



Fast Facts

What is Growing Together - United in Faith?

It is a parish capital campaign to raise \$1M in pledges to be paid out over the next 3 years.

What will the campaign funds be used for?

- \$750,000 to be allocated towards
 - Renovating the Parish Kitchen
 - Upgrading the Outdoor Patio Area
 - Repairing the Parking lot
- \$253,500 - Obligation towards the diocesan United in Faith Capital Campaign, includes 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal of \$47,000

Can these funds be used for anything outside the campaign?

The campaign funds are legally restricted to be used ONLY for the campaign case elements.

They cannot be used for alternative projects, lawsuits, debt, etc.

What is the diocesan support going towards?

The diocesan support will fulfill our obligation to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal. The remaining funds will be used to contribute to the diocesan United in Faith capital campaign, which is raising funds to establish endowments for Seminarian Education, Diaconate Education, Priest Retirement, and Youth, College, & Young Adult Ministry. The endowments will be professionally managed by The Catholic Foundation of West Tennessee to provide oversight and accountability of funds raised. If you would like to learn more, please visit unitedinfaithcampaign.org

How will you get the message out to our parish?

We are running a series of informational receptions October 17-24, there are three times to choose from, so please come to one! There will also be an informal Q&A after the 10:30 am Mass on October 24th. You will also hear about the campaign at Mass, via Flocknote, Facebook, and the bulletin. All written campaign materials are bilingual. There will be a Spanish reception on Sunday, October 23rd following the 2pm Mass. Be on the lookout for an invitation in the mail!

How can I help with the Growing Together - United in Faith campaign?

PRAY. Please pray for our success and perseverance! Sign up to volunteer. There will be volunteer cards available in the pews at Mass the weekend of September 24/25. Finally, make your gift early to help build momentum.

What sort of gifts are you looking for?

We are asking for a sacrificial gift, payable over the next 3 years. All gifts of all sizes are welcome and important. Remember these gifts are above and beyond your regular offertory.

How do I make my gift?

Gifts may be made on the paper pledge card or through our normal parish online giving portal, just be sure to enter your gift into the “Growing Together - United in Faith” line item.

Can I use my IRA or Stocks to make a gift?

Yes, using your RMDs from an IRA is a great way to make a tax beneficial gift. Gifts of stock can be beneficial as well. To initiate a stock/IRA gift, please contact Jim Marconi at the diocese (jim.marconi@cc.cdom.org)

I have questions or reservations. Who should I speak with?

If you still have questions or reservations after attending a reception, please contact Father José, Sydney Isom (Campaign Director, growingtogetherunitedinfaith@gmail.com), or campaign committee members.