

# 12R2033

**10:30** PRAYER FOR PEACE

**11:00** LITURGY OF THE WORD

**11:30** PROCLAMATION OF  
THE YOUTH MANIFESTO

**12:30** PILGRIMAGE TO CIRCO  
MASSIMO

# MANIFESTO A REVOLUTION OF THE YOUNG SPIRIT

We are not tourists of the spiritual.  
We are pilgrims of meaning.  
We come with backpacks full of doubts, wounds, songs, and hope.  
And with one certainty in our hearts:  
Christ is alive. And He is calling us.  
In a continent that seems to have forgotten its soul,  
we choose to remember.  
To remember that we were created for freedom,  
that there is beauty in following Jesus,  
that the Gospel is not the past:  
it is fire today, ignited by the Holy Spirit.

We rise as a generation:  
not perfect, not uniform, not ideological.  
But human, thirsty, seeking, believing.  
We rise not to claim power,  
but to serve, to love, to walk.  
We want to give Europe back its roots.  
Let the roads speak of God.  
Let the sanctuaries be not just monuments,  
but places of encounter and transformation.

We believe that the love of God heals.  
That wounds do not disqualify us: they make us real.  
That no sin is stronger than mercy,  
nor any darkness greater than the light of Christ.  
We believe in a Church that is alive, young, and unafraid,  
able to listen, to make room,  
to trust young people without domesticating their faith.

We choose to walk.  
Because following Christ is not staying still.  
It means leaving behind comfort, cynicism, and indifference.  
It means setting out.  
From Rome we will go to Santiago.  
From Santiago to Jerusalem.  
And from there... to the world.

We choose to proclaim.  
Not with empty speeches, but with authentic lives.  
With music, networks, art, silence, presence.  
With a faith that does not impose, but proposes.  
With joy, depth, and meaning.

We choose to heal.  
To be the face of a Church that does not judge, but welcomes.  
Where no one is left out. Where no one walks alone.  
Where one can cry, laugh, and begin again.

We ask the Church to trust us.  
To let us fail, serve, grow.  
To offer us real paths, living communities,  
and shepherds who walk with us.  
We ask the young people of the world:  
Do not silence your thirst.  
Do not settle for a life without truth.  
Do not buy the lie of empty freedom.  
Come. Walk. Say your "yes."

From Rome we proclaim:  
Jesus is Lord!  
We are His generation!  
We are His Church!  
We are not an experiment.  
We are not an appendix.  
We are God's present for the world.

And we walk toward a future that does not end:  
eternal life promised by the Father,  
won by the Son,  
and sealed in us by the Spirit.

And that is why we proclaim this manifesto:  
with our feet on the move,  
with our lips in praise,  
and with our hearts open to the Spirit.

We are witnesses.  
We are pilgrims.  
We are a Church on the move.  
Amen.

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