

St. Louis Catholic Church

Francis and Carroll Kitzmiller

November 5, 2013

Dear Fran and Carroll,

The St. Louis Pastoral Council wishes to express its deepest thanks and gratitude for your faithful service and steadfast commitment to the St. Louis Parish and needy families of Howard County.

During your many years at St. Louis you have been faith-filled dedicated parishioners and disciples of Christ. Everything you do is based on the foundation of your deep Catholic Faith and your unconditional willingness to do what Jesus asked us to do: to care for the poorest of the poor.

For the past several decades, you have beautifully integrated your lives and witness with Christ's teachings by faithfully attending daily Mass and devotedly serving our Parish and community. Your contributions to the Clarksville Picnic and to each year's planning and facility management activities, as well as your leadership in serving the poor through your involvement with FISH and by organizing food collections for FISH, the Franciscan Center, and My Brother's Keeper have been exemplary and greatly appreciated.

"He said to him, 'What is written in the law? How do you read?' 27 And he answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.' 28 And he said to him, 'You have answered right; do this, and you will live.'"

(Luke 10:26-28)

We again thank you for all you have done for St. Louis and the needy families of Howard County over the years and for all the many gifts you have shared. May God abundantly bless you and those you love.

*With sincerest appreciation
St. Louis Pastoral Council*

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