

“That the pain and the war don’t make us indifferent”

Under this text we reflected in the meeting of Promoters of Justice and Peace about the situation in Gaza and Ukraine. These are two absolutely different situations, but both engrossed by sorrow and injustice. And both embossed by the desire of power.

Brothers of the Order are working there for health and security of the people.

But about these conflicts we should not forget all the other situations of war all over the world, for example Haiti. The Month of Peace in the Order is dedicated to this conflict.

A war is never justifiable and is the most flagrant attack that can be on the rights of individuals and people, because it is an attack on freedom, autonomy and independence, coexistence, and life. War produces death, displaced people, exiles or refugees. War brings hatred, ruptures, divisions. War doesn't solve anything, it makes everything worse. War is not the solution to any conflict.

At this meeting of JPE, gathered in Lisbon (June 24-28), we urge all Brothers and Sisters of the Order to publicly denounce all these unjust wars and to work together, specifically, for a more just and fraternal/sororal world.

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