

looking the other way but by having an open eye for the suffering of our neighbours. By approaching needy people and, even more important: by listening to them. Bernard of Clairvaux said: „It is not wretchedness that saves man, but mercy!“ The field of the earth, on which we are allowed to sow the seeds of our merciful works, is enormously huge.

Deeds of Love

Let us visit the SAVIOUR in our neighbour while there is yet time. After all, the SAVIOUR says: „Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.“ (Matt 25,40) I tell you boldly: heal the wounds of CHRIST by treating the wounds of your neighbour. Satisfy the hunger and thirst of CHRIST by providing food and drink for the poor and so on. – Important are the deeds of love: mercy, heart, heart and heart again – love! Amen!

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**Be blessed by GOD TRINITY,
the + FATHER and the + SON
and the + HOLY GHOST. Amen!**

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GOD's Mercy

My beloved, the SAVIOUR Himself desired this feast of Mercy which we celebrate today. He revealed to sister Faustina: „I want the feast of My Mercy to be a refuge for all souls, especially for the poor sinners. Let no soul be afraid to draw near to Me, even though her sins be as scarlet.“

Furthermore: „I am three times holy and detest even the smallest sin. But as soon as the sinner repents, there are no limits to My generosity towards this soul. My Mercy embraces and justifies her. With My Mercy I will follow the sinners on all their paths. If they return to Me, My Heart is pleased. I forget the bitterness with which they imbued My Heart and I rejoice at their return.“

Tell the sinners that no one shall escape My Hand. If they run away from My most merciful Heart, they will fall into My righteous Hands. Tell the sinners that I am always waiting for them, that I can tell by listening to the beating of their heart when it will begin to beat for Me? Write down that I am speaking to them through their stings of conscience, through failure and suffering, through thunderstorms and flashes of lightning, through the voice of the Church. And if they bring all My graces to naught, my wrath is kindled and I will leave them to themselves and give them their heart's desire.“

Works of Mercy

Do you not think that it is easier for you to do works of mercy than to do works of justice? What is mercy? Each good, encouraging word! By respecting a person, no matter how, where or what he is. By not