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Eucharistic Miracle of Cimballa

The "Santísimo Misterio Dubio" (The Doubt of the Most Holy Mystery) is the name by which the Eucharistic Miracle which took place at Cimballa in 1370 at the Church of the Purification of Our Lady is now known. The pastor of the Church, Father Tomás, had been tormented for many months by doubts concerning the Real Presence of Jesus in the Sacrament of the Eucharist. During the celebration of Holy Mass one Sunday, after pronouncing the words of consecration, Father Tomás saw the Host turn into Flesh, with living Blood flowing in abundance from it, so that it spilled on to the corporal. The repentant priest began to weep out of remorse, and the faithful, seeing him so upset, ran up to the altar at once and saw the Miracle. The Relic was carried in procession as it was, and the news of the Miracle spread everywhere. Many Miracles were attributed to the "Santísimo Misterio Dubio," which since that time, has always been an object of great devotion on the part of the faithful. The Relic of the corporal stained with the Precious Blood is exposed every year on September 12 on the occasion of the anniversary of the Miracle.



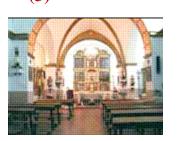
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- (1) Panorama of Cimballa
- (2) Church of St. Mary, Cimballa
- (3) Interior of the Church
- (4)Section of the Relic of the Blood-stained corporal