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To find out how you can help, e-mail info@fatima.org, or call or write any Fatima Center office.

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The Pilgrim Virgin Statue Blessed by the Pope at Fatima
The Fatima Center is a grass roots association of Catholic priests and lay people whose mission is to make known the full Message of Our Lady of Fatima, and promote devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Founded in 1978, Our Lady's Apostolate is of the type specifically sanctioned by the New Code of Canon Law. The founder and Director of the Fatima Center is Father Nicholas Gruner, who, since his ordination as a Catholic priest in 1976, has dedicated his life to making the Message of Our Lady of Fatima known, understood, appreciated and obeyed.

AUDIO AND VIDEO PRODUCTIONS

Pope John Paul II said that “the Message of Fatima is addressed to every human being”. Thus in 1987 the Fatima Center began broadcasting Heaven’s Peace Plan, a radio program featuring Father Gruner and guests, which was soon heard around the world.

The next step was Fatima: The Moment Has Come, the Fatima Center’s television program of interviews and documentary videos.

In recent years the media department of the Fatima Center has undertaken a number of special television and film projects. First came an hour-long documentary video featuring Father Gruner and hosted by noted actor Ricardo Montalbán. In 2004 the Apostolate released Heaven’s Key to Peace, a superb presentation of the Fatima Message. First aired on television in the U.S.A. and Canada, it is now available on videotape and DVD.

The Fatima Center recognizes the growing importance and popularity of the internet, and now has a special website, "Fatima On Demand", www.fatimaondemand.org. As well as the Fatima radio and TV programs, the site features audio and video versions of the talks given at recent peace conferences.

BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS

The publishing arm of the Fatima Center is Immaculate Heart Publications. Its first project was Father Gruner’s book, World Enslavement or Peace, published in 1988. Since then, the Apostolate has published more than a dozen books on Fatima-related subjects, such as the first English version of The Whole Truth About Fatima by Frère Michel.

With the assistance of Good Counsel Publications, and the generous support of Our Lady’s friends, the Apostolate helped to circulate nearly 200,000 copies of Fatima Priest, the inspirational biography of Father Nicholas Gruner by Francis Alban and Christopher Ferrara.

More recently, the Fatima Center has become the principal distributor of the well-written book, Fatima in Twilight by Mark Fellows and the very in sightful books, The Devil’s Final Battle, compiled and edited by Father Paul Kramer, and The Suicide of Altering the Faith in the Liturgy which he authored.

The latest release from Immaculate Heart Publications is, fittingly, Sister Lucia: Apostle of Mary’s Immaculate Heart, exquisitely written by Mark Fellows.

All of these books (and translations of many of them into Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and other languages) are available from Our Lady’s Book Service and the Apostolate’s online store, The Fatima Shoppe, www.fatimashoppe.org. Through these agencies, the Fatima Center has circulated more than 35 million copies of sound Catholic books, magazines, booklets and leaflets on the Fatima Message.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA ON LINE

The Fatima Center maintains “The Fatima Net work”, thirty-five websites dedicated to spreading the Message of Fatima, including “Fatima On Demand” and “The Fatima Shoppe”, previously mentioned. The home webpage, www.fatima.org, has links to all our other sites, including pages in Portuguese, French, Spanish, Italian, Dutch, Swahili and German. The site includes a beautiful interactive Online Rosary, http://www.fatima.org/essentials/requests/onlinerosary.asp

With the most comprehensive archives of any similar website, “The Fatima Net work” has grown to become one of the largest and most influential Catholic sites on the Internet, with millions of visitors each year.

FATIMA PEACE CONFERENCES

A most important part of the Message of Fatima is Heaven’s command that the Pope, in union with all the Catholic bishops, consecrate Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Our Lady told us that if this is done, millions of souls will be saved and a period of peace will be given to the world.

So, in 1992 the Fatima Center launched its first Fatima Peace Conference, to which Catholic bishops around the world were invited.

Beginning with the third conference, invitations were also extended to priests, religious and (space permitting) lay people. Our first peace conference was held in Fatima, Portugal. Subsequent conferences were held with Father Nicholas Gruner in the Fatima Center Chapel. Behind him are the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady blessed by Pope Paul VI at Fatima and the Crucifix presented to him at the Bishops Conference in Mexico City.

Father Gruner addresses delegates at the Only Way to World Peace India Conference.

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At least once a year the Fatima Center organizes a pilgrimage to the Land of Fatima and/or other holy places, including Lourdes and Tuy. Under the spiritual direction of Father Gruner or other Marian priests, pilgrims receive many graces and are always inspired to deeper faith.

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