

January 16, 2020

Mike Parson, Governor  
P.O. Box 720  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Dear Governor Mike Parson,

I hope you will experience many blessings during this new year. I and my community, the Sisters of the Most Precious Blood of O'Fallon MO and our Partners in Mission, have had a focus on immigrants and refugees the past two years.

We are very pleased to read that you have decided to continue accepting refugees in Missouri in response to the President's September Executive Order. Missouri has many refugees and immigrants who are a blessing to us and vital contributors to our churches, neighborhoods and cities.

Many of our sisters have ministered with immigrants and refugees in the St. Louis Archdiocese and the Jefferson City Diocese. During these past two years, we have been working with agencies in St. Louis who resettle and provide services to immigrants and refugees to learn more about how we can be supportive and welcoming to our new neighbors. We support you and thank you for your decision.

Gratefully,

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