



## Diocese of Palm Beach

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Next weekend, August 10/11, our Diocese will collect funds to support the Church in Latin America/Caribbean and the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. The proceeds will be split between these two initiatives to better serve those most in need.

The Diocese of Palm Beach is blessed by the presence of many faithful from Latin America and the Caribbean in numerous parishes. For more than 50 years, we have aided ministries, seminaries and formation programs throughout Central America and the Caribbean, and we are served by numerous priests from the area.

The Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa helps to renew faith, strengthen families, and support formation programs for clergy and religious. Giving to the Solidarity Fund supports the rapidly growing Church in Africa to joyfully live the merciful love of Jesus through its ministries to families, youth, and those living on the periphery of society.

Your generosity, as well as your prayers, makes a difference in countless lives.

With gratitude for your continued generosity and with every prayerful wish, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gerald M. Barbarito". The signature is written in a cursive style and includes a small cross symbol at the beginning.

Most Reverend Gerald M. Barbarito  
Bishop of Palm Beach