Sister Teresa "de los Andes", Teresa of Jesus (Juana Fernández Solar), is the light of Christ for the whole Chilean Church. This Discalced Carmelite, the first fruit of holiness of the Teresian Carmel of Latin America, was canonized on March 21, 1993 by John Paul II.

Teresa does not stand out because of her "appearance or lofty stature" in her short life of little more than 19 years and in her 11 months as a Carmelite. In a secularized society which turns its back on God, this Chilean Carmelite gives the shining witness of a life which proclaims that it is in loving, adoring and serving God that the human creature finds greatness and joy, freedom and fulfillment. The life of Teresa cries out continually from within her cloister: "God alone suffices!" She shouts it out particularly to the young people who hunger for the truth and seek a light which will give direction to their lives. To young people who are being allured by the continuous messages and stimuli of an erotic culture, this young virgin of the Andes today proclaims the beauty and happiness that come from a pure heart.

Her burning love of Jesus led Teresa to desire to suffer with Jesus and as he did. She wanted to be a spotless victim offered in continual, silent sacrifice for sinners. For long periods of time before the tabernacle and the cross in her cell, she prayed and adored, pleaded and expiated for the redemption of the world, with the power of the Spirit animating the apostolate of missionaries and, in a special way, of priests.

In a world which relentlessly seeks to excel, possess and dominate, she teaches us that happiness is found in being the least and the servant of all, following the example of Jesus who came not to be served but to serve and to give his life in ransom of the many.

We pray for our deceased members

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Location</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>28/06/2014</td>
<td>Aniceta Atzinger</td>
<td>MEP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>30/06/2014</td>
<td>Olga Gremes</td>
<td>MEP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18/07/2014</td>
<td>Amata Kundukulangara</td>
<td>Delhi</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10/08/2014</td>
<td>Mediatrix Borst</td>
<td>MEP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11/08/2014</td>
<td>Dolores Wastl</td>
<td>MEP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20/08/2014</td>
<td>Rita-Maria Rauscher</td>
<td>MEP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15/09/2014</td>
<td>Hyacinth Rosario</td>
<td>Patna</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16/09/2014</td>
<td>Reinilde Herrmann</td>
<td>MEP</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

St. Teresa "de los Andes"
(Juana Fernández Solar
1900 - 1919)

House of Prayer
October ~ December 2014
We pray for the Church:

Prayer Intentions of the Holy Father entrusted to the Apostleship of Prayer

October

- **Peace.** That the Lord may grant peace to those parts of the world most battered by war and violence.
- **World Mission Day.** That World Mission Day may rekindle in every believer zeal for carrying the Gospel into all the world.

November

- **Lonely people.** That all who suffer loneliness may experience the closeness of God and the support of others.
- **Mentors of seminarians and religious.** That young seminarians and religious may have wise and well-formed mentors.

December

- **Christmas, hope for humanity.** That the birth of the Redeemer may bring peace and hope to all people of good will.
- **Parents.** That parents may be true evangelizers, passing on to their children the precious gift of faith.

We pray for the world with Pope Francis:

Since his election last year, Pope Francis has frequently shown concern for the environment. In his inaugural Mass homily, he called on everyone to be “protectors of creation, protectors of God’s plan inscribed in nature, protectors of one another and of the environment.” On World Environment Day 2013, he stressed the need to “cultivate and care” for the environment, saying it is part of God’s plan that we “nurture the world with responsibility,” transforming it into a “garden, a habitable place for everyone.”

Humanity, however, is driven by “pride of domination, of possessions, manipulation, of exploitation”. “We do not care for [the environment]; we do not respect it; we do not consider it as a free gift that we must care for.”

“I would like us all to make a serious commitment to respect and protect creation.”

In his annual speech to the diplomatic corps accredited to the Holy See on Jan. 13, 2014 he noted the devastation caused by Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines last November and warned against “greedy exploitation of environmental resources”. He quoted the popular saying: “God always forgives, we sometimes forgive, but when nature — creation — is mistreated, she never forgives.”

We pray for and with the Congregatio Jesu:

- **General Superior’s Visitation**
  October 6th ~ November 8th
  Allahabad Province with Sr. Prisca
- **General Assistant’s Visit**
  October 10th ~ 17th
  Ukraine Sr Elisabeth with Sr Frantiska
- **European Regional Conference(ERC)**
  October 6th ~ 9th
  Prešov, Slovakia
- **Our Young Members**
  Those who are preparing to enter the novitiate and for first, temporary and final profession
  Those who begin their life in Congregatio Jesu as a novice, postulant or an aspirant
- **Jubilees**
  Sisters who will celebrate their 25th Jubilee in November In England, Rumania, and Slovakia.
  2 sisters in MEP for their 60th and 75th jubilee.
- **International Communities in Cuba, Italy, Jerusalem Inter-branch Community in the Philippines**
  For their passion and apostolic effectiveness in universal mission
- **New IBVM General Leadership team**
  Who will begin their term of office after the General Congregation 2014