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Praise be to Jesus Christ! Niech będzie pochwalony Jezus Chrystus!

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Dear Friends,

Thank you for your participation in the Catholic League for Religious Assistance to Poland and Polonia endeavors. It gives me joy to share with you that the **Liga**, in this fifth year, will award eighteen prestigious scholarships to qualified college students of Polonia for the academic year of 2022-2023.

As the Catholic community of Polonia, we must ensure that our young people will have an excellent opportunity for education and Christian and human formation to become leaders in our parishes, in Polonia, and in our country. Thus far 46 scholarships have been awarded, with the recipients being educated and formed. Thanks to the efforts of people like you and the **Liga**, each qualified student receives a \$5,000 annual renewable scholarship in addition to formational expenses. Thus far, \$250,000 has been awarded in scholarships and formational funds.

The Scholarship and Formation Committee, consisting of accomplished educators, faithful leaders of Polonia, as well as carefully chosen formators, has been entrusted to make this new endeavor fruitful.

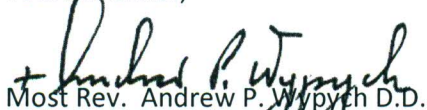
You are a very crucial part of this venture. Therefore, I ask for your help and collaboration. Please publish notices in your Parish Bulletin and other social media outlets. The Scholarship and Formation Committee and I have prepared special announcements for Polonia in both Polish and English. The announcements are also available on our website listed at the bottom of this letter. Please share these announcements with your friends and others so they can also encourage any possible applicants.

One of the fundamental qualifications is that the applicant must be participating actively in their parish's ministries and in Polonia organizations that partner with Liga.

Please help the Catholic League for Religious Assistance to Poland and Polonia to influence the lives of families and college students. We want to reach out to as many families as possible with this message and also make them aware how important is their active participation in the life of their parish and organizations of Polonia.

As always, I entrust to our patroness, Our Lady of Czestochowa, and the intercession of St. John Paul the Great, our common efforts to transform and spiritually enrich the people of faith in our communities. May the Blessed Mother of God intercede for us to her Son, to bless us with gifts of strong faith, pride of our heritage, and humble gratitude for the legacy of centuries of Polish priests, patriots, and devoted people of Polonia and their organizations who continue to do all for the greater glory of God and for a better human society. May St John Paul the Great inspire our youth to reach for higher education and moral goals. I continue to thank you for your attention and for your generosity.

Yours in Christ,



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