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"Our ability to love may extend generously toward every person" (August intention 2020)

> **Dear National Presidents** Dear National Assistants Dear Provincial Ministers and Custodes Dear Institutes of Kolbian inspiration THEIR OFFICES

Dear brothers and sisters

The month so special for us has come, the month that our Holy Founder offered the two crowns, which fulfilled the mission of loving to the end.

As an International Council, we want to be closer to each of you. In communion we will be stronger and stronger, because we live in such painful days.

2020, is for us the year of mission, to remember the ninety years that Br. Kolbe has arrived in Japan. He certainly experienced many pains, difficulties, limitations, misunderstandings... Though, he never gave up. On the contrary, he has always been persevering, persistent and his trust in the Immaculate Conception has made him a GREAT HOLY.

Br. Kolbe write once: "Do not trust yourself at all; all you can in the One who gives you strength through the Immaculate Conception; the weaker you feel, the stronger you are. "

With your example and testimony, we can come together even more during the novena in preparation for the 14th, asking for an end to this pandemic, for the healing and recovery of many brothers and sisters who suffer from this cause.

From August 14, 2020 to August 14, 2021, we want to live the preparation for the eighty years of martyrdom. We will send our tip soon for every 14th of every month.

Let us remain united in the heart of the Immaculate Conception

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