



## Legion of Mary Miami Regia

O Mary, conceived without sin.  
Pray for us who have recourse to you.

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***Mary Immaculate***  
*(Handbook Chapter 5 #3 Pg 20)*



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In his Allocutio, Fr. Soulliere spoke about the Spiritual Reading “**Mary Immaculate**” taken from the Handbook, Chapter 5, #3 , p. 20).

The first aspect of Legion devotion to Mary is that she is the Mediatrix of All Graces and thus the Legion has nothing, and can do nothing, without her powerful intervention. The second aspect of Legion devotion to Mary is towards her Immaculate Conception. Her statue of the Immaculate Conception graced the altar of the first Legion meeting in 1921, as it still does in every Legion meeting throughout the world today. Scripture (Gen 3:15) tells us that the head of the serpent is going to be crushed by the heel of the woman, that her seed will crush him (Satan) and his seed. Thus, the more we emulate and imitate Mary, the more success we will have in our Legion work of defeating the enemy of all mankind – Satan.