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Dear Friends,

As we approach the Wesley Woods Mother's Day offering for 2023, I invite you to *Cherish Every MOMent*. On May 14, congregations across North Georgia will join in this special offering to remember our mothers and other significant adults who have shaped our lives in positive ways. Wesley Woods depends on your generosity to serve more than 1,800 older adults every year. Some have outlived their financial resources and require help to receive higher levels of care. Over 40% of Wesley Woods residents live below the poverty line. The needs continue to grow, so the offering is critical!

I have shared with some of you my love for ministry with seniors. Our ministry with older adults expressed through Wesley Woods is one in which we take pride. Here people are living independently longer, enjoying a higher quality of life, and receiving essential care.

Through your offering, you make these desirable outcomes possible. Please receive the Mother's Day offering on May 14 (or as soon as possible). As we *Cherish Every MOMent*, let's expand our love and care for our mothers and other significant adults into love and care for grateful seniors. You have been generous in the past and I thank you. I also urge you to remember that in this time of inflation the needs have grown exponentially, and you are needed now more than ever.

Sincerely,

Bishop Robin Dease
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