



Consecrated life is born and reborn of an encounter with Jesus as he is: poor, chaste and obedient.

We journey along a double track: on the one hand, God's loving initiative, from which everything starts and to which we must always return; on the other, our own response, which is truly loving when it has no "ifs" or "buts", when it imitates Jesus in his poverty, chastity and obedience.

Whereas the life of this world attempts to take hold of us, the consecrated life turns from fleeting riches to embrace the One who endures forever.

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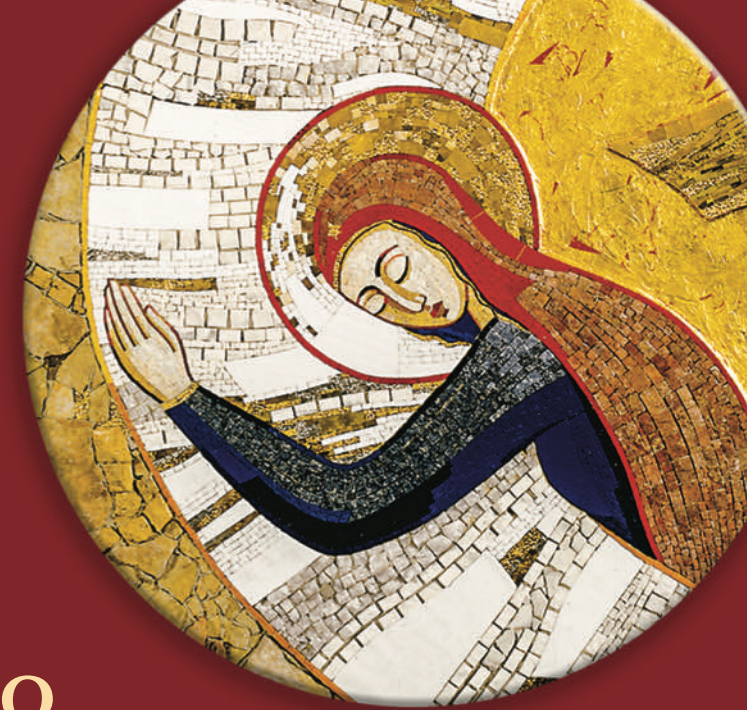
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"YOU WILL BE
MY PEOPLE,
AND I WILL BE
YOUR GOD"
(Ez 36,28)

CONSECRATIO ET CONSECRATIO PER EVANGELICA CONSILIA

REFLECTIONS
STILL-OPEN ISSUES
POSSIBLE PATHWAYS



Let us look at our own lives, dear consecrated brothers and sisters.

Everything started in an encounter with the Lord. Our journey of consecration was born of an encounter and a call. We need to keep this in mind.

And if we remember rightly, we will realize that in that encounter we were not alone with Jesus; there was also the people of God, the Church, young and old, just as in today's Gospel.

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INTERNATIONAL MEETING
ROME, 3/6 MAY 2018
AUDITORIUM ANTONIANUM



PRESIDED OVER BY *H.E. João Braz Card. de Aviz*

- 15.00

PRAYER
- 15.15

WELCOME GREETINGS
H.E. João Braz Card. de Aviz
- FIRST SESSION

MODERATOR SEBASTIANO PACIOLLA, O. CIST.
- 15.30

CONSECRATION: BIBLICAL DIMENSION
THE IRRESISTIBLE POWER OF THE WORD
BIBLICAL INSPIRATIONS OF CONSECRATED LIFE
Nuria Calduch-Benages, MN
- 16.15

DEBATE – DIALOGUE IN HALL
- 16.45

Break
- SECOND SESSION

MODERATOR SEBASTIANO PACIOLLA, O. CIST.
- 17.15

CONSECRATION: STEPS OF A JOURNEY
H.E. Mons. José Rodríguez Carballo, OFM
Carmen Ros Nortes, NSC
- 18.00

DEBATE – DIALOGUE IN HALL
- 19.00

PRAYER VIGIL
Basilica of St John in Lateran
Presided over by H.E. Mons. José Rodríguez Carballo, OFM

10.30 **PAPAL AUDIENCE**
Paolo VI Hall

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THIRD SESSION
MODERATOR CARMEN ROS NORTES, NSC

15.15 **CONSECRATION: THEOLOGICAL AND CHARISMATIC DIMENSION**
DIVINAE PULCHRITUDINIS SPLENDOR
THE CHARISMATIC CONSECRATION
José Cristo Rey García Paredes, CMF

16.00 DEBATE – DIALOGUE IN HALL

16.45 Break

FOURTH SESSION
MODERATOR CARMEN ROS NORTES, NSC

17.15 **CONSECRATION: JURIDICAL DIMENSION**
IUS SEQUITUR VITAM
Sebastiano Paciolla, O. Cist.

18.00 DEBATE – DIALOGUE IN HALL

18.45 **EVENING PRAYERS**



PRESIDED OVER BY *H.E. Mons. José Rodríguez Carballo, OFM*

- 8.00

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION
Basilica of St Anthony in Lateran
Presided over by H.E. Mons. José Rodríguez Carballo, OFM
- 9.00 - 12.30

GROUP MEETINGS FOR THE DIVERSE EXPERIENCES OF CONSECRATED LIFE

Religious Institutes of Apostolic Life
Societies of Apostolic Life
Secular Institutes
Ordo Virginum
New Institutes, “New Forms”
Associations and Movements
- 15.00 - 17.30

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Break
- FIFTH SESSION

MODERATOR CARMEN ROS NORTES, NSC
- 18.00

Feedback from the group meetings for the diverse experiences of consecrated life
- 18.45

EVENING PRAYERS

PRESIDED OVER BY *H.E. João Braz Card. de Aviz*

- 8.45

PRAYER
- SIXTH SESSION

MODERATOR SEBASTIANO PACIOLLA, O. CIST.
- 9.00

Feedback from the group meetings for the diverse experiences of consecrated life
- 10.15

STILL-OPEN ISSUES AND POSSIBLE PATHWAYS
H.E. Mons. José Rodríguez Carballo, OFM
- 11.00

FAREWELL GREETINGS
H.E. João Braz Card. de Aviz
- 11.30

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