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We make our own the words of St. Paul, writing to the early Church on behalf of the poor of Christ, when he says:

“As you are rich in everything—faith, eloquence, understanding, concern for everything, and love for us too—then make sure that you excel in this work of generosity too. I am not saying this as an order, but testing the genuineness of your love against the concern of others. You are well aware of the generosity which our Lord Jesus Christ had, that, although he was rich, he became poor for your sake, so that you should become rich through his poverty. . . . As scripture says: ‘To the needy he gave without stint, his uprightness stands firm forever.’ The one who so freely provides seed for the sower and food to eat will provide you with ample store of seed for sowing and make the harvest of your uprightness a bigger one: you will be rich enough in every way for every kind of generosity that makes people thank God for what we have done” (2Co 8:7-9, 9:9-11).

Our mission is to proclaim Christ and His love for His Bride the Church.

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