



INVITATION

I am inviting all our young sons and daughters in the Church and those who lend pastoral care to the youth to attend the **Tadhana Live Pure Conference 2016** on Sunday October 9, 2016 at SMX Convention Center, Pasay City from twelve noon until six o'clock in the evening.

It is an experience of a spiritual journey in self-discovery and knowing who are before the Lord. Indeed we can only know ourselves in union with God and according to His awesome plan for each of us. How does God look at us...only with merciful love! In a world distracted by distorted values and alluring pleasures, the call to purity is a soothing gentle breeze of good news. We who have been lured by various evils against purity are assured tenderly "*It is easier for God to control His anger than to withhold His mercy.*" There is no joy, no peace, no meaning in a life lived contrary to purity. The blessing of purity is seeing the face of God.

I am calling on our parish priests, religious men and women, school administrators and youth ministers to attend this Live Pure Conference 2016. This conference answers a great pastoral need for our time.

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