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Dear Father Caron,

Thank you for your recent letter and the Cross Catholic Annual Report. It's heartening to know of the joy and hope that Cross Catholic Outreach brings to suffering families through housing projects in Haiti and the Dominican Republic, water wells in Africa, nutrition programs in Central America, and countless other initiatives that reflect the merciful heart of Christ.

What sets the Catholic approach to poverty apart from others is not only the commitment to meet the basic material needs of the poor— food, housing, access to clean water, etc.—but also the commitment for the mental and spiritual development of the human person through integral human development.

As you commemorate the tenth anniversary of the Decree of Juridical Personality upon your ministry from the universal Church, I encourage you to redouble your efforts to grow in love and service of the poorest of the poor.

In Christ,

+ Robert G. Casey

Most Reverend Robert G. Casey
Archbishop of Cincinnati

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