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# On the Map of South America

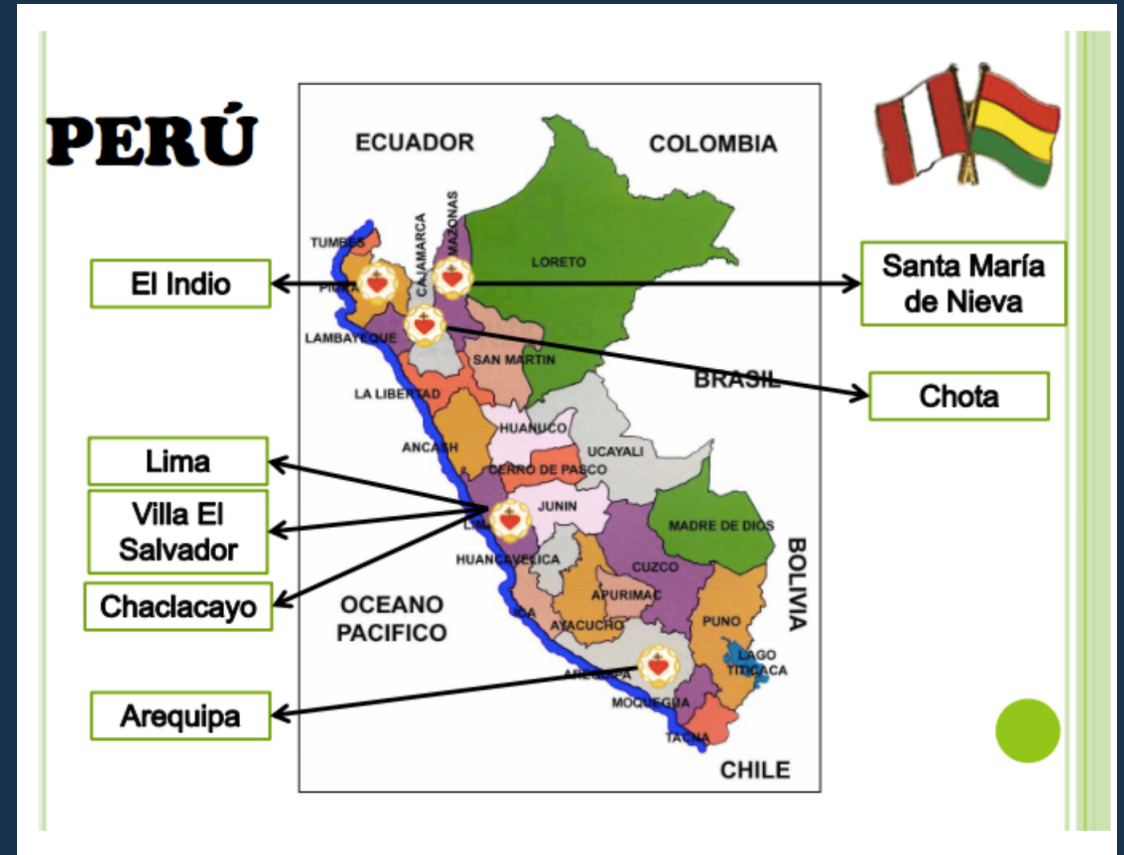


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# The Handmaids in Peru



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# Fast Facts

- Peru is the third largest country in South America.
- Machu Picchu, one of seven wonders of the world, is located in Peru.
- The potato originated in Peru.



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# Photos

In this photo, the children of Peru are learning how to do multiple things to care for themselves and others.



In this photo, the children of Peru are enjoying their nutritious meal, and they are also enjoying spending their time with others.

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# Work of the Handmaids

- Ancillae has Heart to Heart donations that go to the different schools in Peru.
- The Sisters train the students in hygiene and grooming.
- The Sisters organize a project offering technical training to 70 women and young people in cooking, baking, handicrafts, and dressmaking.



This photo is showing that the children are praying with the Handmaids.

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# Catholic Social Teaching: Solidarity

- Solidarity is the responsibility to care for one another.
- The spirit of solidarity unites us with all people: poor/rich or weak/strong.
- Solidarity helps us create a society that recognizes that we are living in an interdependent world.

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# Catholic Social Teaching: Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

- Option for the Poor and Vulnerable means following Jesus by making a specific effort to defend and promote the dignity of people who are poor or vulnerable and to meet their needs.

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# How the Sisters Show Solidarity and Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

- The Sisters show solidarity and option for the poor and vulnerable by improving the schools that were in great poverty.
- The Sisters at Ancillae created Heart to Heart.
- Donations to Heart to Heart go to students in Peru to help improve their lives.

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# Our Prayer

Lord God, we are thankful for all the blessings you have given us . Please help those less fortunate than us, especially those in Peru . Please help the Handmaids there have patience and perseverance to be able to guide those in need especially the homeless, hungry, or naked. Thank you God for listening to our prayer, and may you please provide the people of Peru with all of the love, peace, and support that they need. Lord hear our prayer.

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