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Pope?s Quotes: The people of God II

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My favorite quotes from Pope Francis:

> ?Thinking with the church, therefore, is my way of being a part of this people. And all the faithful, considered as a whole, are infallible in matters of belief, and the people display this *infallibilitas in credendo*, this infallibility in believing, through a supernatural sense of the faith of all the people walking together. This is what I understand today as the ?thinking with the church? of which St. Ignatius speaks. When the dialogue among the people and the bishops and the pope goes down this road and is genuine, then it is assisted by the Holy Spirit. So this thinking with the church does not concern theologians only. ??
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> ?And, of course, we must be very careful not to think that this infallibilitas of all the faithful I am talking about in the light of Vatican II is a form of populism. No; it is the experience of ?holy mother the hierarchical church,? as St. Ignatius called it, the church as the people of God, pastors and people together. The church is the totality of God?s people.?

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