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*“The Spirit unites us as God’s beloved children.” -Pope Francis*

Dear <<Salutation>>,

As we celebrate Pentecost, Pope Francis reminds us that the Spirit “opens the doors and pushes us to press beyond what has already been said and done.” We are called to live our Catholic faith with purpose, and it’s a blessing to be part of the <<parish name>> where we come together, united as beloved children of God.

As followers of Christ, we strive to spread His love to those we meet. The Bishop Appeal plays a significant role in supporting ministries within the Diocese, who provide training to our parish staff and volunteers. The Appeal also helps those in need of counseling through Catholic Charities. It provides growth opportunities for our Catholic educators and faith formation leaders. Your support makes all this possible at <<parish name>>, and we are truly grateful.

Making a Bishop’s Appeal gift today shows how much our parish cares about our brothers and sisters in need. Please consider making a gift of \$<<Ask 1>> today. Your generosity not only supports those in need but also strengthens our parish community.

Thank you for all that you do to make <<parish name>> a community of faith and generosity. I truly appreciate your prayers, and please know you and those you love are remembered in mine.

Yours in Christ,

<<Pastor/Pastoral Leader Signature>>

<<Pastor/Pastoral Leader Name>>

*P.S. Help us reach our 2023 Bishop’s Appeal goal of \$<<Parish BA Goal>>. Currently our parish has received <<number of gifts>> gifts totaling \$<<Parish amount raised>>. To make an online gift, please visit [www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give](http://www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give). Thank you!*