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PLEASE CONSIDER MAKING A GIFT so that our retired church workers can receive this much-needed assistance. Veterans of the Cross is funded by donor-designated contributions as well as by income from a special endowment fund that was established by the Lutheran Laymen’s League in 1920.

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The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod
Attn: Veterans of the Cross
P.O. Box 66861
St. Louis, MO 63166-6861

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