

I hold you to be the co-workers of God himself for the support and comfort of the weak and failing members of the ineffable body of Christ. St. Clare

Dear Friends,

In the last few months because of the corona virus, we have learned not to take anyone or what they do for granted. As we celebrate this Labor Day, we are especially conscious of all those who risk their own health and safety as they care for others during this critical time.

Recently our language has included the phrase "essential workers". In the past, this was often limited to those who served in professional capacities. In 2020, we have learned we are all essential to our brothers and sisters both in what we do and in our presence. Many of the saints have pointed out to us that nothing is small when done with love. As we gather for prayer several times each day, we hold all of you in our prayer.

Your presence in our life is essential. Your support helps us to continue our ministry of prayer. But even more important is your being co-workers with us in supporting others by your prayers, kind words and deeds. May the Holy Spirit guide us all as we work together to bring healing and peace to our suffering world.

With our love and prayers,

*Sister Carolyn*

Sr. Carolyn Forgette, osc and all your Poor Clare Sisters