

# Year of Consecrated Life

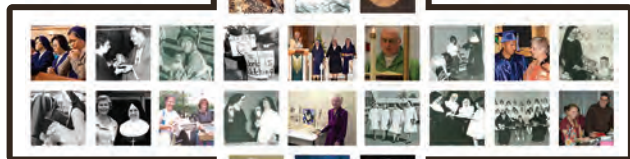
Grateful for the past. Hopeful for the future. Joyful for today.

November 30, 2014 - February 2, 2016

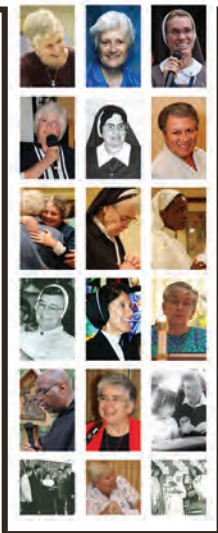
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# *Consecrated*

*commemorating the Year of Consecrated Life*

Almighty and eternal God,  
from the beginning of time  
You wrote on our hearts  
Your steadfast covenant  
of relationship  
of peace  
a perfect love given  
to Your holy people.

As Moses announced Your promise  
to the Israelites,  
we give You thanks  
for the women and men  
who proclaim publicly a life  
consecrated  
and bind their entire being to You  
to serve Your holy people.

We praise You for their prayer life  
mirroring the beauty  
of Your intimate love  
inviting us into a deeper communion with You.

We bless You as they bring us to live simply,  
in solidarity with those we meet.  
They teach us care for the earth and all within it  
as a majestic gift from You.

We glorify You  
as they, like Jesus, lead us to mercy  
that grace might flow within each moment  
marking all time hallowed.

We adore You  
as we are transformed  
by their living presence  
which stirs our soul like unrelenting wind  
to become first disciples at Pentecost.

We ask You to receive our prayer  
for these cherished  
women and men of consecrated life  
and bestow Your blessing upon them  
that as they espouse  
the breadth of Your goodness,  
Your light will shine forth  
over the whole land.  
Amen.