



## Holy Childhood Association

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Pontifical Mission  
Societies

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The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

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Greetings in Christ:

BC = Before Covid

In my 2018 letter (that was BC), I noted that \$65, 718.25 had been received by Holy Childhood the previous year from the parishes and schools in the Diocese of Calgary.

This past year the sum, Because of Covid, was about one-tenth that – tithing in the wrong direction!

But the needs of children throughout the world have not dropped by 90%. Indeed, they have increased.

The Cross of Jesus is an invitation to help children in need who are struggling under their crosses.

The Holy Childhood is the Pope's own missionary work for children. That is to say, it is a Pontifical Society. This year children and teenagers are being invited to answer the question, "What does Missionary Childhood and Adolescence mean for me in terms of being a Society of the Pope?", with a drawing accompanied by a brief caption of one's work and the meaning of Pontifical. The hundreds, maybe the thousands, of such entries are to be sent, not to me, but to the National office, 2219 Kennedy Road, Toronto, ON. M1T 3G5.

This year, children in Canada have the opportunity to help children in:

- India
- Nigeria
- Tanzania
- Thailand

If you would like ALMS BOXES (perhaps for use at Hallowe'en), prayer cards, or educational matter, please telephone TOLL FREE the National office in Toronto (1-800-897-8865).

*Many, many thanks for the  
very fine support from  
Oktoks and Black Diamond.  
B.H.*

Gratefully in Christ Jesus,

*Brian F. Hubka*

Reverend Brian F. Hubka,  
on behalf of the Holy Childhood