AGUILAS EMAUS PIURA IS HERE!

Our country is in the midst of the Covid-19 health crisis, the worst economic crisis in our history, with corrupt and inept politicians in Congress, who disregarded the opinion of 90% of the population who were calling on them to let the President, accused of corruption, complete his mandate in July 2021. THEY DID NOT LISTEN TO THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE!

They put their mafia interests first and, in a back-room deal, removed the President on 9 November, replacing him with the Congress President in an act considered a coup d'état. In fact, sixty-five congressmen, who are on trial, took over the executive power and then also attempted to assume power over the judiciary.

But the people said STOP!

And thousands of people throughout the country, with a large number of young people at the forefront, took to the streets with peaceful marches in defence of our democracy which had been taken by this group of corrupt politicians. There were daily demonstrations organised by the people themselves, with no visible leaders, demanding the departure of President Merino and his ministers, who did not represent the country.

In this historical context, our community Aguilas Emaus Piura, which is always present in the struggle for rights and against all forms of injustice, returned to the streets, together with the people, to assume its political role.

Our heartfelt thanks go to our young people, who today take the lead in these struggles, and to Branly, Jonatan, Luis, Mariangel, Joel, Javier, Néstor for being at the forefront and making sure our community was present in defending Peruvians.

Branly, a member of our community, was arrested by the state police on 10 November and after 15 hours he was released because our community, a number of individuals and institutions applied pressure and called for his release.

AND WE ARE STILL OUT ON THE STREETS!

With the deaths of two young people, cruelly killed by the forces of law and order, over 100 injured and 41 disappearances, a new president will take office, whose moves will be watched closely by citizens who are tired of so much corruption and mismanagement of power.

We express our recognition and gratitude to those two young heroes, Inti and Bryan, who gave their lives for their country. We call for the 41 disappeared individuals to be returned. We will continue to be present and vigilant alongside the population in this historic struggle.