

## GUNMEN TAKE 2000 FAITHFUL!

A church was packed to the brim one Sunday morning, it's members numbering around 2000. Two men came into the church, both dressed in long black coats and hats. One stood in the center aisle, and the other stood in the outer aisle. All of a sudden, as they pulled out Uzi's from their black coats, they screamed,

**"EVERYONE WHO'S UP FOR TAKING A BULLET FOR THIS JESUS CHRIST GUY, REMAIN SEATED."**

Hearing this, those around the pulpit emptied out first, then the choir, then deacons and so on. After everyone who wasn't up for the challenge had gone, there were only 20 people left out of the original 2000. Then the gunmen turned around, took off their coats and hats, and said, "All right preacher, all the hypocrites are gone; you may now begin the service."

My brothers and sisters in Christ, the moral of this story is simply that we should seek to attend Mass and church services with a burning love for Our Lord and the Sacraments. Remember that when you seek the Kingdom of God before everything else, all that is good shall be given to you, and not a hair on your head shall be harmed.

