We want to consecrate all our "Knight of the Immaculata" bulletins to form and to make more efficacious HER little army for this gigantic spiritual warfare in the latter times and particularly during this crucial year 2017.

In the present issue we want to attract your attention to the means, the "weapons" of the Knight. Saint Maximilian Kolbe invites us to "use all honest means" to make Our Lady known and loved, to convert the souls so that they may recognize their heavenly mother and through HER their Heavenly Father.

It is important to be convinced that everything which is not sin can and should become a tool, an instrument, a way, a means to enkindle the heart of everybody with love for HER, to unite our hearts with HER heart, to submit our will to HER will. And because HER will is always dependent on the will of God, our union with the Immaculata is the shortest, easiest and surest way to holiness.

These means or weapons are: apostolic prayer, suffering, good example, sacrifices (especially the fervent fulfillment of the duties of state) and work. Prayers and sacrifices obtain the graces of conversion and sanctification for the souls, good example being a strong motivation for many to choose the way of salvation. And what does Saint Maximilian mean, when he mentions "work for the Immaculata" that each knight can do? Everybody can "distribute the Miraculous Medal", give flyers, booklets, holy cards, books to friends, relatives, neighbours etc. The ar-

chives of the M.I. are full of almost innumerable extraordinary and miraculous conversions thanks to the use of these "weapons".

If we neglect them, many people remain in the darkness, if we use them, many more will be saved. This is the reason and importance of the "M.I. – corners" in all places, where Knights of the Immaculata can be found (see pages 9–11). This is also the reason for the recent establishment of a M.I. publishing house "Kolbe Publications", so that each Knight can receive the tools for his apostolic work.

However, it must be repeated over and over again: without the grace of God all these exterior means will not bring any good fruit. The grace for us, and for the others, we obtain only by humble prayer, mortification and faithful accomplishment of our ordinary and often banal daily obligations. It is of the utmost importance that we would never start an apostolic action and never use any of the above mentioned means without having asked the Immaculata to bless our work and to open the minds and hearts of the people to whom we go. We will be always convinced that our 'work' is the work of the pencil, but SHE uses this unworthy and mean pencil for HER great designs: the conversion and sanctification of many souls.

Fr. Karl Stehlin



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The Epiphany of Our Lord



The word Epiphany means manifestation, and it has passed into general acceptance throughout the universal Church, from the fact that Jesus Christ manifested to the eyes of men His divine mission on this day first of all, when a miraculous star revealed His birth to the kings of the East. Thus was fulfilled the prophecy that a star would arise from Jacob.

Read more: http://militia-immaculatae.asia/english/ Prade57.php

The Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary



The law of God, given by Moses to the Jews, ordained that after childbirth a woman should continue for a certain time in a state which that law calls unclean, during which time she was not to appear in public. This term was of forty days following the birth of a son. When the term expired, the mother was to bring to the Temple a lamb and a young pigeon or turtle-dove, as an offering to God.

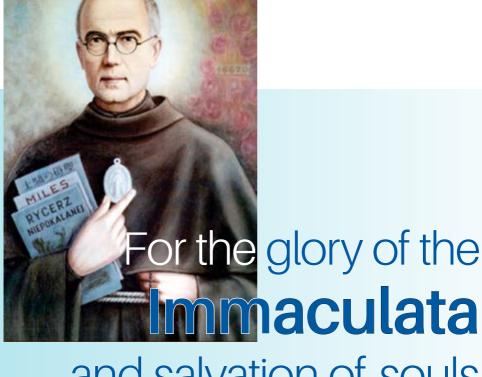
Read more: http://militia-immaculatae.asia/english/ Prade93.php

Feast of the Apparition of the Immaculata in Lourdes



The Feast the Apparition of the Immaculate Virgin Mary commemorates the appearing of Our Lady on several occasions in 1858 at Lourdes in France. The first of the eighteen apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Bernadette Soubirous took place at Lourdes on February 11, 1858. On March 25th, when Bernadette asked the beautiful Lady Her name, She replied: "I am the Immaculate Conception."

