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TO : THE THOMASIAN COMMUNITY
FROM : OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
RE : PRAYER FOR PEACE AND TOLLING OF CHURCH BELLS
DATE : 25 FEBRUARY 2022

The University, together with the Santísimo Rosario Parish-UST, joins the Archdiocese of Manila in **prayer with the tolling of our church bells¹**, today, **25 February 2022** (Friday) at **12:00 noon** and **8:00 in the evening**, “in commemoration of the EDSA People Power Revolution, and in gratitude to the Lord for the gift of achieving change through prayer, love of country and peaceful means.”

As we pray for our nation, let this also be an expression of our solidarity with the people of Ukraine. His Holiness Pope Francis appeals “to those with political responsibilities to make a serious examination of conscience before God, who is the God of peace and not of war, the Father of all, not just of some, who wants us to be brothers and not enemies.”²

As one Thomasian community, let us heed the Pope’s appeal and pause in prayer for peace in the aforementioned designated time.

Kyrie Eleison (Lord, have mercy).

Mary, Queen of Peace, pray for us.


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Secretary-General

¹ <https://bit.ly/RCAMChurchBells25Feb2022>

² Pope Francis, *Twitter*, @Pontifex, 23 February 2022.