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Dear Friends United in Love of Christ and His Church:

How I miss celebrating mass with all of you in person! I hope our online offerings are as meaningful for you as they are for me. Knowing we are praying as community continues to sustain me through this difficult time of not being together as church.

With the heightened uncertainty regarding the COVID-19 virus and the governor's stay at home order to strengthen safety, I want to remind you that we have easy options in place now that you can use right where you are to support our parish and advance God's Kingdom.

Understanding completely the economic hardships pressing upon many, I also am deeply moved by those who are able and willing to support our parish in this hour of great need. For those able to help, we are simply letting you know of a few options available to you to continue to support the parish until we can once again physically come together as a family united in faith.

If you're most comfortable using your offertory envelopes, please mail them to the Parish office (5522 Dorr St, Toledo, OH 43615). Otherwise, Online Giving is conveniently available for you to make contributions to Little Flower. *I continue to use this as my preferred way to make my regular financial contributions.* This option makes use of current technology and security standards and allows you to easily set up recurring contributions. It also enables our church to take advantage of new tools to become more efficient.

Online Giving offers the following benefits:

- **Secure and confidential.** No need to share payment information with the church office.
- **Efficient.** Set up direct withdrawals from your checking, savings account or a credit card.
- **Simple.** Start, stop and change your contributions at any time.
- **Convenient.** No need to write a check or have cash available.
- **Remote flexibility.** You can give from virtually anywhere anytime.

If Online Giving is of interest to you, please visit our church website at www.littleflowertoledo.org and click on the word 'DONATE' in the upper right corner of your screen.

We have also introduced both Venmo and CashApp recently. For those with these options available to them, we can receive gifts: Venmo - @littleflowertoledo CashApp - \$littleflowertoledo. Please put in the memo line if your gift is for offertory, or another intention, such as SVdP.

If you have any questions, or need help with any of these options, please call Liz Stieber, Director of Finance & Operations, at 419.537.6655 x243, or email her at lstieber@littleflowertoledo.org. While our offices are currently closed due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, please leave a message. Our staff is working from home and receiving messages, so you will get a call back quickly.

Please continue to pray as one, united together seeking an end to the Pandemic, and for God's loving mercy and comfort to those who are sick or grieving.

In Jesus Through Mary,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Fr. Dave".

Fr. Dave Nuss, Pastor