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**DIOCESE OF SAN JOSE - BISHOP OSCAR CANTU'S RENEWAL OF
CONSECRATION TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY OF OUR DIOCESE**

Presider:

When our Risen Lord appeared to his disciples on Easter Sunday he said: “Peace be with you.” We can be confident that he desires this same peace for all the members of his body, the Church, and for the people of the entire world.

In this difficult time we turn to the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church and Queen of Peace, to ask that she intercede with her Son for all those who are affected in any way by this pandemic. As we renew the consecration of our country and of ourselves to the Mother of the God, we implore her maternal care for her children.

With the love of a Mother and Handmaid, embrace this diocese which we entrust and consecrate once again to you, together with ourselves and our families.

In a special way we commend to you those particularly in need of your maternal care.

English: Mary, Health of the Sick,
sign of health, of healing, and of divine hope for the sick,
we entrust to you all who are infected with the coronavirus.

Spanish: María, Madre de la Consolación, que consuelas con amor maternal a quienes recurren a ti, te encomendamos a todos los que han perdido a seres queridos en la pandemia.

Vietnamese: Mary, Help of Christians,
who come to our rescue in every trial,
we entrust to your loving protection all caregivers.



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English: Mary, Queen and Mother of Mercy,
who embrace all those who call upon your help in their distress,
we entrust to you all who are suffering in any way from the pandemic.

Spanish: María, Trono de la Sabiduría, admirablemente iluminada por el
esplendor de la verdad, te encomendamos a todos los que
trabajan para encontrar un remedio para esta pandemia.

Vietnamese: Mary, Mother of Good Counsel,
who gave yourself wholeheartedly to God's plan for the renewing of all things in
Christ, we entrust to you all leaders and policy makers.

English: Mary, Herald of Hope,
Accept with the benevolence of a Mother
the act of consecration that we make today with confidence,
and help us to be your Son's instruments
for the healing and salvation of our country and the world.

Spanish: María, Madre de la Iglesia, coronada como reina a la
diestra de tu Hijo, rogamos tu intercesión por las necesidades de
nuestra nación: que todo deseo de bien quede bendecido y fortalecido,
la fe reavivada y alimentada, la esperanza sostenida e iluminada,
la caridad suscitada y animada. Y guíanos a todos por el camino de la santidad.

Vietnamese: Mary our Mother,
bring everyone under your protection
and entrust everyone to your beloved Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pause.



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As we conclude this consecration, we ask the blessing of Almighty God:

Let us pray.

Bestow the grace of your kindness
upon your supplicant people, O Lord,
that, formed by you, their creator,
and restored by you, their sustainer,
through your constant action they may be saved.

R. Amen.