

A DREAM  
A GIFT, A REALITY FOR THE WORLD

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## DECREE OF HEROIC VIRTUES

Pierre-Bienvenu

Noailles

wanted his Association to form one single Family with one heart and one soul...

Capable of being in the Church and, in a broken and dechristianized world, a sign and leaven of faith and unity.

**B**ulletin no. 38 is being published on the eve of Easter. At this time in its history, the Church too is experiencing rising again with Christ. May the sufferings and hopes of humanity be illuminated by the light of the Resurrection!

We know ourselves to be Family at all times; we are in solidarity with one another because where one of us is present, all are present. Nevertheless, there are special times when our awareness of our common responsibility deepens. This year, from May 12 until June 4, the Contemplative and Apostolic Sisters will have their 19th General Chapter. The vitality and renewal generated by this event will have an effect on all five Vocations of the Family.

We will all be present, in one way or another, not only by our prayer and interest but also by our suggestions and ideas. Together we will build up our part of the large building of the Church which welcomes, strengthens and fills with joy all the peoples of today's world...

Pierre-Bienvenu Noailles, speaking to young people, said, "... *the first Christians considered each other as brothers and sisters, living as members of one family...provided for by the same father who loved them all equally and saw to the needs of each one...they had but one heart and one soul...*"

*Selected Texts, no. 70*

## GRACES RECEIVED

*I* am going to share with you some graces which I have received through his intercession. I had a very bad cold and lost my hearing completely. I was brought to casualty immediately. The doctor said that the situation was serious and that it would take me a long time to regain my hearing.

Straight away we began a novena to the Venerable Father Pierre-Bienvenu and before it was finished, I began to hear again.

I give thanks for this grace and I want to publicise it so that many others will join me in giving thanks to God that we receive so much help through the intercession of Father Noailles.

*I* had a very serious accident in 2010. My motorcycle collided with a bus. My brain was injured and I was left in a coma. My life was in danger.

My family was very worried but they all began to pray through the intercession of the Venerable Pierre-Bienvenu Noailles and placed a relic on me. The prayer helped them to remain calm.

After a few days I came out of the coma and began to improve. That was two years ago and now I am leading a normal life with no after-effects.

I know that it is a grace received through the intercession of Pierre-Bienvenu Noailles and I want to thank him publicly.

*Signed: K. A. Brazil*

*Signed: L. R. Spain*

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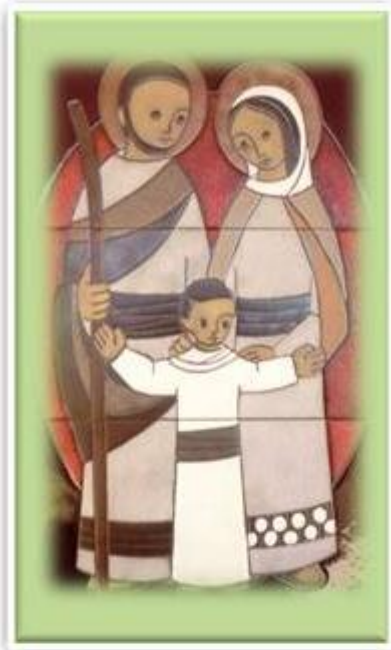
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**NOTHING CAN NOW  
HOLD YOU BACK.**

**GO FORWARD!**

**Pierre Bienvenu**

**NOAILLES**

**(Preface 1851)**