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## MESSAGE FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE ICCFM IN THE HOLY JUBILEE YEAR.



His Holiness Pope Francis has called for the celebration of this year 2025, as the Holy Jubilee Year of Hope.

Analysing the current reality, we contemplate a world in which corruption abounds at all levels.

Abortion, euthanasia, drug addiction, and pornography abound everywhere in a world that not only admits them, but in many cases promotes them.

The concept of a superior divine being who creates man kind has disappeared in most societies addicted to the material and that not only ignore the spiritual aspect

of man, but reduce him to a mere consumer of material goods and wealth.

How good it would be if in this Holy Jubilee Year, the whole of humanity would pause and become aware that it is up to all of us to heed the call of this Jubilee: "Pilgrims of Hope" which reflects its universal and inclusive character.

It is also important to take advantage of the fact that it is a year of Forgiveness and Reconciliation, which we need so much.

Now more than ever the Christian Family Movement must intensify its apostolic work with the family, the reason for its being and existence, so that this Ordinary Jubilee may become an extraordinary activity in our national movements. Therefore, we urge all the Families of the CIMFC, as important members of this Ordinary Jubilee of our Catholic Church, to make the Objective of all the Movements that make up our Confederation a reality:

To promote the human and Christian values of the family... to live with joy, faith and hope, this Holy Jubilee Year, in a special way being the experience of evangelizing families in our homes, in the community where we live, in our countries, in the whole world.

Best regards,

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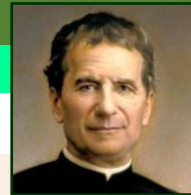
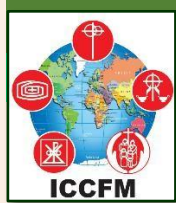
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