



THE CHAPEL OF FRANCISCO PALAU IN TARRAGONA

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In the Monte Carmelo sanctuary in Tarragona, the church of the mother house of the Teresian Carmelites Missionaries, in its chapel, in the sarcophagus where his remains rest, the great apostolic missionary sleeps his sleep: Blessed Francisco Palau i Quer, our beloved founder. His chapel is a meeting place for visitors and pilgrims from different countries around the world.

While it would be impossible to describe all the visits made, here is a small sample of the many people who come to pray before his remains:

The Teresian Carmelite Missionaries junior sisters during the time of preparation for their final vows.

Carmelite fathers, diocesan priests, teachers and students, married couples knowledgeable about Palautian spirituality.

A postulant brother of the "IPLyCEA" Institute [Institute for the Liberation and Spiritual Growth of Souls], Campeche, Mexico. This institute has our blessed Francisco Palau as special patron and they invite us to live the month of Mary through his writings.

The meetings in the chapel give rise to formative moments about our charism:

During the visit of the parish of S. Pedro Apóstol from Paterna, Valencia, together with their parish priest Father Juan Antonio Cabanes, a great enthusiast of Father Palau, Sister Josefa Pastor gave the group a conference talk on the charisma. They had a celebration of the Word and continued their route to Montserrat.

During the visit of a parish from Sabadell, with 62 parishioners from different Latin American countries, Sister Josefa Pastor gave a talk about the Marian devotion of Francisco Palau.

Monthly, on the second Sunday of the month, a series of conferences on the School of Virtue is held in our Mount Carmel sanctuary. The lessons are presented by Mossén Borja.

Let us imitate Father Palau in his love and dedication to the Church: Let us make one of his mottos a reality. « I live and will live for the Church, I live and will die for her».

REMEMBER...

Celebrations, memorials and events of our Palautian family to keep in mind.

26 09 24

TERESA MIRA BORN IN
ALICANTE, SPAIN.
(1895)

28 09 24

TERESA MIRA BAPTIZED IN
ALGUEÑA, ALICANTE.
(1895)

12 10 24

TERESA MIRA BEGINS THE
NOVITIATE IN TARRAGONA
(1915)

13 10 24

BEATIFICATION OF THE
MARTYRED BROTHERS OF THE
TEACHING

07 11 24

FEAST OF BLESSED
FRANCISCO PALAU

29 12 24

BIRTH OF BLESSED
FRANCISCO PALAU

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