Read more: <u>http://militia-immaculatae.asia/english/Prade117.php</u>



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and salvation of souls

The Programme of the Militia Immaculatae indicates that we are to use:

"all means (as long as they are licit),

which our state of life, conditions and circumstances permit, which are recommended to the zeal and prudence of everyone."

The sight of the spiritual and moral decadence that was ruining souls, aroused St. Maximilian to waste no time, to use every means, to try every method valiantly, in order to save souls.



The temporary bookstore during M.I. gathering in Poland

St. Maximilian wrote:
"We need to submit ourselves as docile instruments into Her hands, availing ourselves of every lawful means, pushing ahead through the spoken word and through the dissemination of Marian literature and the Miraculous Medal, and giving strength to our activity by prayer and good example."

He always went about with a supply of Miraculous Medals in his pockets. He called them "bullets" or "little bombs" to open breaches in men's hearts.

Saint Maximilian determined to make use of every legitimate means, starting with what was simplest and in easiest reach, namely, a Marian journal for everybody. Among his writings we find: "There is a need to flood the world with a cloudburst of Christian and Marian literature in every lan-



Corner of the Militia Immaculatae in Singapore

guage, coping with every error that crops up; for error has found in the press its strongest ally. There is a need to envelop the world with printed matter carrying words of life, in order to bring the joy of life back to the world..."

Priests in parishes all over the country reported a tremendous upsurge of faith, which they attributed to the literature emerging from Niepokalanów. A campaign against abortion in the columns of the "Knight" (1938) seemed to awaken the conscience of the nation; more than a million people of all classes and professions



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ranged themselves behind the standard of Mary Immaculate. Years later, after the war, the Polish bishops sent an official letter to the Holy See claiming that Fr Kolbe's magazine had prepared the Polish nation to endure and survive the horrors of the war that was soon to follow.

Corner of the Militia Immaculatae in Chennai (India)



In 1935, they began to produce a daily Catholic newspaper, The Little Daily, of which 137,000 copies were printed on weekdays and 225,000 on Sundays and holydays.

St. Maximilian was moved by the desire to lead the whole world to Christ through Mary.

In 1930 he went to Japan to establish a second City of the Immaculata, Mugenzai no Sono, close to Nagasaki. On 24 April 1930, exactly a month after their arrival, a telegram was despatched to Niepokalanów: "Today distributing Japanese Knight. Have printing press. Praise to Mary Immaculate." Seibo no Kishi. the Japanese Knight, had a circulation 6 times that of the nearest Japanese Catholic rival. The first 10,000 copies had swollen to 65,000 by 1936.

In 1932 he was already seeking fresh pastures. On 31 May he left Japan and sailed to Malabar (India) where, after a few initial difficulties, he founded the third Niepokalanów. But his superiors requested him to return to Japan, and as no priests could be spared for Malabar, that idea had to be given up.

On another of his journeys, he travelled through Siberia and spent some time in Moscow. He dreamed of publishing his magazine — in Russian.

Saint Maximilian Kolbe did not rest content with journalistic mere activity. His sights were set even 8 December further. On 1938 a radio station was installed at Niepokalanów. St. Maximilian even had plans for a movie studio and own airport.



Corner of the Militia Immaculatae in Cebu (Philippines)

This true apostle would neglect nothing and take advantage of everything when it came to spreading the kingdom of God.

Such apostolic zeal transcends the boundaries of time and place.

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What can we do

Here, we have opened the broadest field for action, for there is every variety of "state in life, conditions and circumstances," offering countless ways and means of action. All valid and legitimate means for the conversion and sanctification of men is entrusted to the zeal and prudence of each Knight. We can:

1. Distribute the Miraculous Medal, wherever possible

We can order the Miraculous Medal here:

- for Europe: https://militia-immaculatae.info/pages/en/apostolate/ <a href="majostolate-apostola
- for Asia, Africa, North and South America: sales@kolbepublications.com; www.kolbepublications.com





2. Make a corner of the Militia Immaculatae in our chapels

Please, see examples of Militia Immaculatae Corner at the previous pages of our bulletin

in our times?

