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Rev. Monsignor Ted Bertagni
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Dear Monsignor Bertagni.

I trust that your pastoral visits to Fresno and to St. John's Seminary in Camarillo were fruit filled experiences during this Easter season. The signs of new life are so evident as you travel the freeways in our fertile San Joaquin Valley. I hope you had time to notice and appreciate them.

In reading over your materials and from second hand accounts, it is quite evident that your mission to reach out to the poor outside the U.S. and to be among the "first responders" with financial help to Dioceses within the U.S. is to be commended. Please know that you can count on my support to help further opportunities to inform our Catholic parishioners of what Cross Catholic Outreach does and how they may assist your works of mercy with their prayers and generosity.

May the Risen Lord continue to bless your efforts on behalf of the poorest of the poor.

Fraternally in Him,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Armando X. Ochoa".

Most Reverend Armando X. Ochoa, D.D.
Bishop, Diocese of Fresno