

## Arcebispo de Denver (EUA), Mons. Charles Chaput, felicita a Montfort e artigo Viva o Papa

Em recente e aplaudida conferência, pronunciada em Chicago para representantes de diversas comunidades religiosas, Mons. Charles Chaput OFM Cap., Arcebispo de Denver, Colorado (EUA), ressaltou que ser católico não significa estar diante de um "**salad bar**", cada um escolhendo o que mais lhe agrada.

"Há 40 anos ouvimos um coro constante que nos recorda como devemos estar abertos ao mundo, apreender do mundo, reconhecer as coisas boas do mundo e ser mais humildes na nossa aproximação ao mundo", disse o prelado, concluindo que **o que Deus quer é que o mundo seja convertido e santificado, e não que seja venerado**" (extrato da notícia divulgada pela <http://www.aciprensa.com> , 05/04/02).

Congratulamos Mons. Chaput pela clareza e oportunidade das suas declarações, enviando-lhe a versão inglesa do artigo "Viva o Papa", dele recebendo a resposta ao nosso e-mail:

**De:** Archbishop  
Chaput  
**Enviado em:**  
quinta-feira,  
18 de abril de  
2002  
11:08  
**Para:**  
Marcelo  
Fedeli  
**Assunto:** RE:  
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Catholicism is not a "salad bar" !

Dear Marcelo,

Thanks for your recent email. I reviewed the article you attached and found it interesting. I admire your loyalty and zeal for the Church. I certainly wish you and your Montfort project well, and I'll pray for the

success  
of  
your apostolate.

Be assured  
of my prayers  
and best wishes,

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**Sent:** Thursday, April 11, 2002 8:28 AM  
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Our major objective is to save the souls, according to the Roman Catholic Church Doctrine, wherever we develop our professional work, and consequently, we defend the Church with all our possibilities against its enemies.

I do appreciate Your kind reply.



Please  
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