3. Distribute Marian literature

We can order from www.kolbepublications.com or download https://militia-immaculatae.info/pages/en/home.php?lang=EN

— leaflets: https://militia-immaculatae.info/pages/posts/leaflets-for-knights-210.php



— books: https://militia-im-maculatae.info/pages/posts/ books-for-knights-208.php



4. Distribute "Knight of the Immaculata"

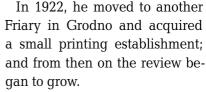
We can order from www.kolbepublications.com or download https://militia-immaculatae.info/pages/posts/knight-of-the-immaculata-212.php

On the following pages of our bulletin we describe examples of the apostolate in China, the Philippines, India and Russia. In his magazine "Knight of the Immaculata" St. Maximilian referred to news from the world as "little sparks". Sparks are the source of fire. Let them ignite our apostolic activity. Let us gain the whole world for the Immaculata with Her help and for Her glory.

95th anniversary of the bulletin: "Knight of the Immaculata"

January 2017 will mark the 95th anniversary of first issue of "Knight of the Immaculata" which was published by St. Maximilian Kolbe.

In January 1922, he began to publish a monthly review, the Knight of the Immaculate, in Krakow. Its aim was to "illuminate the truth and show the true way to happiness". As funds were low, only 5,000 copies of the first issue were printed.

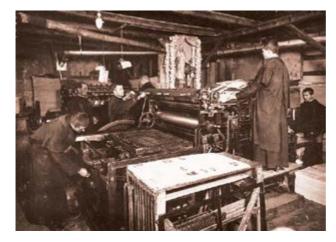


In 1927, 70,000 copies were being printed. The Grodno Friary became too small to house the work, so Fr. Maximilian began to look for a site nearer to Warsaw.

In Niepokalanów more modern machinery had been installed, including three machi-

nes which could produce 16,000 copies of the review in an hour. New techniques of type, photogravure and binding were adopted.

The new machinery and techniques made it possible to meet the growing demand for "Knight of the Immaculata" — which had now reached the incredible circulation figure of 750,000 copies per month.



Description of the illustration on the title page of the first issue of "Knight of the Immaculata":

In the middle stands the Immaculata, who crushes the head of the serpent underfoot, encircled by the texts: "She will crush your head", and "Thou alone hast vanquished all heresies throughout the world."

Above, in Polish, is the title of the publication, Knight of the Immaculata, which spans two swords, which fight against and defeat the embodiments of the serpent here on earth.

The defeated foes are depicted as books, which signifies that we fight against errors but love those who are in error. These erroneous doctrines are here-



sies and Freemasonry (to which we can add Modernism and ecumenism).



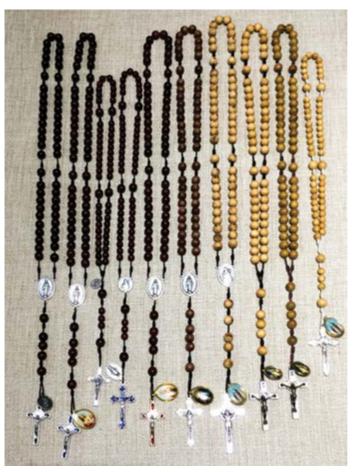
Report of M.I. China

In China, Our lady used to have lots of holy and brave instruments in this nation. However, while God's grace is working over the souls, the devil is also devouring millions, and doing everything he could to hinder the salvation of souls. For thousands of years, the devil had won so many times, souls who are enslaved by him would only care for this material world but nothing else.

> But God's mercy did not forsake this land, so many great saints wills so much to bring light and truth to this land.

Though St. Francis Xavier did not actually enter China, but by his merit, his successors had managed to enter and had once so deeply influenced this nation.

