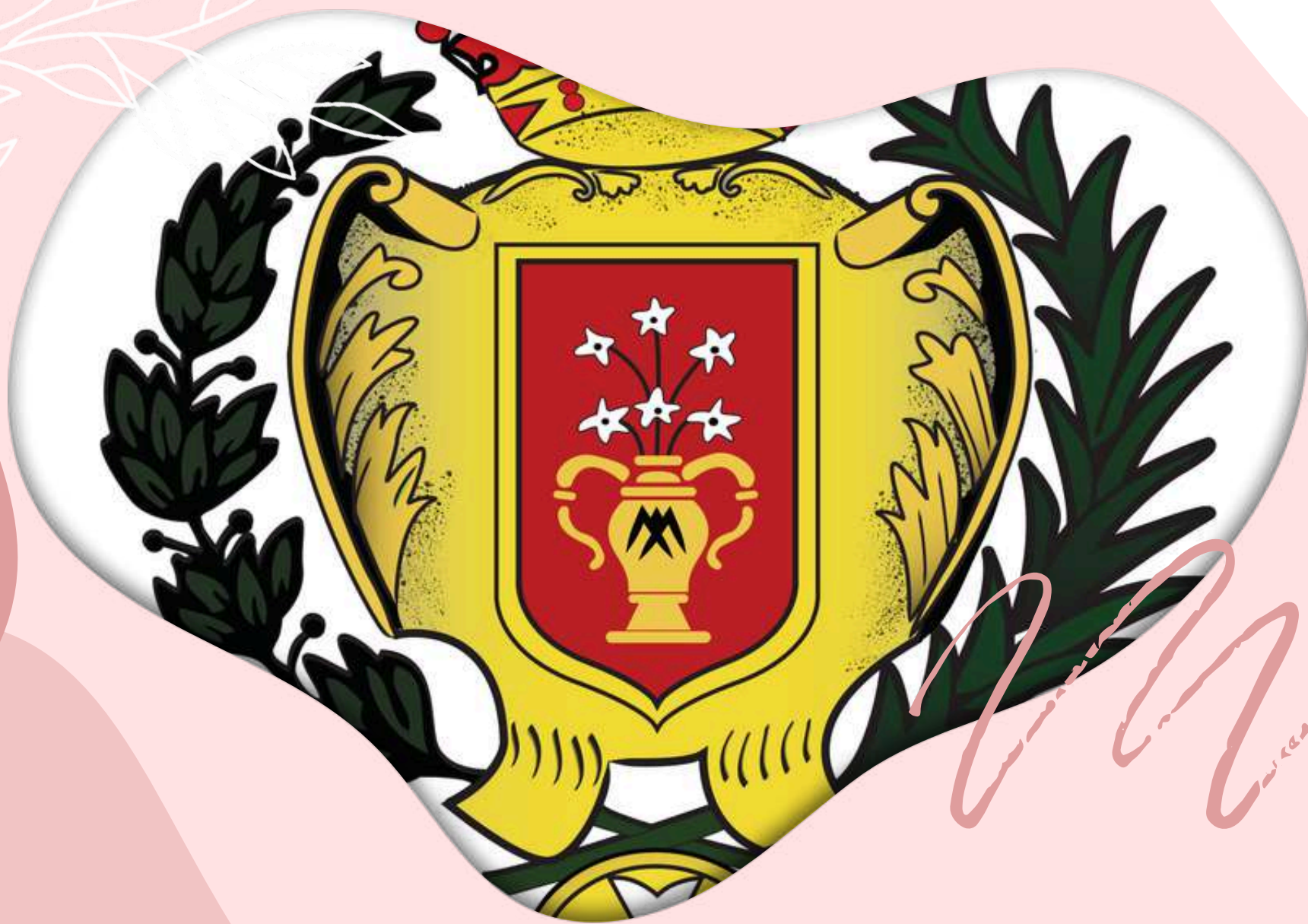


COMMUNICATION TO THE  
SISTERS OF THE  
CONGREGATION AND  
LAITY OF SAINT ANNE  
FAMILY  
THIRTY-FIRST ORDINARY  
GENERAL CHAPTER



Zaragoza, July 12, 2025



Dear Sisters and the Laity of St. Anne Family,

Please accept a fraternal greeting filled with hope and gratitude. We address you to share the events of this day within the framework of the THIRTY-FIRST Ordinary General Chapter, trusting that communion and prayer will continue to sustain each of the fruits that the Spirit inspires among us.

The day began with prayer led by Sisters Rosa Muñoz and Pilar Omella, who invited us to remain in a contemplative and prayerful attitude, illuminated by the words of 1st Corinthians 13 as the main theme of this prayer. This moment, accompanied by a creative performance, led us to internalize that "The essential thing is Love," the horizon, foundation, and hope of our consecrated life. As a symbolic gesture, each Sister shared a personally drawn illustration, resonating with the invitation to keep alive the gift God has placed in our hearts: Love, which makes everything possible when it is true. The prayer concludes with the following question: Where is your heart?





