



FONDAZIONE
CASA SOLLIEVO DELLA SOFFERENZA
Opera San Pio da Pietrelcina
Centro Gruppi di Preghiera di Padre Pio

San Giovanni Rotondo, 23rd May 2023

Dear Spiritual Assistants, Leaders and Members of the Prayer Groups of Padre Pio of Pietrelcina,
greetings and sincere thanks to all of you. We are at the end of another year of meetings. Together with the many lectures we have held so far, these continue to be a gift from God, who gives us ever more unity, enthusiasm and courage to go forward. We will gather together again on

16th June, 2023 – the Day of Community Prayer

In communion with the Padre Pio Prayer Group of the House for Relief of Suffering, **we invite all the Padre Pio Prayer Groups** scattered throughout the world to dedicate an hour of prayer for the following intentions:

- **Prayer for Pope Francis, the Catholic Church, for the poor and all persecuted Christians throughout the world;**
- **Prayer for the Lord to free the world from wars and in a particular way grant peace to Ukraine and incline the hearts of the powerful to the grace of his mercy;**
- **Prayer for Fr Franco Moscone, so that the Lord, Our Lady of Graces and Saint Pio may assist him constantly in his pastoral mission and fill him with graces and heavenly blessings;**
- **Prayer that all the Prayer Groups of Padre Pio become “*beacons of light to the world, and gardens of faith, and hearths of love*”, as Saint Pio desired;**
- **Prayer for the Casa Sollievo della Sofferenza, so that it may continue to grow as a “*temple of prayer and science*”, for the administrators and medical personnel;**
- **Prayer for the spiritual and physical recovering of all the sick and diseased;**
- **Prayer for religious vocations;**
- **Prayer for all the souls in purgatory;**

On 16th June 2023, every Padre Pio Prayer Group can organize the common prayer moment (with the Holy Mass or the Chaplet or the Adoration etc.) raising these prayer intentions to the Lord.

In many countries it will not be possible to meet together, those responsible will indicate a common time for personal prayer in order to join the initiative.

It's important to communicate your participation no later than 14th June 2023 to: centrogruppidipreghiera@operapadrepio.it or WhatsApp +39 344 1115695

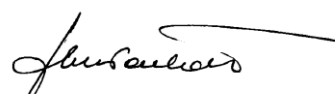
to strengthen the communion between us and encourage us on this spiritual path.

Your photos of this special meeting will be particularly appreciated, so please do not hesitate to send some through.

We are confident that our unanimous and heartfelt prayer to the Lord, offered with faith and total trust in the intercession of Our Lady of Grace and St. Pio of Pietrelcina, will grant abundant graces and heavenly blessings for all of us and the whole world.

To you all, brothers and sisters, Peace and Blessings.


Padre Franco Moscone
General Director


Padre Luciano Lotti
General Secretary