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Greetings My Sister's in Christ,

I wish you all a Happy, Blessed, Healthy and Joyful New Year!

My name is Angela Saliby and I attend St. George Church in Washington, D.C. On June 29, 2017, at the Parish Life Conference in Morristown, New Jersey, hosted by St. George Church of Little Falls, I was elected as the new Vice President for the Antiochian Women of the East, also known as AWE. I am looking forward to serving our diocese, and getting to know you all better.

Each year the Antiochian Women of our Archdiocese are given a project by our Metropolitan. This year at the 53rd Biennial Convention in Miami, His Eminence, Metropolitan Joseph, announced the North American Board (NAB) Project for the 2017-2018 year which will focus on *Vocations*, strengthening the Ministries of the Church.

Vocation is defined as "a strong feeling of suitability for a particular career or occupation: a calling, mission or purpose". We, the Antiochian Women, dedicate our lives to vocations in many ways: loving our families, helping in our parishes, and contributing to our dioceses. I am grateful to say that last year's 2016-2017 Project for the AWE raised \$28,000. I thank you all for your love and support.

Today I reach out to you again for your continued support of our Project to strengthen the many Ministries of the Church: ordained ministry, service ministry, youth ministry, teaching ministry, music ministry, monastic ministry and administration ministry. God willing, I pray with the help of all the women of our diocese, we continue to raise funds for this years' project.

Please use the attached form to send your Project Funds to our AWE Treasurer, Khouria Rima Zafaran; the project funds are due to her by May 1, 2018.

Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions, concerns, suggestions and ideas. I would love to hear from you. I can be reached at asaliby@aol.com or 703-582-4232.

Yours in Christ,

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