



Who is a Christian disciple?

One who responds to Christ's call, follows Jesus, and shapes his or her life in imitation of Christ's.

Who is a Christian steward?

One who receives God's gifts gratefully, cherishes and tends them in a responsible and accountable manner, shares them in justice and love with others, and returns them with increase to the Lord."

From Stewardship: A Disciple's Response

How Can I Give?

There are many ways that you can give to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. Please consider the following options when making your gift this year:

Cash Gifts: Checks should be made payable to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. Your pledge to the annual appeal is tax deductible and can be paid through May 31.

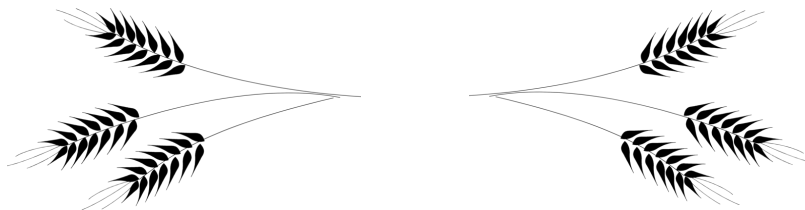
Credit Card: You may use your MasterCard, Visa, or Discover card to make a gift to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. Information on how to complete your credit card gift is on the back of your pledge card.

Electronic Funds Transfer: You can also support the Catholic Ministries Appeal by directly debiting your gift from your checking or savings account. For information, please see the back of your pledge card.

Online Giving: You may also donate online by logging on to our website at www.dor.org and clicking on "Donate" at the top of the homepage. Your confidential gift information will be transmitted via a secure server.

Gifts of Securities: A gift of appreciated securities is one way to make a significant contribution at a reduced cost to you. To make a gift of stock, please contact the Office of Stewardship, Development & Communications at (585) 328-3228, x-1326.

Please remember that your gift to the Catholic Ministries Appeal will be credited to your parish's campaign goal.



How did we do in the 2016-17 Catholic Ministries Appeal compared to the diocesan average?

- 382 of our parish households participated, which is 22.21% participation rate (compared to the 28% diocesan average).

Last year, we had 66 new donors from our parish.

- The average household contribution from our parish was \$270.47 (compared to the \$227 diocesan average).