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Dear fellow parishioners:

As you probably know, our parish is blessed with the ability to help our sisters and brothers through our (Name of Appeal-funded ministry). Thanks to the volunteers who so generously share their time and to parishioners who generously support the Annual Catholic Appeal, a loving hand has been extended to our neighbors in need as Jesus asks us to do.

In 2020, for instance, (describe someone who was helped in 80 words or less).

Although we are restricted from gathering at Mass, we are not restricted from sharing our love and support for others through the Annual Catholic Appeal. On behalf of the (Name of Appeal-funded ministry), I am grateful for whatever you can do to help us remain fully funded so that our work in the community can continue.

As we seek healing, comfort and strength for ourselves and our loved ones…thank you for your help this year. Catholic Charities in our Northern California diocese and our parish rely on funds from the Appeal to respond with empathy and compassion to the men, women and families seeking help.

In the Peace of Christ,

Name

Position

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