Inspired by this great saint, St. Ma-ximilian too, wished to continue this work. Though he could not personally establish his work in China, after so many years, M.I. was eventually embracing the first group of Chinese Knights in June 2015.



Those who are good at handicraft works, made hundreds of wooden rosaries...

Though they are few in numbers, scattered in different places, M.I. gave the knights perfect ideal and means to unite together spiritually, and using all the modern approach to be the instrument of our Lady.

Those who are good at language, translated hundreds of M.I. messages on the website.

Those who are good at handicraft, made hundreds of wooden rosaries. Those who can design, made beautiful leaflets of M.I.

Those who have access to the old books, saved traditional prayer books from being burned, then input texts into computer.

Those who are good at technology, setup a feeding channel of traditional faith on the mobile network, so that people may easily get daily Missal and access to Gregorian Chant recordings.



... Those who can design, made beautiful leaflets of M.I. ...

All the works, if without our Lady, without our Lord, are fruitless. "Without me, you can do nothing." It's so true, if you're living in such a godless environment. There is utterly nowhere else like this place, spiritually wasted, but at the same time, for those who ask, graces are pouring over them.

Every time the priest visits, the knights made great efforts to come to confess, to come to Mass, some need to travel even hundreds of kilometers. In their eyes, sacraments are so precious, it was worth waiting for.

Obeying our Lady's commands, the knights pray and make daily sacrifices, they participate





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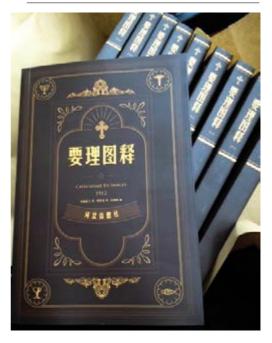
in both M.I. prayer crusade and the rosary crusade.

In end times, while all the shiny bubbles are slowly falling apart, the work of our lady's little army is like a glittering light.

Amongst all the despairs and false salvation, there is true hope, the only way to save this nation from unjust, impure slavery. This is the will of the Immaculata, the very same will of God that this salvation be brought forth through instruments: Militia Immaculatae.







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The Mary's Mission Tour en route...

The Mary's Mission Tour started on October 28, 2016. This is a pilgrimage of 2,000 km with a statue of Our Lady of Fatima throughout the Philippines.

The pilgrimage will finish on July 31, 2017 in Baquio (Luzon

island on the north of the Philippines).

November 16, 2017 — 20th day of Mary's Mission Tour and roughly 250 km covered. The pilgrims have walked on 17 of those days, while the remaining 6 days

Phase I — Mindanao

The fourht stage (from Cagayan de Oro to Camiguin) 6 days (*January 1–6*) — 90 km.

The fifth stage (from Camiguin — around tour to Carmen)

11 days (January 7–20) — 160 km.

The sixth stage (from Carmen to Surigao) 10 days (*January* 24 — *February* 3) — 147 km.

For those who would like to participate in the walking portions of this long Pilgrimage, they are invited to refer to the website: http://www.sspxasia.com/Countries/Philippines/mmt/main.html

were spent solely in apostolic activities — or were used for a pause to prepare for a scheduled event. About 2,400 coloured flyers and 1,700 M.I. Primer catechisms, some in English and some in Cebuano have been distributed by Catechists who endeavor

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to speak to interested people, explaining Mary's Mission, and offering a flyer and a sacramental to those interested. If a Priest is available, the Priest is called to invest them with the Scapular. More than 5,000 Scapulars have been distributed in this way. Mi-

raculous Medals were given to those who could learn the M.I. prayer and to 30–50 Protestants and Muslims.

