
EMBRACING OUR MISSION



Diocese of San Diego

Office of the Bishop

October 15, 2007

Dear Friends:

Please accept this personal invitation, being extended to everyone in the Diocese of San Diego, to participate in a sacrificial giving campaign which we are calling *Embracing Our Mission*.

I need your help to cover the expense we incurred recently through compassionate outreach to our brothers and sisters who suffered sexual abuse within the family of the Church, so that we can continue, without serious jeopardy, the many other aspects of the mission entrusted to us by Christ.

The *Embracing Our Mission* campaign has a goal of \$25 million. This is the amount remaining after all available insurance and diocesan resources have been exhausted, not without what will be some painful consequences. A successful campaign will ensure keeping our Diocesan Pastoral Center and Saint Francis Seminary.

Please respond as generously as possible to *Embracing Our Mission* and be assured that I will be very grateful for whatever sacrifice you are able to make.

Sincerely in our Lord,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Robert H. Brown", preceded by a small cross symbol.

Bishop of San Diego