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**Dear Friends**

**Peace and Blessings in the Lord**

**I hasten to write in order to thank you for your letter of 29<sup>th</sup> August 2009.**

**I wish also, at this time, to thank Engaged Encounter for its presence and work here particularly in the Archdiocese of Cape Town.**

**I have been greatly consoled by the many couples who on returning from their weekends report on the experience and the great value they derived on those weekends.**

**I want you to know that as the Archbishop of Cape Town I fully support Engaged Encounter and I pray that many more could benefit from the ministry you render. I pray especially that more of the local clergy (priests and deacons) would become involved in this apostolate of service – service to the Lord – to the Church and to God's people.**

**I carry you all in my heart and my prayers.**

**Yours sincerely in Christ,**



**+Lawrence Henry  
Archbishop of Cape Town**

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