

Seraphic Mass Association

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Dear Clayton,

Peace and greetings in the Lord!

I am always happy when people send offerings for Masses because the greater part of the world's priests (and many in contemporary society as well) still draw their own support from Mass offerings. Because of the importance and holiness invested in it by Christ Himself, the Eucharist (or Mass) is the chief act of worship in the Catholic Church. "The repeated celebration of the sacrifice of the Mass in our worshiping communities stands as evidence that the Mass is the center of the Church's entire life, the focal point of all other activities." (Documents on the Liturgy)

The Masses you requested for God's Will in Tom Cruise's life will be taken care of promptly and a Mass card has been forwarded as directed. I will include your intentions for Tom in my prayers to our Heavenly Father. May he always be aware of His endless love for him and may He grant your every petition for Tom and keep him in His loving care.

There is no doubt in my mind that God will bless you for supporting the missions and I extend to you my own priestly blessing and promise of a special remembrance in my daily prayers.

Gratefully yours in St. Francis,

Fr. Francis Fugini, O.F.M.Cap.