General Santos City — The Vice Mayor and First Councillor of General Santos City received our Pilgrim Virgin statue on November 4, together with 200 Government officials and workers at the City Hall. The First Councillor was in tears upon the arrival of Our Lady's statue. The Vice Mayor of General Santos and her lady First Councillor consecrated General Santos to the Immaculate Heart of Our Lady. After this, the Vice Mayor (as the Mayor is Protestant) and the First Councillor accompanied the pilgrims across the Park to the largest church of the city, Our Lady of Peace and Good Voyage. 27 officers of the Mayor's Of-

fice consecrated themselves to Our Lady in the Militia Immaculatae.

Father Mani met the pilgrims at the door, and the bearers brought the Pilgrim Virgin statue into the Church. The Salve Regina was sung, a short sermon was given, and then the pilgrims processed out with a hymn.



Opening ceremony (October 28, 2016)



The very next day, at Mary's evening Mission, more than 190 people from his town of Alabel attended the Mass and 52 consecrated themselves to Our Lady's service. Surely this shows that the acts of public officials bring blessings upon the people. May Our Lady renew this kind of act over and over again.

Another key point of Mary's Mission has been to visit soldiers' check-points and camps, as well as Police stations. On November 9 the pilgrims were received warmly at the camp of the 1002nd Infantry Brigade of the Philippine Army. Rosary and Marian conferences were held for the soldiers, several of them were invested with the brown scapular.

Task Force Davao received Our Lady at their Toril camp with full color guard, all soldiers at attention, while Captain Mendoza consecrated task Forse Davao to Our Lady during the Davao reception ceremony, with a military salute.

Our Lady has also touched the heart of Major General Rafael Valencia who really desires Our Lady to visit all his soldiers along the Mission route.

The next day, accompanied by the soldiers, the pilgrimage proceeded to Malungon, Sarangani Province. The Parish Priest of St. Joseph Parish Church along with some 33 local parishioners welcomed Our Lady into the-

ir parish church. The Parish Priest knelt before the Pilgrim Virgin statue consecrating his parish to Her Immaculate Heart. After the consecration he remained, listening as Fr. Tim preached about Fatima and the M.I.

On November 12, at Barangas 41 local residents attended the Holy Mass. The pilgrims made a short stop at a church dedicated to St. Roch where some 40 persons were waiting for Our





Students receive Scapulars



Lady's visit. 39 of them were later invested with the brown scapular. At the Holy Cross School of Sulop 156 persons listened to the conference and were later invested with the brown scapular. Then the pilgrims reached San Jose Barangay Hall, Digos City, where some 20 persons, including the local barangay officials, welcomed Our Lady. They were also invested with brown scapulars.

On November 23, pilgrims went to the mayor's Office of Davao City (the Philippines, island Mindanao) and the mayor of Davao City consecrated the city to Our Lady. The Consecration at the City Council of Davao City to the Immaculate Heart of Mary was performed by Fr. Alexander Hora of the SSPX.

In attendance was the vice mayor Paolo Duterte, councilors and guests. They were introduced by councilor Pilar Braga during her speech.

After that, they requested to have the Virgin's statue in their respective offices, with the staff receiving brown scapulars and miraculous medals. At 2:00 p.m., the Virgin's entourage went to





Soldiers receive Scapular



Pilgrims went to Major's Office of Davao City

the Mayor's City Hall building where people expressed their spiritual hunger, kneeling around Fr. Hora to receive their own brown scapulars and miraculous medals. It was a successful and edifying day for the Virgin's visit.

The concrete results Mary's Mission Tour are **6000** new Kni-

ghts of the Immaculata. The pil-grimage continues...

Fr. J. Timothy Pfeiffer

Video report from Mary's Mission Tour at M.I. Channel:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=854VhHQL2 0

Consecration to the Immaculata

On the feast of the Immaculate Conception Knights of the Immaculata renewed their consecration to the Immaculata.

Consecration in Wanganui

After morning Mass, Knights of the Immaculata at St Anthony's in Wanganui, New Zealand, renewing their consecration before the Blessed Sacrament.



