WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

KOLPING CHILE – KOLPING FREIBURG

2014

Motto

The family that prays together stays together

Thank you that we can be part of the global Kolping Family
On the way to solidarity

With new hope, we present to the entire International Kolping Society, the whole Church, and all people of good will our introduction to the “Kolping World Day of Prayer”, which was put together this year by the Kolping Society of Chile and the Diocesan Kolping Society of Freiburg.

Introduction: In the ‘Year of Solidarity’ in Kolping, we want to give witness to the great love that God has for his sons and daughters. Based on our Church-related identity, we want to give an answer to his call for conversion. We see ourselves as Kolping Family, as God’s people, who are called to give witness of his benevolence and love and to proclaim them. However, God did not want to save every person individually; instead he wanted to create a community, a people that recognizes him and lives the new order of neighbourly love following Father Kolping’s example.

“With prayer, whatever its shortcomings might have been, I have always achieved more than with all the human worries and toil.”

Adolph Kolping

Greetings from the National Praeses of the Kolping Society of Chile, Fr. Walter Heckemeier

We feel honoured that Kolping Chile has again been asked to formulate the texts for the Kolping World Day of Prayer in 2014, the Year of Solidarity.

I invite all Christians to pray as a gesture of solidarity for peace in the world, which starts in the families, the peoples, and nations. We ask that the God of Life receives every one of our prayers.

We want to live in solidarity, have respect for life, and dedicate ourselves to the preservation of Nature, because “science with awareness constructs, science without awareness destroys”.

Greetings from the Praeses of the Diocesan Kolping Society of Freiburg, Fr. Wolf-Dieter Geißler

Even in the year after the 200th anniversary of his birth, Fr. Kolping is still our focus. Just as Adolph Kolping did as a journeyman, this bust travels to all Kolping Families in our Diocesan Kolping Society to stay for a little while among the Kolping sisters and brothers and then move on.

Kolping in our midst, in our daily lives. The facial features are sharply drawn, he displays profile.

We, too, are challenged to display profile in a world where there is so much conformity.

However, the bust should not obstruct our view. It is transparent, clearly visible, but one can see beyond. Whosoever looks at Fr. Kolping should understand. Understand the fellow human beings,
understand the needs of the times, and understand Jesus Christ. That was Fr. Kolping’s message in his time and has remained so to this day.

The bust is created in 3d-printing. Thus quite deliberately a “technology with a future” for a “history with a future”. If you want to reach people, you have to move with the times, sometimes even lead the way – as Fr. Kolping did.

Looking beyond
Introduction

Kolping Chile: The Kolping Society of Chile was founded on October 7, 1976. This came about through the founding document, which was signed by the then Bishop of Araucania, Msg. Wilhelm Hartl, priests from Araucania, and their colleagues Fr. Justino Kleinwächter and Fr. José Maria Camino from Brazil, who introduced the Kolping Society to our country.

Today Kolping Chile is represented in 20 dioceses of the country with more than 100 Kolping Families, which consist of young people, adults, and seniors. There are also other forms of organizations and social partnerships.

Chile and its people: Chile is a republic in South America, which is bordered in the North by Peru, in the East by Bolivia and Argentina, and in the West and the South by the Pacific Ocean.

Chile’s population is a homogeneous mixture of Spanish immigrants and the indigenous population. More than 90% of the inhabitants are a mixture of these two peoples. Chile has just over 17 million inhabitants. There is also an indigenous population, consisting mainly of Araucanians. In recent years, there has been an increased influx of migrants, mostly from Peru, Ecuador, Colombia, and Bolivia.

Religion: In Chile there is freedom of religion, and Catholics constitute about 70% of the population. Chile has raised three persons to the honour of the altar: St. Teresa de los Andes, Blessed Laura Vicuña, and St. Alberto Hurtado.

