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Dear friend of Our Lady,

First, let me remind you about one of the most important of our **Apostolic Action Items**, the distribution of the text of the Pontifical Council for the Family, entitled Marriage, Family and De Facto Unions. Ideally, you should distribute it to members of Congress/ Parliament and State/Provincial legislatures. Politicians need to hear, loud and clear, that the granting of juridical equivalence to unions other than the valid and licit union of one man and one woman in marriage is contrary to the law of God, and in many ways, a declaration of war on the God-willed distinction between the sexes. The aforementioned document lavs down the principles that should guide us and also explains the damage being done by what it calls "gender ideology", an ideology based on Marxist thought, that has produced many of the problems that we encounter it this area today.

To shift gears for a moment or two: You will remember that in our last issue we presented a new volume by Dr. Alice von Hildebrand, on her dear husband of many years, Dietrich. Well, as coincidence would have it, on a visit to Our Lady of Guadulupe Seminary to attend the ordinations to minor orders, a member gave us a copy of an article by Dietrich von Hildebrand from the December 1943 issue of *The Catholic Choirmaster*. It is our hope to include this article, which deals with the role of Gregorian Chant in the liturgy, in a future issue of *Cor Ad Cor*. In the box to the side, you will find a quotation from another issue of *The Catholic Choirmaster*, that of December 1930. Read

