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Most Reverend Luis R. Zarama
Diocese of Raleigh
7200 Stonehenge Dr
Raleigh, NC 27613

Dear Bishop Zarama,

Please accept my sincere gratitude for your diocese's participation in the 2019 national collections. Bishops that have served on the Committee on National Collections, or one of its subcommittees, have experienced first-hand the impact these collections have. If you have not, let me assure you that faith communities and people in vulnerable situations have benefitted greatly through the generosity of your parishioners to these national appeals.

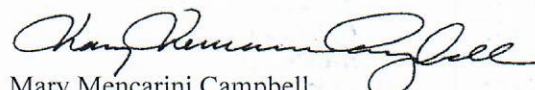
The data below reports our records of all 2019 remittances received from the Diocese of Raleigh as of January 31, 2020. A \$0.00 amount indicates our office has not received the funds (or a copy of the transmittal form in the case of Canon 1271 and Peter's Pence). In some instances, this may be because five months have not yet passed since your local collection date for that particular collection.

<u>Collection Name</u>	<u>Collection Date</u>	<u>Amount Received</u>
Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe	3/6/2019	\$104,639.47
Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign	6/2/2019	\$37,977.51
Catholic Campaign for Human Development	11/24/2019	\$ 0.00
Catholic Home Missions Appeal	4/28/2019	\$96,805.78
Collection for the Church in Latin America	1/27/2019	\$107,552.66
Catholic Relief Services Collection	3/31/2019	\$135,468.58
Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa	5/5/2019	\$ 0.00
Canon 1271	N/A	\$80,640.00
Peter's Pence Collection	6/30/2019	\$97,118.87

To adhere to the important values of stewardship and accountability to which we are committed, the document *Guidelines for Administering USCCB National Collections in Dioceses* asks dioceses to remit funds received from parishes for the various collections within five months of the scheduled collection date. If your diocese has funds for 2019 that are due but have not been remitted, I ask that it does so as soon as possible.

If you have any questions about our national collections process, or the impact of collections on the Church's pastoral outreach and humanitarian efforts at home and around the globe, please contact me at mmencarinicampbell@usccb.org/202-541-3146.

Sincerely,


Mary Mencarini Campbell
Executive Director

cc: Mr. Russell Elmayan, Chief Finance Officer