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Joy (10 March 2025)

In this pastoral letter, the Prelate of Opus Dei invites us to reflect on some key aspects of joy, following the teachings of Saint Josemaría.

Christian obedience (10 February 2024)

In this new pastoral letter, the Prelate of Opus Dei offers some reflections on the virtue of obedience, in light of the Christian message and the vocation to the Work.

Fraternity (16 February 2023)

Monsignor Fernando Ocáriz invites us to reflect on some attitudes and expressions of fraternity.

Fidelity (19 March 2022)

In this pastoral letter, the Prelate of Opus Dei reflects on some consequences of being faithful to

Christ and to the vocation to the Work, following the teachings of Saint Josemaria.

The Vocation to Opus Dei (28 October 2020)

Monsignor Fernando Ocáriz offers some reflections on the spirit of Opus Dei and how it is lived in accord with each person's circumstances.

Friendship (1 November 2019)

Pastoral letter of Monsignor Fernando Ocáriz on the importance of friendship. “By living in friendship with God, which is the first friendship we have to foster and strengthen, you will be able to make many true friends.”

Freedom (9 January 2018)

“In the human realm,” Saint Josemaria said, “I want to leave you as an inheritance love for freedom

and good humor.” The Prelate invites us to reflect on the gift of freedom, in this letter dated on the Founder's birthday.

Conclusions of the General Congress (14 February 2017)

The pastoral letter contains the conclusions of the General Congress, held in January 2017.

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