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Dear SALUTATION:

The month of May, which the Church dedicates to our Blessed Mother, ushers in the springtime season of renewal. It is also a time when 37,000 students look to the final months of the academic year at our Catholic schools and 117,000 youth continue the journey of spiritual growth through our Faith Formation programs. These achievements are made possible by people like you who have planted and nourished the seeds of these ministries.

At this time, I ask you to renew or increase your generous support of the Catholic Appeal, which provides funding for the Archdiocese pastoral programs, many of which respond to critical needs of the people we serve. We are called to work together in order that these ministries can continue to flourish and bring the next generation, who will be the future leaders for the Church, closer to Christ through our Catholic faith.

Entrusting our efforts to Jesus through the intercession of Mary, Mother of the Church, I invite you to fill out the enclosed prayer intention card. Please be assured of my prayers for your own special intentions throughout the month of May as I celebrate Mass at the new altar in the beautifully restored and renovated Cathedral of the Holy Cross.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration of this request during this season of hope and renewal.

Asking God's blessings upon you and all whom you hold dear, I remain,

Devotedly Yours in Christ,

+ Sean, O'Malley

Archbishop of Boston