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*in support of Pilgrimage of Hope*

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I respect and admire the ethos and undertaking of the Pilgrimage of Hope.

Through your teachings, and with the example of Mother Theresa and the Missionaries of Charity Sisters, you offer young Australians practical and spiritual pathways to a meaningful life of faith, hope and love. You connect youthful energy, compassion and optimism with suffering and desperation, and in doing so, create opportunities for healing and happiness.

I give my greatest encouragement to your efforts with young people. Their awareness of themselves, their neighbours and the world's diverse cultures and challenges, and their capacity to live and work alongside others in communities at home and overseas are vital to building a healthy and peaceful global future.

*Quentin Bryce*

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