Dear Patrons of the Blessed Margaret of Castello Guild and Shrine,

May God bless you through the intercession of Little Margaret!

We all have our favorite stories about Blessed Margaret. Perhaps it is an event from her life that we remember from her biography, but more often it is a case of experiencing Margaret's powerful intercession. As for me, my favorite moments are when people bring their little children to the Shrine and ask me to bless them with the reliquary containing the relic from her incorrupt heart. How I can feel her love for the little ones!

Sometimes there are miracles. They are not always the ones we hoped for, nor are they always healings. However, Bl. Margaret so frequently makes herself known.

I know that you, the members of her Guild, are always anxious to hear news about Little Margaret's canonization process. We still await a certifiable miracle. The Church is careful with these matters and I am sure that God in His Providence is waiting for the time when the world needs to hear her virtues proclaimed loudly and clearly. I imagine that you agree with me that the times we live in seem hungry for her witness. Let us pray together that the time for her canonization is now.

Previously I had mentioned a promising miracle from the year 2005. Please keep this intention in your prayers. Due to legal proceedings that followed the accident related to this miracle, the medical records are sealed. I cannot say much about it, but if our prayers are answered, it is a miracle that would astound the world.

Every year at this time I ask you to donate to the good works conducted here at the Blessed Margaret of Castello Shrine, both our charities and our support of her canonization. Thank you again for your generous support and your continued prayers.

God bless you!

In our Lord, our Lady, and Blessed Margaret,

Rev. Michael Mary Dosch, O.P.

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