About recent survey: problems in the church

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Dear Father Chris,

Dear Father Clement.

1. I find it my duty that I send this message to both of my priests, partly in response to the recent survey which was recently distributed in the church.

I love my church, and I care about the salvation of every soul in it, including that of its priests.

- 2. Pope Benedict XVI once said that the globalisation of society is not only economic, but there is also a "globalization of responsibilities, a universality in which we are all responsible for everyone". This means that because of this universality, the problems which exist anywhere in the body of the church, are the responsibility of every member of this church.
- 3. In our church, there are many problems. I know this from first-hand experience with priests. Take for example: Why is it that <u>repentance</u> is not preached about in times of Lent? Why the silence about <u>sin</u>? Why the silence about marriage, family, chastity, sexual morally, abortion, homosexuality, pornography, even <u>Hell</u> and eternal damnation.. etc. Let alone the Satanic and Modernist heresies which aim to destroy the family and undermine the Revealed Truth. All these topics are avoided to be talked about in the politically correct and "shy" speech of the church.
- 4. Why is it that the church has become afraid of hurting others' feelings? Is this sentimental care for others' feelings contained anywhere in scripture? Why should the church pet on on the heads of sinful people who "deserve" to be truly loved and guided, but instead are deceived into thinking that God can somehow accept sin? This is precisely what Pope Benedict XVI called "A dictatorship of relativism".
- 5. The speech and evangelisation of the church has become paralysed and impotent. Therefore, it is the Holy duty and responsitility of laypeople to preach and defend the truth. Our battle is not against our priests whom we love, but against the evil spirits of darkness.

You became priests, because of a call which you responded to.

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