

## Wait... Before entering the church, remember (24x7)

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### “Holiness adorns Your house, O Lord, forever” (Psalm 93:5)

“I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lifted up, and the train of His robe filled the temple. Above it stood Seraphim; each one had six wings: with two he covered his face, with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one cried to another and said: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory” (Isaiah 6:1-3)



“Every woman who prays or prophesies with her head uncovered dishonors her head, for that is one and the same as if her head were shaved. For if a woman is not covered, let her also be shorn. But, if it is shameful for a woman to be shorn or shaved, let her be covered... Judge among yourselves. Is it proper for a woman to pray to God with her head uncovered?” (1 Corinthians 11: 5-13)



“In like manner also, that the women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with propriety and moderation, not with braided hair or gold or pearls or costly clothing” (1 Timothy 2: 9)

*For those who impose their sinful opinion and stumble people in their way of clothing, let me remind you what God did:*

“Then He went into the temple and began to drive out those who bought and sold in it (that means everything like your body, the temple of God, your principles, the teaching of your church, etc.), saying to them: It is written, ‘My house is a house of prayer, but you have made it a den of thieves’” (Luke 19:45-46, Matthew 21:12-13, Mark 11:15-17, John 2:15)

*Priests must make sure that people follow God’s teaching summarized above, as St. Peter and the apostles commanded:*

“But Peter and the other apostles answered and said: We ought to obey God rather than men” (Acts 5:29)