

ADVENT '22 – SIDE OF HOPE

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Dear Sisters, Counselors of the Pastoral Ministry of Education and of the Fields of Pastoral and Missionary Animation, members of the Ownership Team, General and Pedagogical Directors, Teachers, members of the AMPAS Boards, PAS personnel, those responsible for Pastoral and Missionary Animation, families and students.

On the Path of Hope

happy those who walk...

happy those who share...

happy those who care...

happy those who communicate...

happy those who discover the light...

Because in them there is life, there is meaning, there is identity, there is talent, they are bearers of light.

ADVENT allows us to continue making our way, with everyone, especially with the little ones, those who do not matter, those who do not have enough to live with dignity, those who are abused, those who suffer from war, those who have to leave their homes. earth, those who are discarded because they are a child, a woman, an old man.

ADVENT allows us to stop, to look and listen to ourselves and make us aware of who we are, what we are looking for, what is our style of being with ourselves, with others, with the Common Home.

ADVENT also allows us to leave "our world", our comfort spaces, to live "us ", others, their lives, their circumstances, their desires, their hopes.

ADVENT allows us to look at the horizon, the transcendence, the God of Love, the God of all, the God of those who need it most; knowing that we count on Him, who always accompanies us, pampers us, loves us, cares for us.

From being Charity made Hospitality we continue to walk, **CARING** /PROTECTING the most important thing we have, which is LIFE, our own, each one's, and everyone's.

HAPPY are those who have discovered God's dream, to make others happy and HAPPY everyone, because when we meet the one who is Way, Truth and Life we can live sharing, giving, giving; loving and serving.

HAPPY! We always celebrate life...

A hug, to which the Sisters of the General Council join
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HAPPY what...



TAKE CARE



COMMUNICATE



HOPE

SHARE



WALK



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WEEK 1

...WALK together making communion possible

*He will instruct us in his ways and we will walk in his paths...
Isaiah 2, 1-5*

Prayerful practice. Contemplative walk and sharing.



WEEK 2 ...SHARE what they are

God grant that you agree among yourselves, so that with one voice, you may praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. In a word, welcome each other...

Romans 15, 4-9

Prayerful practice. In the coffee gathering. Meeting space to share dreams and hopes.



WEEK 3

...**TAKE CARE** with the greatest care,
with all the details, with all the love

"I am sending my messenger ahead of you, who will prepare your way before you."

Matthew 11, 2-11

Prayerful practice. During the week practice some gesture of care with someone. Share your experience at a community or group gathering.



WEEK 4 ...THEY COMMUNICATE good words

... called to be an apostle, reserved to announce the Good News of God
... Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, we receive the grace of the apostolate,
so that all peoples may respond with faith in his name; among whom are
you also counted...

Paul to the Romans 1, 1-6

Prayerful practice. Prepare a mural / continuous paper, and at any time,
write or paste those good words that you express to others. At the end of
the week, do a shared reading with your group or community.

HAPPY what...



DISCOVER THE LIGHT

**In her was life, and the life was the light of the
mens; the light shone in the darkness...**

John 1, 1-18

CELEBRATE LIFE ...

**in prayer at the table, in the meeting, in sharing, in
serving...**



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Saint Ana