

We make ours the prayer of Venerable Pedro Arrupe, sj:

*These are difficult times.  
They are times of trial and challenge,  
but they are also times of opportunities.  
And before challenge and opportunity,  
we know where to go:  
You have words of eternal life,  
and we believe and we know  
that you are the Holy One of God.  
Gathered here  
to celebrate the "Mysterium fidei",  
the mystery of faith and love,  
to the question of the Lord:  
- Do you love Me?  
Let us respond with Peter:  
- You know everything,  
You know that I love you.*

Song for Exposition:

*For the beauty of the earth  
For the beauty of the skies  
For the love which from our birth  
Over and around us lies  
Over and around us lies  
  
Lord of all, to thee we raise  
this our joyful hymn of praise.*

THIRD INTERNATIONAL ASSEMBLY

*"ACI Family going forth:*

*Taking care of our Common Home.  
Serving the most disadvantaged."*

Madrid, February 24<sup>th</sup> – March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019



**ACI Family, Gift of the Spirit...  
Family for the World.**

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## WORSHIP



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For the beauty of the skies  
For the love which from our birth  
Over and around us lies  
Over and around us lies*

*Lord of all, to thee we raise  
this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For the beauty of the hour  
Of the day and of the night  
Hill and vale and tree and flower  
Sun and moon and stars of light  
Sun and moon and stars of light.*

*For the joy of human love  
Brother, sister, parent, child  
Friends on earth and friends above  
For all gentle thoughts and mild  
For all gentle thoughts and mild*

*Lord of all, to thee we raise  
this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For each perfect gift of thine  
To our race so freely given  
Graces human and divine  
Flow'rs of earth and buds of heav'n  
Flow'rs of earth and buds of heav'n*

*Lord of all, to thee we raise  
This our joyful hymn, our joyful hymn  
of praise  
This our joyful hymn of praise.*

Monition: We have heard many things throughout the day. We have opened our hearts, we have come out through the 'back door' of our lives and we have let in our sisters and brothers trapped in the bloody realities of human migration. It is time to worship and to remain in total silence in the Presence of the Lord-Eucharist so that He can tell us how to "respond with fidelity to our charism of reparation [...] and from this vantage point to gaze with open hearts on the world." (Applic. 1)

Our adoration will consist of two moments: a long time of silent adoration and a time of shared prayer (thanksgiving, petition...). At the end of the first moment and the beginning of the second one, we will hear the song of Maite López "Amando hasta el extremo".

Our time is here, the time to *touch*, to apply our senses to everything we have heard and seen during the day; the time to let the Lord speak to my heart and tell me what He wants from me; the time to worship and to remain in total silence in the Presence of the Lord who speaks to us, to each and as Friend, of our friends who are refugees, migrants and persons trapped in trafficking.

- Silent adoration –

Song: Amando hasta el extremo

*Déjame, Señor, mirarte bien por dentro,  
entrar en tu Corazón y dejarme seducir  
y que aumenten mis deseos de querer ser como Tú,  
conocerme internamente, amarte y seguirte más,  
apostar mi vida junto a ti, déjame verte, Señor,*

*Amando hasta el extremo, dejándote la piel  
entregando las entrañas, tus entrañas de mujer  
en una toalla y un lebrillo, en un acariciar los pies  
en un mirarnos hasta el fondo sin nada que reprochar  
y sin nada que pedir, y con tanto para dar.  
Yo, el Maestro y el Señor, ya no puedo amaros más,  
pues como el Padre me ha amado, así os he amado yo.*

*Os dejo mi vida entera en este Vino y este Pan,  
este Pan que soy yo mismo que me parto y que me doy,  
mi deseo es que os améis de corazón,  
Yo también os quiero ver,  
Amando hasta el extremo, dejándoos la piel,  
entregando las entrañas como lo hace una mujer,  
en una toalla y un lebrillo, en un acariciar los pies,  
en un miraros hasta el fondo sin nada que reprochar  
y sin nada que pedir y con tanto para dar.*

*Sí, te doy todo lo que soy para que sigas amando.  
La lucha por la justicia entra en esta intimidad,  
que se llena de personas y rostros que acariciar,  
que me impulsa desde dentro a comprometerme más.  
Todos caben en tu Corazón,  
quiero seguirte, Señor*

*Amando hasta el extremo, dejándome la piel,  
entregando las entrañas, mis entrañas de mujer,  
en una toalla y un lebrillo, en un acariciar los pies,  
en un mirarlos hasta el fondo sin nada que reprochar  
y sin nada que pedir y con tanto para dar*

- Shared prayer –

(we sing each 2 or 3 sharings:) *Espíritu de Dios, llena mi vida  
Llena mi alma, llena mi ser.  
Y lléname, lléname, lléname  
de Tu presencia, lléname,  
lléname de Tu poder,  
lléname, lléname de tu verdad.*