

**Piccola Opera della Divina Provvidenza  
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Tortona, September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023

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**Dear Brothers, Sisters  
and Laity of the Orionine Charismatic Family,**

*May the grace and peace of the Lord be with you!*

As we announced last May, all together we will live the Week of the **Orionine Charismatic Family from 19<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> November**, to increase our awareness of belonging to a great Family and to promote knowledge of the specific vocation of the various branches that compose it.

During the annual meeting of the representatives of the Charismatic Family, held last August in Montebello della Battaglia, we thought some lines of inspiration that could help us live and better organize this event.

Pope Francis invited us as a Charismatic Family: "Cultivate among yourselves the spirit of encounter, the spirit of family and cooperation". It is an invitation to deepen the characteristics of our identity (**encounter**), to strengthen relations between the different branches (**family**), to undertake together missionary charity actions in favour of the poorest (**cooperation**).

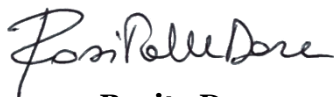
To walk towards this horizon, we propose:

- Gather a team formed by the family members present in the territory to decide and live together the activities during this week.
- To deepen our identity, we suggest you establish a moment of formation to better know the other branches of our family.
- To strengthen the bonds between our family members, you can organize a moment of prayer (celebration); make a visit to neighbouring communities and, why not, share a meal together!
- The encounter between us can help us to hear better the cry of the poor and renew our mission. Surely Orionine creativity will lead us to cooperate among ourselves to create a concrete service in favour of the neediest of our communities.

We greet you fraternally in the joy of having as Father our Saint Luigi Orione. May Mary, our Heavenly Foundress, assist and bless us.



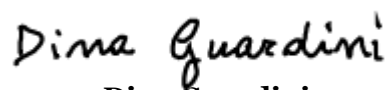
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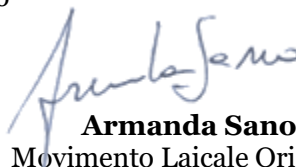
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