

MISSIONARIES OF THE POOR

"Preach the Gospel always. If necessary, use words."

St Francis of Assisi

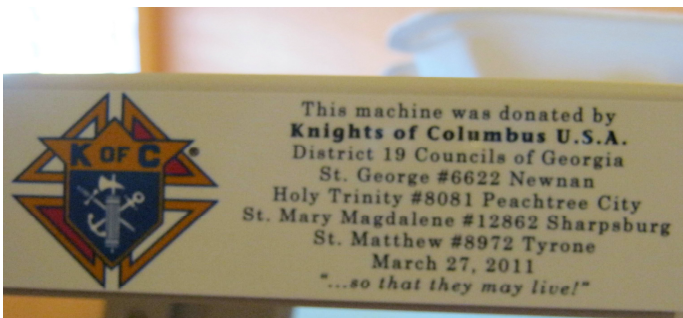


The Missionaries of the Poor are a semi monastic order of men and women who minister to the most needy among us. They provide hands on care to the destitute, homeless, orphans, elderly and sick. Members of the order take four vows: poverty, chastity, obedience and free service. They live in simple dormitories, own nothing, do not watch TV or listen to radio and do everything together in community. The order has 550 men and several women. Women were admitted to the order this year in March.

On March 21, 2011 our brother Knight Cliff Peloquin traveled to Kingston, Jamaica at his own expense to share the life of the Missionaries. He was met at the airport by brothers and lived with them for a week. Each day was filled with prayer starting with 5:45 AM Mass. Cliff shared the monastic meditations and prayers with the brothers and worked in the morning and afternoon at some of the six homes operated for the needy in the Kingston area. Cliff helped care for crippled young children, elderly and abandoned persons and those afflicted with aids. He told us that it was the "experience of a lifetime" We proudly salute brother knight Cliff Peloquin!



Cliff Peloquin (the old guy) and seminarian volunteers



Plaque attached to the ultrasound machine donated by U.S. Knights for the Pro Life Ministry of the Missionaries of the Poor

The order operates missions in Kingston, Jamaica; Cap Haitien, Haiti; Orissa, India; Cebu, The Philippines; Kampala, Uganda and Nairobi, Kenya. Support for the work comes from donations and from concerts performed around the world by "Father Ho Lung and Friends". To donate your time or money contact Father Ho Lung and the Missionaries through the web site: ["www.missionariesofthepoor.org"](http://www.missionariesofthepoor.org)

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