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“The crowning disloyalty to God is heresy. It is the sin of sins, the very loathsomest of things which God looks down upon in this malignant world. Yet how little do we understand of its excessive hatefulness! It is the polluting of God’s truth, which is the worst of all impurities.” ... Fr. Frederick Faber

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Dear Friend of Our Lady,

From time to time I enjoy looking back at older issues of *The Fatima Crusader* and never cease to be amazed at just how relevant the material is as pertains to current events in the Church and the world.

Issue 82 of *The Fatima Crusader*, published ten years ago, which I am currently re-reading, did not disappoint me. The quote at the top of this page, by Father Faber, is in the first article of this enclosed issue beginning on page 3, “Where There is No Hatred of Heresy, There is No Holiness”.

As you likely know, many Protestant errors began slowly creeping into the Church after the Second Vatican Council ended in 1965. In some ways it was a subtle invasion of error and therefore not noticed by many Catholics.

Forty-one years later, the increase in heretical errors in the Church had grown beyond what Catholics before 1960 could have conceived was ever possible.

Unfortunately that growth in errors was obvious only to Catholics knowledgeable in the true Faith, which is a small minority of those in the Church today professing to be Catholic.

Thus the reason for the articles in the enclosed issue of *The Fatima Crusader* produced forty-one years after the end of the Second Vatican Council.

And where are we today, ten years after this magazine was published? In the last two years, with heretical statements and practices expressed or witnessed monthly, sometimes weekly and

even daily, coming right from the very head of the Church, finally even some of the laity most ignorant of the True Catholic Faith are realizing something is wrong.

Right after the end of the Council in 1965, Catholics still knew the Faith. The enemies of Christ, wanting to subvert His Church from within, had no choice but to slowly and subtly introduce errors in an attempt to prevent them from being noticed.

Simultaneously after the Council, Catholic schools began removing the Baltimore Catechism (the means of teaching Catholic children the Faith in North America for nearly 100 years), replacing it with books that did not instruct in the Catholic Faith but rather contained a more Protestantized and humanistic version of Christianity which is rife with heresy.

And parents didn't know it! The same thing was happening in seminaries in the formation of priests - that is, the seminaries also stopped teaching segments of the Catholic Faith and incorporated error into the curriculum.

These things were done by enemies within the Church seeking to assist with bringing about the New World Order, one world government, one world demonic religion.

It also laid the groundwork leading to the great apostasy foretold in the Third Secret of Fatima and written of in the Book of the Apocalypse. That is, the great falling away from the one true Faith, established by Jesus Christ.

By the design of these enemies, after 50 years, the greater majority of Catholics no longer know the Faith as given to us by Jesus Christ, and unfortunately many are unaware that they don't know the Faith.

That is why today, these same enemies within the Church are able to introduce heresy after heresy without outcry or resistance from Catholics - errors that should cause and even obligate Catholics to defend against and defeat.

In Father Gruner's article, "Living Our Daily Lives in the Light of the Third Secret" which begins on page 5, he gave an example of a Cardinal saying things against the Faith.

On page 6 of the article, Father Gruner gives a quote by Cardinal Kasper that was made in 2001 (15 years ago!) regarding the Church's attitude to non-Catholics. The Cardinal made the

claim that thanks to Vatican II, it is no longer necessary to try to convert non-Catholics to the Catholic Church.

Kasper's claim is a heretical one directly discrediting the Catholic dogma, "outside the Church there is no salvation".

As Father Gruner points out in his article of 10 years ago, because of the statement Cardinal Kasper made 15 years ago in 2001 and because of other scandalous statements, the Cardinal should have been defrocked. But the head of the Church at that time failed in his duty to protect the Church and Catholics by correcting the error and removing the Cardinal.

On page 4 of [Issue 82 of The Fatima Crusader](#) are quotes from Sacred Scripture, Saints and past Popes addressing the failure to speak out against error and defend the Faith, and the failure to rebuke those promoting the error. Here is what Pope Felix III had to say:

"Not to oppose error is to approve it, and not to defend truth is to suppress it, and indeed to neglect to confound evil men when we can do it, is no less a sin than to encourage them."

Because of the failure to remove Cardinal Kasper in 2001, thirteen years later, in 2014, that same Cardinal was making great strides in misleading millions of Catholics by promoting heretical errors regarding the Sacrament of Matrimony - errors that would lead ignorant Catholics to commit sacrilege.

I am speaking of Kasper's role in working to give the false impression that the Church is changing its teaching on divorced, "re-married" Catholics ("re-married" without benefit of an annulment) - that they be allowed to receive Holy Communion.

You likely read about this in the [Defend the Family](#) leaflet Our Lady's Apostolate distributed in Rome, and sent out in North America and other parts of the world last October, when basic Catholic teaching pertaining to the family was under attack in the Synod by some of the Church hierarchy.

The Cardinal (and other radical theologians) is mentioned again in our newest leaflet, [Genuine Mercy and Counterfeit Compassion](#).

Once again, the head of the Church not only did not remove or defrock Cardinal Kasper - as one of his predecessors failed to do in 2001 - but the current Pope actually praises him for what

he refers to as the Cardinal's "serene theology", which should have been correctly named as misleading, heretical theology.

Notice the damage just one clergyman can cause if not rebuked for his errors. This is why satan is even more persistent in targeting the clergy. With one misguided priest, hundreds or thousands can be led astray. With a clergyman of this particular Cardinal's sphere of influence, millions can be led to hell.

I urge you to read (or re-read) this Issue of *The Fatima Crusader*, Issue 82, or at the very least, read the first two articles which comprise nearly a third of the magazine. Once again these articles are even more significant and reflective of what is happening in the Church today than ten years ago when this magazine was first published.

For copies of Issue 82 of *The Fatima Crusader*, copies of the *Defend the Family* leaflet (LF317), and/or the leaflet, *Genuine Mercy and Counterfeit Compassion*, return the enclosed reply form or call us at 1-800-845-3047.

Our Lady's Army of Advocates Conferences

The most recent conference held in Boston, April 22 through April 24, was terrific. More of Our Lady's Apostolate volunteers were at this conference than in the previous conferences. There were approximately 30 volunteers who attended and it was wonderful seeing and meeting them.

If you have not yet attended one of our Advocates Conferences, there are still two more scheduled for this year. The next one is in Saint Louis, Missouri on July 29-31, followed by a conference in Chicago on October 21-23. I look forward to seeing you there.

If you are unable to attend, please pray for the success of these conferences. That is, success in the eyes of Almighty God and the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Please continue to keep Our Lady's apostolate in your prayers, and let us continue to pray for each other.

In the Sacred and Immaculate Hearts,


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