

## LEGION OF MARY

### **Patron Saint:**

**HISTORY:** Founded September 7, 1921 by **FRANK DUFF**.

The legion of mary is an Association of catholics who with sanction of the church and under the powerful leadership of mary immaculate, Mediatrix of all Graces (who is fair as the moon, bright as the sun, and to satan and his agents, terrible as an army set in battle array) have formed themselves into a legion for the services in the warfare which is the perpetually waged by the church against the world and its evil powers.

The legion of mary is therefore organized on the model of an army, principally on that of the army of ancient Rome. The terminology of which is adopted also. But the army and arms of the legionaries of mary are not of this world.

### **MISSION:**

The objective of the legion of mary is the glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active co-operation. Under ecclesiastical guidance, in mary's and the church's work of crushing the head of the serpent and advancing the region of Christ.

### **VISION:**

The spirit of the legion of mary is that of mary herself. Especially does the legion aspire after her profound humility. Her perfect obedience, her angelic sweetness, her continual prayer, her universal mortification, her altogether spotless purity, Her heroic patience, her heavenly wisdom, her self-sacrificing courageous love of God, and above all her faith, that virtue which has in her alone been found in its utmost extent and never equaled.

### **MEMEBERSHIP:**

Membership is open to all baptized Catholics who want to grow spiritually and be devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary of God and our Savior Jesus Christ. Members can either join a senior presidium for adults, or junior presidium for those below the age of 18years.

**Meetings:** meetings are held on Saturdays and Sundays depending on the presidium.