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Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Peace and all good!

At our IFC-TOR Council meeting, we discussed your input from the General Assembly in May, 2017. You have indicated that you like the way *Propositum* is being done and we thank you for the contributions that have been made: in the past four years, 70 Sisters and Brothers have contributed an article to one of the ten issues. We are grateful for your sharing.

We will continue to deepen in the four pillars of the Third Order Rule. We will include expert input with each issue, as well as the lived-experience contributions as before. For 2020, there will be two issues, both will have input from Sr. Christina Mülling OSF, who is the Director of INFAG of Germany.

For *Propositum* 2020

- a. **Conversion** **Due: March 1, 2020**
- b. **Incarnation** **Due: September 1, 2020**

We would like the sisters or brothers of their congregations to tell how they are giving witness to these aspects of the Third Order Charism in their lives. The articles should be submitted electronically to the General Secretary to be translated and prepared for the website. We are asking for articles about a half page (500 words), accompanied or not by a photo. For congregations without Internet access, paper copies can be provided if requested.

Please send your contributions about conversion for *Propositum* to Sr. Margherita Merlino, the General Secretary, at her email: secretary@ifc-tor.org by **March 1, 2020**. Please give the name, congregation, country and language of the sister or brother who wrote the article.

We look forward to your sharing with us again in this website format for *Propositum*. We see it as a way of mutual inspiration and challenge in fully living the Franciscan charism. We see it also as a means for all the brothers and sisters to have access through the Internet to our collective wisdom.

Wishing you peace and every good in the journey ahead,

Sr. Deborah LOCKWOOD, President IFC-TOR
Sr. M. Magdalena SCHMITZ, Vice-President
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