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Mr. Jeff Wanchena
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Dear Jeff and Shirley,

Over the past decades, Pacem in Terris has grown from a vision and inspiration to a full-fledged center of spirituality, providing the peace, tranquility and comfort of the love of God. I commend you and your family for your dedication and commitment to your mission and vision.

Very few places provide the serenity, quiet and hermitage environment unique to Pacem in Terris. We are blessed as a diocese to have this retreat center in our midst, awaiting all who long for the healing power of God's love and mercy.

As you prepare to establish an endowment fund, please know of my best wishes for you, your staff, the volunteers and the pilgrims who journey to Pacem in Terris to seek a more intimate relationship with God.

May God bless you, your work and all guests as you strengthen your position to minister to future generations of pilgrims.

With kind personal regards, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+John F. Kinney
Bishop of Saint Cloud