



## "EVERY DAY."

THE GREAT DESIRE OF PIUS X.

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WE insistently draw our Reader's attention to the Holy Father's invitation, to all the faithful, to receive Communion more frequently, even daily.

We can truthfully affirm, that, in the supernatural order, the Sovereign Pontiff has no greater desire than this which he solemnly expressed in his Decree of December 20th, 1905; and in his letter to the Episcopacy dated April 10th, 1907.

We understand his sorrow because in certain places his appeal has not been listened too, and, on the other hand his joy because zealous priests use every effort and available means to promote frequent and daily communion.

This was also the formal thought of Leo XIII. When he so highly eulogized the work of Abbé Coubé on weekly Communion, remarking at the same time, that he would not have given his approbation had the Author counseled daily Communion for all. It would have been premature then. God's hour had not yet come.

But now it undoubtedly has and Pius X fearlessly pronounces the saving word: daily and shows us in the Sacred Host our daily bread.

Since the memorable decree of December 1905, no further discussion can possibly be entered into concerning the excellence of daily communion. In order that this solemn decision of the Sovereign Pontiff, produce abundant fruits of salvation in the world; in order that it excite in us divine hunger for the Bread of Angels and make us champions of the Eucharistic reign, we must