

A CAPITAL CAMPAIGN for ST. ELIZABETH CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

FORWARD IN FAITH

Dear Informal Name,

For over 100 years, many have found Saint Elizabeth parish to be their spiritual home and our community their spiritual family. Many sacrificed, as you do, to lay the foundation for our parish community. We are grateful for you and all those in legacy of our parish, especially for your generosity, which has helped grow the faith of so many.

In my previous letter, I shared that we would be embarking on a Capital Campaign, entitled *Forward in Faith;* to better accommodate the numerous needs that our current building cannot fulfill for our youth or ministries. Ultimately, this campaign is to address our parish needs so that we can step boldly into the future as we continue to live out our mission.

Please carefully review the information included in this packet, as it outlines many details of the campaign. The decision for this Capital Campaign has not come quickly or easily, but through much thought, deliberation and prayer.

I am immensely grateful for your great love for and dedication to our parish, and how you have been supportive of our mission in the past. In times of need, you have graciously accepted the challenge and responded in a planned, proportionate, and sacrificial way with your gifts. Thank you for your witness, which continues to inspire many. Now, we are asking you to help as a leader and a catalyst in the campaign.

I invite you to prayerfully consider and respond with a gift of (\$00.00) this year, followed by a gift of (\$00.00) each year for the next five years, for a total of (\$00.00). The decision of what to give is ultimately up to you. This amount may be too little, or perhaps a bit too much, yet I am gratefully asking you to please pray about your gift and discern how you might best support our parish. Please then return your pledge card to our parish office. Even if you cannot make a pledge, I'd be very happy to hear from you. Please write me a note on the card and return it to me. You have my total assurance that your communication will be confidential.

I welcome any questions you may have and look forward to hearing from you. Please know that I will keep you and your loved ones in my prayers. May God continue to bless you and your family.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Father Jim McClintock

Pastor