Good information about the travel destination Chile, its people, its traditional dances and religious festivals can be found in Spanish on Youtube:

Si Vas para Chile (When you come to Chile) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y3x5A9wsGPA

Chile en Danzas (Chile and its dances) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eDSh0QKi4RY

Fiestas Religiosas en Chile (Religious feasts in Chile) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WYeCYvtlj
Typical Chilean dishes
The diversity of the regions in Chile and their population is the reason why there is an equally large variety on Chilean menus. While meat, fish, seafood, and vegetables are the main components almost everywhere, the variety of regional preparation – either spontaneous or traditional – makes for very different results. We invite you to get to know some of the most typical Chilean dishes and their recipes:

Charquicán:
Ingredients for 8 portions: ½ kg beef, 1 large onion, 4 large potatoes, ¼ of a squash or pumpkin, 2 cloves of garlic, ½ cup of oil, a pinch of pepper and a pinch of cumin, 1 tablespoon of oregano (dried), and salt to taste.
Preparation: cut the meat, potatoes, and the squash or pumpkin into small cubes; in a saucepan stir-fry the beef in the oil for 10 minutes, add the potatoes and the squash/pumpkin, the diced onion, the crushed garlic, and the other spices; fry everything for another 10 minutes, then pour enough boiling water over the food to cover it completely and continue to boil until the potatoes are cooked through. Finally, puree the potatoes and the squash/pumpkin and serve immediately.

Carbonada
Ingredients for 12 portions: 1 kg beef, 1 large carrot, ½ onion, 2 cloves of garlic, 3 large potatoes, ¼ kg runner beans, 1 cup of fresh peas, 3 tablespoons of rice, oil, and salt, pepper, and oregano to taste.
Preparation: cut the meat into 1-cm cubes and fry in oil in a saucepan; add the finely diced carrot and fry with the meat; mix in the finely diced onion, the minced garlic, the salt, pepper, and oregano with the prepared meat; cover everything with 2 litres of boiling water and continue to boil until the meat is cooked through; finally, add the diced potatoes, the broken runner beans, the fresh peas, and the 3 tablespoons of rice and continue to boil until ready; serve in bowls.

Chilean Salad
Ingredients: tomatoes, onions, salt and oil.
Preparation: cut the onions into fine strips and mix with tomatoes cut into wedges; season with salt and oil; add green chili powder if desired.

Tipsy Pears (dessert)
Ingredients: 1 kg pears, 1 litre red wine, 1 cup of sugar, 1 piece of orange peel, 2 tablespoons of corn-starch.
Preparation: clean the pears without removing the stalks and “stand” them tightly packed together in a saucepan; add the wine – mixed with sugar and orange peel; heat over a low flame for 20 minutes; take from the heat and place the drained fruit in a correspondingly large serving bowl; mix the corn-starch with a little cold water, add it to the wine and continue to boil for approximately 5 minutes – while constantly stirring with a wooden spoon – until thickened; pour this mixture over the pears and allow the dish to cool until cold.

...and do not forget: "You need a typical Chilean red wine to go with a typical Chilean dish: Cabernet Sauvignon."
The partnership Kolping Chile – Kolping Freiburg

One of the greatest legacies that Fr. Kolping left us was prayer. His great social commitment was accompanied by prayer, which strengthened his faith. In our partnership Chile-Freiburg, we embrace this legacy, through which we were able to grow into a single Kolping Family over time. We therefore invite you all to celebrate this Kolping World Day of Prayer with the goal to stimulate the Christian life and to be witnesses and missionaries of God’s love, which shows itself in all the Kolping Families around the world.

“The root of mankind is the family“ - Fr. Adolph Kolping
Celebration of the Holy Eucharist

Kolping Chile and Kolping Freiburg greet and welcome all Kolping Sisters and Brothers, who have gathered in this prayer chain to celebrate the mystery which Christ has bequeathed to us, the Holy Eucharist.

We want to celebrate with joy, give thanks, and find ourselves in harmony with the help of the Holy Spirit, so that we remain connected in prayer as one global Kolping Family.

Juntos como Hermanos
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iPC5MqX50XU

Hymn of choice

Penitential rite

The time has come to acknowledge that we are weak and not very consistent men and women. We therefore ask you, Lord, for forgiveness.

