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*To make known the Message of  
Our Lady at Medjugorje.  
Our focus is on living the  
message, which is in harmony  
with the Church's Magisterium.*

# VIA AD PACEM

*(The Way To Peace)*

## LIVE THE MESSAGES

given at

## MEDJUGORJE

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*Our Lady's Message is:*

*Pray and Fast*

*Frequent Mass*

*Monthly Confession*

*Daily Rosary*

*Love People*

*Use Blessed Objects*

### **Our Lady of Medjugorje's Message Given to Marija Pavlovic-Lunett May 25, 2018**

*"Dear Children! In this peaceless time, I am calling you to have more trust in God who is your Father in Heaven and who has sent me to lead you to Him. You, open your hearts to the gifts which He desires to give you and, in the silence of your heart, Adore my Son Jesus who has given His life so that you may live in eternity – where He desires to lead you. May your hope be the joy of a meeting with the Most High in every day life. Therefore, I am calling you: do not neglect prayer because prayer works miracles. Thank you for having responded to my call."*

### **Commentary on the May 25, 2018 Message**

Our Lord Jesus says: "Do not think that I have come to bring peace upon the earth. I have come to bring not peace but the sword." (Matthew 10:34-35)

Our Lady's May message to the world reminds us that these are not peaceful times. There is no peace among nations. We see a general lack of collaboration, understanding and respect among

leaders of nations and communities. There is no peace within many families. There is no peace in schools as children must now live in fear wondering if their school will be the next shooter target. There is no peace in hearts as busyness and over stimulation from news casts overcome our lives. There is a lack of respect for life today as never before.

Despite the turmoil in which we are immersed, Mary is calling us to have more trust in God, our Father. Mary is leading us along the spiritual path much like Job in the Old Testament. Out of the chaos, discord and losses that we encounter along our way as we deal with a lack of peace, we can imitate Job as he responded in complete trust: "I know that you can do all things, and that no purpose of yours can be hindered." (Job 42:2) And so, we place our trust in God who has sent our Mother to lead us. We raise our voices in pure faith as we trust in the Lord with all our hearts, on our own intelligence we rely not. In all our ways we are mindful of him and he will make straight our paths. (from Proverbs 3:5)

Our Lady reminds us to open our hearts to the gifts that God desires to give us. Drastic times call for drastic measures! God wants to equip us with

extraordinary gifts commensurate with the battle of these times.

“To one is given through the Spirit the expression of wisdom, to another the expression of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another the gift of healing by the one Spirit, to another mighty deeds....” (1Co 12:8-10)

Despite the dire state of affairs, Our Lady always brings us around to hope in all of her messages to the world. She reminds us of our goal – to live in eternity with God forever, made possible by the sacrifice of her Divine Son, Jesus. Our prayer of praise and adoration in appreciation for what Jesus has made possible for each of us will set us upon the path to hope and joy. It is through prayer that we will remain connected to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Our Lady is teaching us to pray without ceasing – making our daily lives a prayer of Adoration, Contrition, Thanksgiving and Supplication. She is reminding us that whatever we ask for in prayer with faith we will receive. With this assurance and our Mothers constant presence and protection, we will not be far from the Kingdom of God. In the silence of our hearts we will find that our joy will be complete just as Jesus promised. Amen

**Our Lady’s Message Given to  
Mirjana Dragicevic-Soldo  
May 2, 2018**

*“Dear children, all that my Son, who is the light of love, has done and does, He has done out of love. Also you, my children, when you live in love and love your neighbors, you are doing the will of my Son. Apostles of my love, make yourselves little; open your pure hearts to my Son so that He can work through you. With the help of faith, be filled with love. But, my children, do not forget that the Eucharist is the heart of faith. This is my Son who feeds you with His Body and strengthens you with His Blood. This is a miracle of love: my Son who always comes anew, alive, to bring life back to souls. My children, by living in love you are doing the will of my Son and He lives in you. My children, my motherly desire is for you to always love Him more, because He is calling you with His love. He is giving you love so that you may spread it to all those around you. As a mother, through His love, I am with you to speak the words of love and hope to you - to*

*speak to you the eternal words that are victorious over time and death - so as to call you to be my apostles of love. Thank you.”*



The 37th Anniversary  
of the Apparitions of  
Our Lady at Medjugorje  
will be celebrated  
Monday - June 25, 2018  
at  
St. Mary’s Church  
25 Center St., Waterloo, NY

6:00 p.m. The Most Holy Rosary  
7:00 p.m. Benediction  
7:15 p.m. Mass - Celebrant: Rev. Paul Bonacci

Confessions will be heard during the Rosary  
A healing service will follow the Mass

**Come, Pray the Rosary!**

Join us every Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. as we pray the Joyful, Sorrowful and Glorious mysteries of the rosary. St. Mary’s Church, 25 Center Street. Waterloo, NY. All are welcome!

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