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Your Eminence / Excellency,

Amidst the spiritual crisis in our culture, we continue to seek the intercession of Our Lady. Please join me in endorsing an amazing new resource for evangelization that we anticipate launching across America and beyond in the fall of 2017.

The Rosary Evangelization Apostolate, for whom I am Episcopal Advisor, is producing a compelling and captivating film, *Power In My Hands*, on the role of the rosary in bringing **hope** to the hearts of individuals, families, communities, throughout our nation and beyond. In this film, one will encounter Jesus Christ through the eyes and loving heart of Our Lady. The film promises to be creative, passionate, and positive, and provide hope to a culture which at times shows forth darkness. It will beautifully complement and enhance the fruit generated by the recent *Year of Mercy*, as well as advancing the call to the rosary in response to the 100th anniversary of Fatima.

The Rosary Evangelization Apostolate organized the 2014 and the 2015 National 54 Day Rosary Novenas, along with distribution of more than 1.4 million **Help America Pray the Rosary** free bumper stickers across our nation. We are thankful for the many Bishops who responded to those efforts. In fact, those National Novenas spread to many other countries. The bumper sticker campaign continues and you can access this resource for your diocese and parishes at www.helpamericapraytherosary.org. The Apostolate also assisted the Bishops of WI in organizing the Entrustment of all the Faithful of Wisconsin to Mary, Mother in Mercy in October of 2017.

This new film project will help bring about spiritual renewal in our nation through the maternal and powerful intercession of Our Lady. I ask you to prayerfully consider joining with me in endorsing this new film on the rosary. You will find more details about how to provide your endorsement in the enclosed letter from the Rosary Evangelization Apostolate.

Asking God's blessing upon you and those entrusted to your care, I am,

Fraternally yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Jerome E. Listecki
Archbishop of Milwaukee