

Sexuality and its Deviations in the Post-Modern World

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As the modern world oscillates between powerful contrasts and profound discords while promoting an individualistic relativism and placing excessive value on the biological life which is seen as the only means towards fulfillment for a human existence reduced almost exclusively to the material plane and as the modern secularist views dispute Christian spiritual values more and more, the Church is called to adopt a new type of ministry. Its missionary discourse should be alive, dynamic and relevant to the contemporary man, focused on the man's initiation in the mysteries of the life to come and into his sampling of the grace of the Heavenly Kingdom. In this respect, a key role is taken on by the pastoral missionary activity of the Church, which is summoned to break free from the “Babylonian captivity” of stereotypes, empty expressions, routine and of the lack of relevance for the realities of the contemporary world.

The modern consumerist world is demanding more and more attention and allegiance from the consciousness of each person, by pushing a new

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