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Dear **SALUTATION**,

I am writing to you today about one of the simplest truths of our faith. **God loves you.** God loves you without reservation, without hesitation, and without conditions.

A challenge of our Catholic faith is: **How do we live our lives in response to God’s love for us?**

Do we:

• **Accept God’s love**,

• Share our love for Him through **prayer**,

• Show our love for God by **loving one another**?

Our actions are the expression *of our faith*.

Being Catholic goes beyond attending Mass weekly and obeying the Ten Commandments. As Catholics, we must follow Jesus’ direction to “love one another,” daily.

Over the next several weeks at Mass, you will hear more about our need to Love One Another as a spiritual concept. This calls us to examine how we live our lives as Catholics beyond Mass and to publicly witness our Catholic Identity.

I am asking **<<Parish Name>>** parish to join all of our parishes in a capital campaign that will strengthen our Church and prepare us for the next generation of Catholics. You will hear more about this campaign in the weeks to come, but please know our priority is to provide for the needs of your parish and community.

You will hear more details in the weeks to come.

I invite and encourage you to continue to grow closer to God: to accept God’s love for you, grow in your prayer, and explore how you can answer God’s call to *Love One Another*.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

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