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Blessings to our Priests, Office Bearers and members of the Fund-raising Committee of our Diocese,

Dearly Beloved,

I am glad to know that the raffle fund raising is progressing in majority of our parishes. As we had announced earlier, the draw of the raffle tickets will be conducted on Saturday, 18th February 2017. Since we are nearing the final draw date I request all our clergy and raffle fundraising committee members to intensify the sale of the raffles so that we may achieve our targeted amount.

The collected amount along with the counter foils should be sent to the diocesan office in a prompt manner. Since a lot of clerical work is required for the closing of the fundraiser, I ask all our parishes and committee members to please cooperate with the diocesan office. We have to wind up the raffle fundraising program by 20th January 2017. Please bear in mind that, this is one of our major fundraisers for our diocese and it is only with your support and prayers that we will be able to achieve our goal for the growth of our church here in the United States.

Your Shepherd in Christ,

Metropolitan Alexios Mar Eusebius