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FIRST ANNUAL CHAPTER FOR OUR 11 NEWLY ORDAINED PRIESTS

Every year, the Annual Chapter of the Institute is held at Gricigliano, near Florence, Italy. From the 24th to 28th August last, we numbered 86 canons, meeting in a spirit of family, praying together and attending some spiritual conferences. It was also a time to announce the new appointments... especially anticipated by the newly ordained priests!

Tuesday 15th September

Feast of the Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Detail of the chasuble used for the Mass in honour of Our Lady of the Seven Sorrow

7 pm Mass with homily by
Canon Coggeshall:

“Let us take our stand by the Cross, in company with Mary, the Mother of Jesus. A sword of sorrow hath pierced through her own soul also”.

NEW ALTAR IS BEING PREPARED

When the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest rescued the Sacred Heart Church in 2012, all liturgical items had already been removed. One might remember that at the very beginning of the presence of our community, there were neither pews, statues, Stations of the Cross nor a tabernacle. Thanks be to God and thanks to your prayers and support, the Sacred Heart Church is definitively coming back to life and refurbished for the greater glory of God. Our latest part of the restoration was the installation of a beautiful tabernacle and of twelve chandeliers.



2012: Sacred Heart Church had been totally emptied, as well as our current living quarters...

The radiators were a remnant of the former heated church. At this time the entire church was covered by dust and dirt.



The former beautiful marble altar had been removed before our community took over the Sacred Heart Church.

The marble steps were restored last spring to their original position and the third one reinstated.

But the main altar is still missing...

Plans for the new altar



After the restoration of the altar steps, it is now time to offer God an altar worthy of the celebration of Holy Mass in its traditional form. For the time being a temporary altar is being used which consists of a thick plank of wood that covers a cabinet with only a large real altar stone.



The design of a new wooden altar has been prepared and the first part is already on its way!

The total amount for this project is €6,800. Would you like to support the realisation of this altar in honour of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus?

The blessing of the altar is scheduled for November 20th before the 7 pm Mass, by Monsignor Wach, Prior General of the Institute.

Cheques should be made out to
“Institute of Christ the King”

OUR COMMUNITY ONLY DEPENDS ON YOUR GENEROSITY TO RESTORE SACRED HEART CHURCH.



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Our heartfelt congratulations to Mirek and Renata who got married on 18th July last in Poland. Canon Lehocq celebrated Holy Mass in the presence of a large congregation, deeply touched by the beauty of the traditional liturgy. Dear Mirek and Renata, be assured of the prayers of all the friends of the Institute in Ireland!

Original sin left us, as we read in this gospel, “half dead”, but God had pity on us and in His Immeasurable love, He send to us his Son, the Good Samaritan, Our Lord Jesus Christ, to treat us and to look after us.



Old Covenant which is incapable of repairing the debt contracted by original sin. They were simply a prefiguration of the New Covenant, a preparation for the sacrifice of the Cross. Only Christ, who is represented by the Good Samaritan, can

Our Lord, by His Sacrifice on the Cross truly redeemed us and by our baptism, the guilt of original sin is erased completely from our souls.

truly redeem mankind and deliver us from the chains of sin. Our Lord looked with mercy upon the wounds of sin and came to cure men of their injuries, that is to say, their sins.

In the interpretation of the Fathers, the priest and the Levite represent the Law and the prophets, that is to say the

(Excerpt from the homily delivered by Deacon Cyprian Parant)

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