1) Father we ask you for forgiveness, because - as an Association - we have not always addressed the needs of our nations. **Lord, have mercy!**

2) Father we ask you for forgiveness, because we – as the Church - frequently allow ourselves to be overwhelmed by the fear of changes, leading us into a crisis of faith and identity. **Lord, have mercy!**
3) Father we ask you for forgiveness, because - as a community – we often did not fill your Gospel with life. **Lord, have mercy!**

**Gloria**
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uvVAzB04twY

Gloria Dios en el cielo
y en la tierra paz a los hombres,
y en la tierra paz a los hombres
que ama el Señor.

Por tu inmensa gloria te alabamos,
te bendecimos, te adoramos,
te glorificamos, te damos gracias,
Señor Dios, Rey Celestial,
Dios Padre Todopoderoso.
Señor, Hijo Único, Jesucristo,
Señor Dios, Cordero de Dios, Hijo del Padre.

Tú, que quitas el pecado del mundo,
ten piedad de nosotros,
Tú, que quitas el pecado del mundo,
atiende nuestra súplica.
Tú, que estás sentado a la derecha del Padre,
ten piedad de nosotros.

Porque solo Tú eres Santo,
solo Tú, Señor,
solo Tú, Altísimo Jesucristo.
Con el Espíritu Santo,
en la gloria de Dios Padre

**Hymn of choice**

**Prayer**

Lord, our God, you have given the world the Gospel for it to permeate the world like leaven. Be close to all Christians, whom you have called to live amidst the world. Grant them the true Christian spirit, so that they, through properly performing their secular tasks, participate in building Your Kingdom and proclaim it. For this we ask through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

**Liturgy of the Word**

Let us prepare our hearts for the message which God wants to pass on to us through the first reading of the Bible. It is from the St. Paul’s first letter to the Ephesians, in which he exhorts us to live as people of light.
1st Reading (4: 32 - 5: 1-8)

Reading from St. Paul's letter to the Ephesians

Be kind to one another, be compassionate, forgiving one another, as God forgave you in Christ. Be therefore imitators of God, as His beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. But immorality and all impurity or covetousness must not even be named among you, as is fitting among saints. Let there be no filthiness, nor silly chatter, nor levity, which are not fitting; but let there be thanksgiving instead. Be sure of this: no immoral or impure person, or one who is covetous (that is an idolater), has any inheritance in the Kingdom of Christ and of God. Let no one deceive you with empty words, for it is because of these things that the wrath of God comes upon those how are disobedient. Therefore have nothing in common with them! For once you were darkness, but now you have become light through the Lord. Live as children of light!

Psalm

Responsorial psalm: Be now imitators of God as beloved children.

Psalm (PS: 1,1-2,3,4,6)

Blessed is the person, who does not follow the advice of the wicked, nor walks in the way of sinners, nor sits in the circle of scoffers; but who delights in the law of the Lord, and meditates on this law day and night. All:

He is like a tree planted by streams of water, that yields its fruit in its season, and whose leaves do not wither. In all he does, he prospers. All:

Not so the wicked. They are like chaff which the wind blows away. For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, But the way of the wicked leads to the abyss. All:

Let us sing the Alleluia as the proclamation of the Good News according to Luke. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.


On the Sabbath, Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues. And there was a woman who had been sick for eighteen years because she was plagued by a demon; she was bent over and could no longer walk upright. When Jesus saw her, He called her to him and said to her, “Woman, you are freed from your suffering.” And He laid His hands upon her, and immediately she straightened up
and praised God. However, the ruler of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath, said to the people: “There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be healed, and not on the Sabbath day!” Then the Lord answered him, “You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the Sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger and lead it away to watering? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan had bound for eighteen years, be loosened from this bond on the Sabbath day?” As He said this, all His adversaries were put too shame; and all the people rejoiced at all the glorious things that were done by Him.

Creed

_Hymn: Tu palabra me da vida_
_http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ooqA6q6W0M_

Tu palabra me da vida  
confío en ti Señor  
Tu palabra es eterna  
en ella esperaré

_Altimate hymn of choice:_

Intercessions

_Priest:_ Jesus, you are the source of the living water, hear our prayers.

