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Ave Maria

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Cardinals/Archbishops/Bishops of the United States of America

Your Excellency/Eminence,

Greetings and a blessed day to you from Archbishop Jerome Listecki of Milwaukee and the Rosary Evangelization Apostolate.

As Archbishop Jerome Listecki noted in his cover letter, the Rosary Evangelization Apostolate and a number of noteworthy organizations are launching a National 54 Day Rosary Novena for peace and the family with a special focus on human life, marriage and religious freedom. This effort will complement and supplement our *Help America Pray the Rosary* free bumper sticker campaign which we corresponded with you in early June and which continues to be active across the nation due to the interest of many Bishops. We have now launched www.HelpAmericaPraytheRosary.org website in response to the enthusiasm received from across America.

The National Rosary Novena will launch on September 29, 2014 and conclude on November 21. We simply are asking for the faithful across America to turn to Our Lady to intercede in a powerful yet motherly manner while we pray with her during this Novena for the special intentions noted above. Would you kindly encourage the faithful under your care to participate in this urgent time of prayer. We leave this proposal to your initiative of how best to make it known and promoted. We thank you for your prayerful consideration.

This Novena will offer a message of hope amidst the spiritual crisis in our culture and nation. We are in need of our Lady to bring the people to encounter Jesus Christ Who is the solution.

Partnering organizations include: The Rosary Evangelization Apostolate, Wisconsin Knights of Columbus, Lighthouse Catholic Media, Relevant Radio, Schoenstatt Rosary Campaign and the World Apostolate of Fatima USA. These and others are noted on the Rosary Novena website www.54days.org which has complete information and resources which can be utilized such as parish bulletin announcements and notices which can be inserted into newsletters and websites.

We entrust this Novena to Our Lady of the Rosary with complete trust that she will intercede for America. You certainly remain in our daily prayers. Please remember us in your prayers.

To Jesus through Mary and St. Joseph,

Dick and Terry Boldin

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