Knights renewed their consecration to the Immaculata in Wanganui

Consecration in Manila

In Manila, Knights of the Immaculata (with the parish priest) renewed their consecration after evening Mass at the foot of statue of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception. Knights prepared their souls for consecration according to the booklet "Consecration to the Immaculata".

Parishioners renewed also the consecration of their country, the Philippines, to Our Lady.



Consecration in India

On December 11, the male Young Knights of the Immaculata in India (YKI) organized a pilgrimage to the Basilica of Our Lady of Lourdes in Poondi. Some of them made their consecration and enrolled in the movement.



Young Knights of the Immaculata in Poondi

YKI has certificate

Young Knights of the Immaculata in India (YKI) have a special certificate. YKI is a group of Knights which was established in the framework of M.I.





This group is M.I. 2 — level 2 of the Militia Immaculate.

We wrote about YKI in the previous issue of "Knight of the Immaculata".

Information is also available on the website: militia-immaculatae.asia

see the section about Militia Immaculatae/M.I. Worldwide:

http://militia-immaculatae.asia/en-glish/MI.php

Apostolate of Knights in Chennai (India)

Knights of the Immaculatae in Chennai (India) are doing many things. They have made a corner for the Militia Immaculate in Chennai chapel and, during November, they:

— distributed 200 Miraculous medals to the faithful;



- made 5 hospital visits: visiting the sick, praying the Rosary with them and presenting them with Miraculous Medals;
- are visiting the Catholic cemeteries in the city of Chennai every weekend to pray for the forgotten souls in purgatory;
- are also visiting St. Mary's Mandaveli Cemetery, Kilapauk Christian Cemetery, the Cemetery for the Priests (Luz Church), St. Roques Cemetery in Roayapuram, Little Mount Cemetery, Quibble Island Santhome, and the Central Christian Cemetery.

Flyers in Russian language

On July 13, 1917 Our Lady said: "In the end, My Immaculate Heart will triumph. The Holy Father will consecrate Russia to Me and she will be converted, and a certain period of peace will be granted to the world."

We pray for the conversion of Russia. We have also prepared leaflets, which are an instrument of the apostolate.

We encourage all Knights to distribute these flyers among people who speak the Russian language.



Our Lady of Fatima Пресвятая Дева Фатимская

download: https://militia-immaculatae.info/media/english/Flyers/Our Lady Fatima RU.pdf

My Immaculatae Heart will triumph Моё Непорочное Сердце восторжествует

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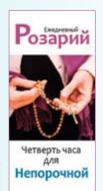


Let's pray the Rosary every day Будем молиться Розарий каждый день

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The daily Rosary Ежедневный Розарий

download: https://militia-immaculatae.info/media/ english/Flyers/Rosary_mysteries_RU.pdf



Visit of M.I. Director and 143 new Knights in Poland

From 11th — 13th November 2016, in Poland, there took place the first official visit of our guest the Rev. Fr. Karl Stehlin, previous Superior of this country and Eastern Europe, who introduced Catholic Tradition into this region 22 years ago. The SSPX Asia Superior came first of all as a world Director of

M.I. to the homeland of St. Maximilian Kolbe, M.I. founder in 1917. Fr. Stehlin, in the year 2000, reactivated M.I. in Poland, in the spirit of the founder as the Militia Immaculatae Traditional Observance.

During these days Father visited 3 centers of the apostolate: the chapel in Poznan, the Priory in Cracow and the Priory in Warsaw. In connection with this opportunity, conferences were held to promote Fr. Stehlin's new book: "Fatima: A Spiritual Guide



For Our Times" attended by about 800 faithful.

In each of the centres of the apostolate, Fr. Stehlin celebrated Holy Mass and gave 3 conferences. The first conference was about Fatima. During the lecture Father emphasized the great importance of the apparitions of Our Lady in Fatima and also of the means which had been indicated by the Mother of God: the Rosary and devotion to Her Immaculate Heart. During the second conference our guest spoke about the apostolate of the SSPX in Asia. The subject matter of the third conference focused on

the Militia Immaculatae. Powerful lectures were reinforced with a beautiful slideshow of Fatima, of St. Maximilian and of the great work in Asia. After the conferences Father Karl Stehlin accepted 143 new Knights: 40 new Knights in Poznan (Poznań); 17 new Knights in Cracow (Kraków) and 86 knights in Warsaw (Warszawa).

