

WHY TOTAL CONSECRATION?

As the Son of God entrusted Himself to the womb of the Virgin Mary to come into the world, so we imitate Jesus and entrust ourselves to the Immaculate Virgin Mary on our journey to heaven, for personal sanctification and the conversion of the world to Christ.

WHY SHOULD I JOIN THE MI?

The Militia of the Immaculata (MI) is a worldwide ecclesial movement founded by St. Maximilian Kolbe in 1917. The MI has the full approval of the Vatican and canonical statutes, and is dedicated to bringing the world to the Sacred Heart of Jesus through consecration to the Immaculate Virgin Mary.

POPE FRANCIS

“We need constantly to contemplate the mystery of mercy. It is a wellspring of joy, serenity, and peace.”

ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

“Whoever you are, whatever you have, or are able to do, you receive it at any one moment from the hands of Divine Mercy through the Immaculata.”



National Shrine of St. Maximilian Kolbe

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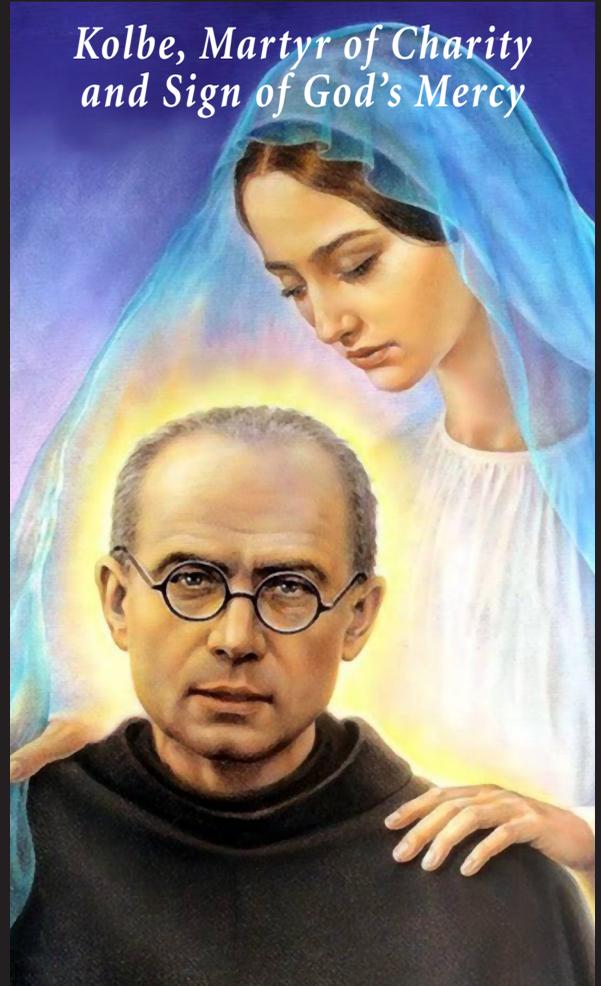
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Kolbe, Martyr of Charity and Sign of God's Mercy



The intentions for the year 2016 take into consideration the 75th anniversary of St. Maximilian's martyrdom and the celebration of the Extraordinary Jubilee Year proclaimed by Pope Francis, whose theme will be mercy.

Daily Renewal of Total Consecration

Immaculata, Queen and Mother of the Church, I renew my consecration to you this day and for always, so that you may use me for the coming of the Kingdom of Jesus in the whole world. To this end I offer you all my prayers, actions and sacrifices of this day.

Daily Miraculous Medal Prayer of St. Maximilian

O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to you, and for all those who do not have recourse to you, especially the enemies of Holy Church and all those recommended to you.

Immaculata, please intercede . . .

JANUARY

That everywhere we may be instruments of peace, forgiveness and understanding, with hearts full of mercy.

FEBRUARY

That all people suffering in body and spirit may find solace in the certainty of God's merciful love.

MARCH

That mindful of God's mercy we may be willing to make a generous gift of ourselves to others.

APRIL

That our life may be an enduring witness to the truths of the Resurrection and Divine Mercy.

MAY

That free from any prejudice we may welcome our brothers and sisters in their uniqueness.

JUNE

That contemplating the merciful love of Christ we may open our hearts to the needs of our brethren.

JULY

That resentments and anger may never stifle our ability to love.

AUGUST

That St. Maximilian's martyrdom may inspire each of us to be a sign of God's mercy for our brothers and sisters who are living in despair.

SEPTEMBER

That all people who are enslaved by sin may find interior healing in the mercy of God.

OCTOBER

That our compassion may find its inspiration in your mercy, exemplified at the foot of the Cross.

NOVEMBER

That in times of darkness and uncertainty we may be able to invoke God's merciful love.

DECEMBER

That the Incarnation and Nativity of Christ may cause us to ponder the mercy of God for mankind and instill in us the courage to look to the future with hope.