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TO OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST  
Pastor, Officers and  
Members  
of  
UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH of BALTIMORE

Fellow Pilgrims,

Hail and Godspeed as you approach and prepare to pass a great  
One Hundreth Milestone on the pilgrimage we share called Life in Christ.

We note the published record of your fruitful bng journey thus far.  
Who can really assess the worth of hopes, dreams, ideals, consolations,  
values, judgments, directions and healings which have been received and  
transmitted through you all and the Lord's Army of the Faithful who  
have marched before you?

We also look with admiration at evidence of your desire and  
determination to go on marching for the Gospel of Love and Peace and  
Justice and Fulfillment in this Life and World - God's bountiful gift  
to all members of this Planet's one family.

I regret that a pastoral ministry related to my new, experimental  
role as a minister and missionary to the secular and disenchanted people  
of our city will prevent us from being with you on the Community Night,  
but we hope to come to some other part of your important celebration.

Heartily yours in the journey and the victory,

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