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To: His Grace Bishop Andriy,

To: the Rt. Rev. Mitred Archpriest Dr. Roman Bozyk, Acting Principal and Dean of Theology at St. Andrew's College, and to all the members of the Board of Directors, Faculty, Staff, students, members, alumni, and friends and supporters of our St. Andrew's College, and

To: the Reverend Fathers, Brothers, Sisters and all members of our UOCC parishes in Toronto and Edmonton, who carry the patron name of St. Andrew the Apostle, and

To all who carry the name Andriy, and to all people of good will honouring the Holy First-called Apostle Andrew who first brought the saving Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ to the lands of Rus'-Ukraine almost two thousand years ago ...

Slava Bohu! Glory be to God!

In the "Magnification" (Величання) for this feast-day, we proclaim (and are called to,) in magnifying the Holy Glorious Apostle Andrew, to also honour his sufferings and labour to spread the Gospel of Christ.

With the blessing of His Grace Bishop Ilarion, Locum Tenens of the Metropolitan Cathedral of the UOCC:

We sincerely greet you, Your Grace, Bishop Andriy on this – your namesday. May God grant you many blessed years! На Многі та Благії Літа, Владико!

We sincerely greet you, dear Father Roman, and all of "us" in any way connected to or associated with St. Andrew's College on this "Patronal Feast-day." May we all continue to heed the Holy Apostle Andrew's original call: "Come, we have found the desired One," and respond joyously in following St. Andrew's example to live, to learn, to grow, and to always call others to Gospel of Our Lord! May God grant "us" all who work for the welfare of our St. Andrew's College many blessed years!

We sincerely greet you, dorohi otsi, in Toronto and in Edmonton, having celebrated your parish feast-days, and all members and friends of the St. Andrew's parishes – Бажаємо Многих та Благих Літ! May God grant you all many blessed years of continued service in following St. Andrew's example!

And to all the rest of "us" – as we sang and prayed in the "Troparion" to St. Andrew – let us fervently ask "O Andrew, entreat the Master of all, that He grant peace (to the whole world,) and great mercy to our souls."

Here's wishing and praying everyone a Blessed conclusion to this St. Andrew's Day, and a blessed continuing St. Phillip's Fast (Pylypivka.)

For the Presidium of the Consistory Board,

(прот.) Тарас Удод, г.п.к. / (fr.) Taras Udod, Chancellor