













TOGETHER in FAITH

March 25, 2020

Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

e look to Mary as our example to trust in and deepen our relationship with God. "Behold. I am the handmaid of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word." (Luke 1:38) Her 'yes' to the angel Gabriel opened the seal of our covenant as beloved children of God: His promise that we are heirs to the eternal kingdom.

Mary's yes did not shield her from earthly trials; rather, it gave her the courage and faith to put aside her will to serve God's greater purpose and become the model of our own Christian discipleship.

May God's grace and peace be with you and your loved ones.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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