1) God, Almighty Father, we pray for the Church and her pastors, for our Pope Francis, for the priests, and for all lay people who share responsibility in the parishes. Grant them the ability and the willingness to faithfully care for and serve your people.
   Lord, hear our prayer!

2) For those responsible in our nations’ governments and for those in leading positions in our groupings. Give them the ability and the willingness to always promote peace, to spur on development, and to respect law and justice.
   Lord, hear our prayer!

3) For all women, men and children who suffer from hunger or disease, for all those who have to live in foreign countries, for all those who are marginalized, for all those who have been deprived of liberty, and for all people in need. Let them experience your consolation and find shelter and solidarity with us.
   Lord, hear our prayer

4) For all of us who are gathered here and our whole community, especially for the Kolping members who are no longer with us, so that they can all experience the joy of Your Kingdom, in the hope of a better world.
   Lord, hear our prayer!
5) As one people, we ask You that Blessed Adolph Kolping be among the communion of saints. 
Hear our prayer for a speedy canonization of our founder. 
Lord, hear our prayer!

6) For the Kolping Society of Chile and all its members, so that we daily embrace and live the 
teachings of Fr. Kolping as a sign and as followers of Jesus Christ. 
Lord, hear our prayer!

7) For the partnerships, which every National Kolping Society has with a diocese in Europe. 
We, for example, pray for Freiburg, so that our partnership is strengthened and encourages 
us to continue to consolidate the bond of solidarity. 
Lord, hear our prayer!

8) For the young people. Let them, as a large community of brothers and sisters, be 
courageous in contributing towards making the Church visible and lovable in our society in 
accordance with your will. 
Lord, hear our prayer!

Priest: For this we pray through Christ, our Lord. Amen!

Prayer over the offerings
Let us prepare our hearts in order to approach the altar and to commemorate the gifts of bread and 
wine. As a sign of our dedication and the work of our Association in building God’s rule, we want to 
offer the following gifts:

Water: The life of a Christian, as well as the life of human communities, requires vibrant qualities 
such as purity, freshness, and transparency. By bringing God water as a gift, we offer Him life in all 
its fullness for the good of all mankind.

Light: In times of despair, light has an irreplaceable value, because it illuminates the darkness and 
gloom. This light guides our steps and the steps of our sisters and brothers to clear objectives. O 
Lord, take this light which guides, enlightens, and warms us.

Salt: Lord, we bring you salt – an important element which no human household lacks – as a sign of 
fertility and of outlasting the times. As your Kolping daughters and Kolping sons, we renew our own 
commitment to contribute to the healthy life of our communities and of our Church

Seeds: We bring You, Lord, seeds from our fields, which have matured through natural nutrients like 
water, light and salt. They will continue to grow and give abundant life. At the same time they remind 
us that life arises from death.
**Bread and wine:** Jesus gives Himself as food and nourishment for His Church and thereby makes one community out of all of us. Let us bring these signs before the Lord as the fruit of our hands’ work and let us offer them to the God of Life as a pleasing offering.

**Hymn of choice during the preparation of the gifts.**

**Te presentamos el vino y el pan**

Te presentamos el vino y el pan,
bendito seas por siempre, Señor. (Bis)
Bendito seas, Señor,
por este pan que nos diste,
fruto de la tierra y del trabajo de los hombres.
Bendito seas, Señor,
el vino que nos diste,
fruto de la tierra y del trabajo de los hombres.

**Prayer over the gifts**

God, You have given Your Son for the salvation of the world. Through the strength of the holy sacrifice, enable all members of Your people to bear witness to Christ, so that they become the leaven, which permeates the world and sanctifies it. For this we ask through Christ, our Lord.

**Saludo de la Paz**

Paz, Paz, Paz,
el mundo pide paz
Logra la paz en tu interior y derrámalá en la tierra.

**Alternatively we say:**

Jesus Christ, we call you the Prince of Peace. You are our peace and you want peace among the nations. As your followers, we want to keep the peace and make peace in a world torn apart. In our impotence in world politics give us perseverance and do not let us become tired of standing up for peace. To you be praise and glory forever. Amen!

