

## **Eucharistic Miracle—Arquata del Tronto, Italy—2016**

Central Italy was rocked on October 30, 2016 with a 6.6 earthquake, devastating many towns, including the city of Arquata del Tronto. The parish church was reduced to rubble and only recently (February 2018) was the tabernacle finally retrieved.

What they discovered was truly “miraculous”.

According to the National Catholic Register, “The hosts, recovered from a tabernacle recently retrieved from the ruins of the parish church of Arquata del Tronto, have no bacteria or mold, as usually happens to hosts after a few weeks.”

The ciborium was on its side in the tabernacle and within it contained “40 hosts whose color, shape and scent were unchanged.”

The local priest described it as a “miracle”. While the local bishop urged caution over such a pronouncement, he did admit that the discovery needs no words.”

