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Dear Dennis!

Before Saturday, but especially since the most enlightening presentation you gave us at the faculty retreat on the Divinity School's financial relationship to the University, I wanted to make a minute contribution for our purchase of maps. Clara didn't bat an eye when I asked if we could buy a \$393.00 set of maps for classroom use, and with the generous spirit of the Divinity School, said we would see what we could do.

On reflection, I was presumptuous. The Divinity School faculty all have needs to assist their course instruction. I believe maps are a crucial item for a course in Church History (and, indeed, contribute to a sense of "globalization" at the most basic level), but I am actually delighted to make any contribution, such a wealth of riches have come to me already since joining the Divinity School.

Since all of the faculty contribute so much in terms of their time and energy to committee work, the very least I can do before I get to know the ropes and become more involved on committees is to give something financially.

Saturday made me aware, again, of how privileged I am to be part of the Divinity School faculty. Thank you for bringing me here, and thank you for the beautiful spirit of mutual respect, friendship, humor, and self-giving without complaint I have observed among our body under your leadership.

Warmest regards,