All meetings were held in a warm, touching atmosphere. Entering into Poznan chapel Father said: "It seems to me like I never left this place before...".

We look forward do your next visit in Poland dear Father!

Joanna Tryjanowska (Poland)



New enrolments into the Militia Immaculatae in District GB

Father Robert Brucciani, District Superior of Great Britain enrolled 149 new Knights in a few chapels in England and Scandinavia.

On Sunday 6th August Father Brucciani enrolled 3 new Knights into the Militia Immaculatae in Aalborg, which is part of the Scandinavian Apostolate of District GB.

On Sunday 18th September 2016 Fr. Brucciani enrolled 13 new Knights into the Militia Immaculatae at Bingley. This is a Mass centre and the number of faithful is small. Also, there can be no permanent "Militia Immaculatae Corner" because the building is used by other, secular, groups.

On Sunday 16th October Fr. Brucciani enrolled 88 new Knights into the Militia Immaculatae at the Church of St. Andrew's in Glasgow, Scotland.

He enrolled a further 38 new Knights on the same day at the Church of the Holy Name of Jesus in Gateshead. These were all regular faithful who were enrolled at the first opportunity.

Both of these groups are administered from the Priory of Carluke in Scotland, and the Prior, Father John McLaughlin, had been announcing the upcoming opportunity for several Sundays in advance to ensure that there would be a good number of faithful present.

On Sunday 23rd October, Fa-

ther Brucciani
enrolled 7 new
Knights into
the Militia Immaculatae at the
Church of Sts.
Peter & Paul at
Liverpool. These
7 are loyal supporters of the
Society.



The chapel in Glasgow

Howard Toon

The Militia Immaculatae is an army of Knights of Mary Immaculate which works for the conversion of all men to God, whether they be Protestants, or Jews, or Muslims, & in particular the Freemasons, and that all become saints, under the patronage and through the mediation of the Immaculate Virgin.

The Militia Immaculatae was founded by St. Maximilian Maria Kolbe on October 17, 1917. Since 1937 Militia Immaculatae is also called the Knights of the Immaculata.



Original Statutes of the Militia Immaculatae (by St. Maximilian)

"She will crush your head." (Genesis 3:15)
"Thou alone hast vanquished all heresies throughout the world."

(from the Roman Breviary)

I. Goal of Membership:

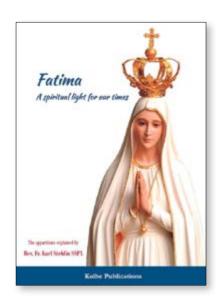
To work for the conversion to God of all men, be they sinners, heretics, schismatics, Jews, Moslems etc., in particular the Masons; and that all become saints, under the patronage and through the mediation of the Immaculate Virgin.

II. Conditions of Membership:

- **1.** To consecrate oneself entirely to the Immaculate Virgin, placing oneself freely as a docile and generous instrument in Her hands.
 - 2. To wear the Miraculous Medal.

III. Duties of Membership:

- 1. If possible, to pray the following ejaculation at least once a day: "O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to Thee, and for all those who do not have recourse to Thee, especially for the Masons and for all those who are commended to Thee."
- **2.** To use all other valid and legitimate means for the conversion and sanctification of men, according to one's means, in the different states and conditions of life, as the occasions present themselves; this is entrusted to the zeal and prudence of each one. Particularly recommended, however, is spreading the Miraculous Medal.
- N.B. These means are recommended only as suggestions and not as an obligation; not one of them obliges under pain of sin, not even venial sin. Our principal motive is to help the greatest possible number of souls to be united with the Sacred Heart of Jesus through the mediation of the Immaculata.



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