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**SAINT JOSEMARÍA**  
PRIEST

**To know Jesus Christ  
To make him known  
To bring him everywhere**

*Conocer a Jesucristo  
Hacerlo conocido  
Llevarlo a todos los sitios*

O God, all powerful Father, through the intercession of Our Lady of the Pillar and of St Josemaría, who was a seminarian and priest of the diocese of Saragossa, grant holy and abundant vocations for our seminaries, to the measure of the Heart of Christ, the Good Shepherd. Grant that all priests may carry out their ministry with desires of holiness, and be authentic pastors who are close to God, to their bishop, to their brother priests, and to the people of God.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**St Josemaría Escrivá, founder of Opus Dei,  
was ordained priest on 28 March 1925  
in the church of St Charles Seminary,  
Saragossa (Spain).**

WITH ECCLESIASTICAL APPROVAL