



The Duties of Knights and Dames of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem

✠ To observe and promote the objectives of the Order which relives in a modern manner the spirit and ideals of the early Knights, more specifically:

- To practice the virtue of charity in supporting and aiding their Parish, Diocese, the Church and the Catholic religious, charitable, cultural and social institutions in the Holy Land.
- To promote the preservation and the propagation of the Faith in the Holy Land through prayer and in making a personal pilgrimage to the Holy Land.
- To intensify their practice of the Christian faith in absolute loyalty to the Roman Pontiff including striving to attend daily Mass, but in any event to attend Mass on Sundays, Holy Days and the following times when a Plenary Indulgence is granted to members under the usual conditions:
 - The Feast in honor of Holy Mary Queen of Palestine (last Sunday in October)
 - The Feast of the Triumph of the Holy Cross (September 14)
 - The Feast of St. Pius X (August 21)
 - The Feast of St. Helena (August 18)
- To bring together all Catholics and non-Catholics of every nation in the love and service to the Holy Land, uniting them in charity by the symbol of the Order.

✠ To generously support the Order and participate in its activities including attending the annual meeting of the Lieutenancy and attending the funeral of a departed member when called upon to do so, and to assemble in the local Diocese annually honoring the Ordinary at a dinner.

✠ To keep in mind Catholic ethical principles in carrying out their own professional and social duties, to set an example as a Catholic gentleman or lady in word and deeds in adherence to moral and religious principles and evangelical spirit and to never risk suspension, expulsion or disciplinary measures by an unethical act of any nature.