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OFFICE OF  
PASTORAL CARE SERVICES

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Your Reverence:

Peace be with you!

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Imus together with the De La Salle University Medical Center in the City of Dasmarinas Cavite created the Office of Pastoral Care Services to provide the spiritual needs of the patients of the hospital as well as in the 23 hospitals within the jurisdiction of the Diocese. We chose **SAINT KATERI TEKAKWITHA** as one of our heavenly intercessors as we believe in her advocacy and vocation to be a disciple of Jesus especially the poor and the infirm in the spirit of Christian service

To further promote God's mercy to all by means of our devotion to her, to ask her intercession for the sake of our patients, to have a chance to experience her presence, and to strengthen our pastoral care programs and activities, we humbly ask your venerable congregation to help us/provide us a small piece of her relic to be placed at the St. John Paul II Hospital Chapel in which we are blessed with the permission to reserve the Blessed Sacrament, which is, of course, the source and summit of holiness. We believe that her earthly remains will deepen our patients' spiritual closeness to God through her.

We would like to apologize that we may not be able to personally obtain her relics because of the distance of our country, the airfreight expenses that we will incur and the urgent need for me to stay here in the Philippines to provide pastoral care to patients. We realize that our patients who are unable to visit their shrine may be blessed by her relics stationed in our modest chapel. We assure you, your reverence that the relic will be treated with utmost respect and dignity in accordance with the Holy Mother, the Church.

Again, we humbly ask your reverence to help us obtain a piece of relic of our dear **SAINT KATERI TEKAKWITHA**.

Your kind consideration on this matter is gratefully appreciated.

In St. La Salle,

  
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First Anniversary of the Canonization of St. John XXIII and St. John Paul II*