



Religiose di Maria Immacolata Missionarie Claretiane

Governo Generale

PF 01/21

Dear sisters,

A joyful and serene greeting as a fruit of the confidence that comes from experiencing God walking with us every day. Thus, we open the doors of the new year that we have begun, and with the invitation of Pope Francis who, in many ways, helps us to reveal from the Gospel the face of God, present in the sisters and in the brothers.

In the context of the beginning of the year and, for some places where activities begin, in others we continue to take steps to achieve the evangelizing goals proposed for the year 2020-2021. We celebrate the triduum of our Mother Foundress and we want to do it from the same call that she felt and left us imprinted in the *DNA* of our Congregation, *to take care of unity, to live as one family, making our community spaces places of welcome, of meeting of life and leaving our own borders to feel and welcome that my brother / sister is another self* (cf. const. 35). Her life experience also becomes a call for attention and responsibility to continue walking towards the encounter of the brothers in diversity.

We thank Sisters Betty Morales and Diana Vázquez, from the Virgen de Guadalupe Province, who prepared the triduum and lauds of the day, helping us to live this time with love and to deepen the gift of fraternity and unity.

Wherever possible, we suggest that the triduum be held by inviting those who feel called to share the charism and walk with us.

May Mary Immaculate accompany us and help us open ourselves to welcome God manifested in the various faces that we meet in our daily lives.

A fraternal hug

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