The presentation of the Reports then began:

**Sister Crisanta Cordero** presented the Report of the Pastoral Ministry of Health highlighting the gospel passage of St. John: "I have come that you may have life, a life in abundance" Jn 10, 10. She highlights that this six-year period was deeply marked by the experience of the COVID-19 pandemic, a crisis that made us feel vulnerable but strengthened understanding, patience, and community closeness. She highlighted the drive for the Health Strategy, the development of the Manual of Protection, visits to health centers, and the advancement of the Living Will. With gratitude, she acknowledged the work of each Sister and the councilors in charge of the ministry, reaffirming her desire to always be messenger of hope and keep the Culture of Care alive.





Thereafter, **Sister Gracy Joseph** presented the Report of the Ministry of Social Action and development Co-operation. In

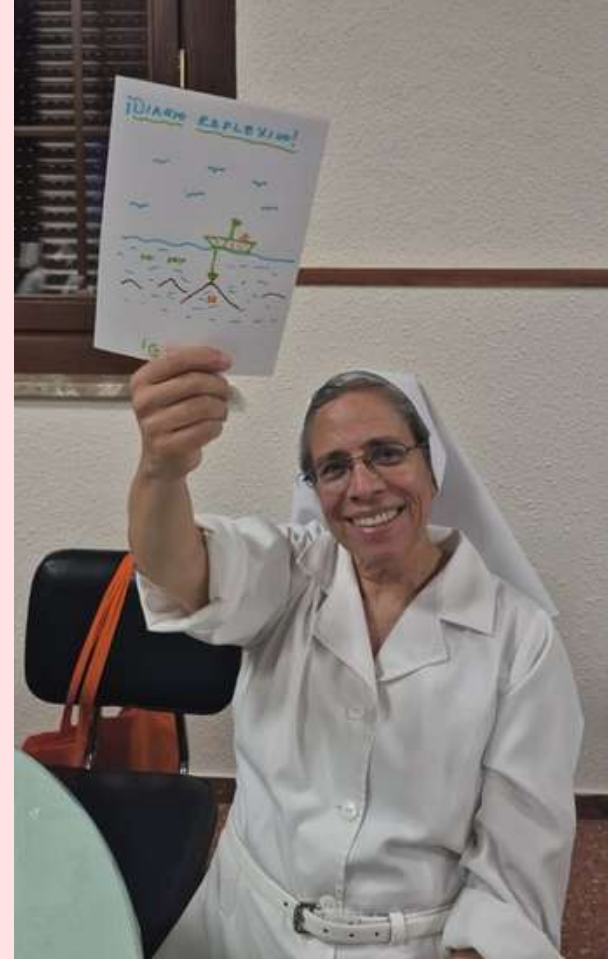
her remarks, she highlighted the historic and moving moments she had experienced, such as natural disasters in Spain (DANA) and Kerala, India. She reminded us that we are called to reach out, listen, care, and accompany, promoting the development, autonomy, and dignity of people. She

insisted that the congregational identity must focus on service to the poorest, inviting us to reflect: How does social action impact our lives? She encouraged us to continue investing in awareness and community-social commitment, responding to the signs of the times, challenging ourselves to go beyond and leave our comfort zones. She concluded by deeply thanking each Sister for their generous dedication.

After a break, at 4:00 p.m., the work resumed with a presentation by **Sister Pilar Omella**, who presented the Report of the Pastoral Ministry of Education. She outlined the lines of action being promoted: fidelity to the Charism and Congregational guidelines, strengthening the ministry, Commitment to the Global Educational Pact (PEI Global), a culture of Care, integral ecology, and social responsibility.

She quoted Santiago Ramón y Cajal: "We can all be sculptors of our own brains if we set our minds to it," emphasizing the importance of creating and strengthening structures for coordination, leadership, and teamwork at interprovincial, interministerial as well as at various levels. She emphasized the urgency of redefining the VUCA Charism in light of the signs of the times, as a mystical experience and a practical

compass for its  
daily implementation.





Next, **Sister Rosa Muñoz** presented the area of Formation and Spirituality. She began by gratefully remembering the Sisters who have preceded us, and shared the result of a survey in view of listening to the voices of various Sisters on what makes us happy in our consecrated life. She spoke of three sources of inspiration: the encounter with Sister Rosario Aznar, the documents promoted by Sister Gladys Velandia, and the continued development of training materials.

She mentioned the training provided to Sisters in their initial formation, Superiors, and Formators, as well as the visits made to different Communities. To close, she invited us to reflect: Where do we stand today? She thanked everyone for their attention and collaboration, leaving a moment of silence for questions and the approval of the reports.

May this sharing inspire us to continue weaving together the history of fidelity, service, and hope that characterizes our charismatic family.

With fraternal love & affection to each one of you,