**Lamb of God**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
Grant us your peace.
Communion
Jesus is among us, because he wants to help us to be involved as better people in building a civilization of brothers and sisters. He comes to us so that we can be a Eucharistic community, because he has sacrificed himself for us. We approach Him to receive Him.

For communion we sing a hymn of choice

**Pescador de Hombre**
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sx9lHmnBvsU

Tú has venido a la orilla,
No has buscado ni a sabios ni a ricos.
Tan sólo quieres que yo te siga.

Señor, me has mirado a los ojos,
Sonriendo has dicho mi nombre.
En la arena he dejado mi barca
Junto a Ti buscaré otro mar.

Tú, sabes bien lo que tengo,
En mi barca no hay oro ni espada,
Tan sólo redes y mi trabajo.

Señor, me has mirado a los ojos...

Tú necesitas mis manos,
Mi cansancio que a otros descansé,
amor que quiera seguir amando.

Señor, me has mirado a los ojos...

Tú, pescador de otros lagos,
Ansia eterna de hombres que esperan.
Amigo bueno que así me llamas.

Señor, me has mirado a los ojos...

Hymn of choice for thanksgiving:

**El Misionero**
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S-Tkj3r2R5A

Señor, toma mi vida nueva
antes de que la espera desgaste años en mí
Estoy dispuesto a lo que quieras, no importa lo que sea
Tú llámame a servir.

Llévame donde los hombres
necesiten tus palabras, necesiten
mis ganas de vivir (de vivir)
Donde falte la esperanza
donde falté la alegría, simplemente
por no saber de Ti.

Te doy mi corazón sincero,
para gritar sin miedo tu grandeza Señor
tendré mis manos sin cansancio
tu historia entre mis labios y fuerza en la oración.

Y así, en marcha iré cantando
por calles predicando, lo bello que es tu amor
Señor, tengo alma misionera
Condúceme a la tierra que tenga sed de Dios.

Friendship prayer

Good Lord, we thank you for the friendship that has grown between the Kolping Society and the Kolping Youth in Freiburg and in Chile. What unites lies beyond language. Give us mutual understanding and openness for the other culture. We ask for your help that we can continue to meet and get to know one another despite the great distance. Let the distance between us be like the wind that ignites our friendship and illuminates it. For this we ray in the name of Jesus Christ, our brother and Lord. Amen!

Conclusion

Through Blessed Adolph Kolping, the Lord invites us to give witness to his limitless love and to imitate our founder in his desire to do justice to the mission entrusted to him and to acquire the ability to live as a human being in accordance with God’s heart among his sisters and brothers and to speak up for them.

We conclude the celebration of the Holy Eucharist for Kolping Chile’s and the Diocesan Kolping Society of Freiburg’s World Day of Prayer.

Final Blessing

Closing song: The Kolping Song

1. Era un joven zapatero
Sacerdote se formó
para unir comunidades
y formar plena amistad.

Padre Kolping vivirá (bis)

2. Familia santuario de hogar
precisamos conservar
sociedad un bien común mayor

1. There lived a sterling journeyman
Whom all of us revere!
His name resounds so far, so clear.
Father Kolping, God bless you!

2. A cobbler, going through the world,
with heart sincere and pure,
He made new shoes, repaired them too.
con justicia será un bien mejor.

Padre Kolping vivirá (bis)

3. Para este mundo mejorar vamos ya a realizar nuestra vida unida a religión, al trabajo y a recreación.

Padre Kolping vivirá (bis)


Padre Kolping vivirá (bis)

5. Father Kolping, zealous priest of God, Be with us all today And joining hands, we brothers pray: Father Kolping, God bless you!

He made new shoes, repaired them too. Father Kolping, God bless you!

Father Kolping, God bless you!

3. The priesthood was his heart’s desire, God granted him this grace. See, what great work he set apace! Father Kolping, God bless you!

Father Kolping, God bless you!

4. A Father to his journeymen He wished so much to be He took them for his family, Father Kolping, God bless you!

Father Kolping, God bless you!

5. Father Kolping, God bless you!