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Most Reverend José H. Gomez Archbishop of Los Angeles President

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Reverend Chau J. Nguyen President Federation of Vietnamese Catholics in the USA P. O. Box 142545 Fayetteville, GA 30214

Dear Fr. Nguyen,

Thank you for your kind letter of January 17, 2020, by which you congratulated me upon my recent election as President of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. I am honored by the trust that my brother bishops have placed in me. I am especially grateful for your prayers on my behalf as I undertake this important work.

Allow me also to express my gratitude to you for your leadership in the Vietnamese Catholic community. My own Archdiocese of Los Angeles has benefited from the vibrant faith of tens of thousands of Vietnamese Catholics. Assuring you of prayers for continued blessings in your priestly ministry, I remain

Sincerely yours in our Lord,

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