



## Campaign Progress



The Family of Faith campaign is concluding 2015 with one of its biggest weeks—\$4 million raised in the past week alone. Overall the campaign has raised gifts and pledges of **\$144.8 million**. This is a tremendous achievement! Congratulations to all pastors and parish campaign volunteers who have been working so very hard on their campaigns.

Collectively, the 42 Wave 4 parishes conducting standard campaigns have now raised **\$13.2 million** or **74%** of the wave's \$17.9 million goal.

Reminder... the next edition of Family Update will be produced for January 5, 2016.

Merry Christmas from all the staff in the Family of Faith Campaign Office.

## Year-end Reminders

**Attention Pastors and Parish office staff:** Please see the last page attachment of this week's edition of Family Update for important information about year-end donation processing procedures.

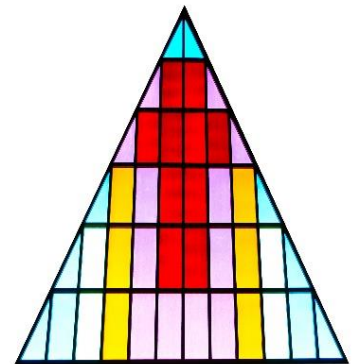
## Wave 4 Parish Updates

**St. Bonaventure's Parish, Toronto:** Fr. Stachurski and parish campaign volunteers are delighted that parishioners pledged over \$131,000 in support this past wee! This is due to the hard work of all the people who are involved in helping to make the campaign a success. Thank you for making this happen!

**Holy Spirit Parish, Barrie:** Congratulations to all the parishioners who have pledged their support and to the campaign team for reaching and surpassing the parish goal! Parishioners continue to bring in new pledges and there remains much potential.

**St. Joseph Parish, West Hill:** Congratulations to all the volunteers at the parish who completed 100 phone calls in the last two weeks.

**Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Scarborough:** Fr. Tammearu has led his parish to achieve over \$200,000, which is 127% of the parish goal. Well done!



Stained glass window above altar at St. Bonaventure church in Toronto.

**Epiphany of Our Lord Parish, Scarborough:** Congratulations to Fr. Varghese his team of volunteers who ran a hugely successful Commitment Weekend and raised \$300,000 this past week!

**St. Barnabas Parish, Scarborough:** Fr. Park continues to make solid progress with the parish campaign now 75% of its goal. The team looks forward to Commitment Weekend Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>.

**St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Richmond Hill:** Incredible work all around! Congratulations on over \$1.4 million raised; 170% of goal!

**St. Agnes Parish, Toronto:** The parish has reached 70% of its goal. Father Garcia is working hard to close more gifts so that the parish can successfully complete its campaign early in the new year.

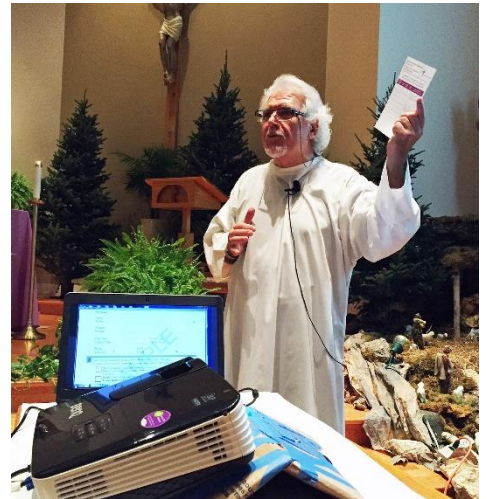
**St. Anthony's Parish, Toronto:** Father Escobar extensively trained volunteers, ushers and speakers for the Commitment Weekend on December 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>. The team is looking forward to the results of its efforts!

**Immaculate Conception Parish, Toronto:** Congratulations to Fr. Pais and his committee for concluding a successful Commitment Weekend.

**St. John's Parish Parish, Toronto:** The hard work put in by Fr. Newton and his dedicated Campaign Executive Committee (CEC) members resulted in a highly successful Commitment Weekend. The parish has exceeded its goal of \$410,000 and have reached \$484,000 or 118% of goal. Congratulations to Fr. Newton, the CEC team, the campaign volunteers and the parishioners of St. John's!

**St. Leo the Great Parish, Brooklin:** Congratulations to Fr. Forget and the entire parish community on an incredibly successful Commitment Weekend. As a result of the generosity of parishioners and the hard work of Fr. Forget and the CEC the parish has surpassed 200% of its campaign goal. Work is now underway by the committee to follow-up on Commitment Weekend pledges.

**St. John of the Cross Parish, Mississauga:** The parish continues to build momentum raising a further \$67,000 in pledges this past week, bringing the campaign total to \$340,420. Work continues to reach out to parishioners in advance of the Phone-a-thon that is scheduled for the beginning of the new year. Keep up the great work!



**St. Sebastian's Parish, Toronto:** Father Mendonca speaking to his parishioners during the Commitment Weekend masses on December 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>.

## Combined Campaign Updates



**Fr. Jan Gogolewski, Pastor, Guardian Angels Parish, Brampton.**

**Guardian Angels, Brampton:** Amazing early support from parishioners has raised over \$83,000 this past week, which pushes the parish over its combined goal! As Fr. Jan and the campaign team present this initiative, parishioners realize the many needs out there and are pleased to lend their support. Congratulations for this early success as the momentum only grows.

## Wave 4 Campaigns

Zone	Wave 4 Parish	Pastor	Goal	Amount Raised/ Pledged	% of Goal
1	St. Basil's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Chris Valka, C.S.B.	\$530,000	\$0	0%
1	St. Peter's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Michael McGourty	\$290,000	\$217,980	75%
1	Sacre-Coeur Parish, Toronto	Rev. Quoc-Thong Pham	\$85,000	\$11,680	14%
2	St. John's Parish, Toronto	Rev. John A. Newton	\$410,000	\$479,760	117%
2	St. Brigid's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Carlos A. Sierra T.	\$340,000	\$280,914	83%
3	St. Bonaventure Parish, Toronto	Rev. David Stachurski, OFM Conv.	\$960,000	\$594,970	62%
3	St. Edward The Confessor Parish, North York	Rev. Patrick O'Dea	\$535,000	\$795,370	149%
4	St. Anthony's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Mark Escobar, CS	\$315,000	\$121,559	39%
4	St. Agnes Parish, Toronto	Rev. Landorff Garcia	\$220,000	\$153,305	70%
4	St. Sebastian's Parish, Toronto	Rev. John Mendonca	\$165,000	\$127,330	77%
4	St. John the Baptist Parish, Toronto	Rev. José David Pérez Florez	\$125,000	\$54,620	44%
4	Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, Toronto	Rev. Carlyle Guiseppi, C.C.Sp.	\$115,000	\$122,175	106%
6	St. Clare's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Xavier De Pinto	\$255,000	\$107,045	42%
6	St. Alphonsus Parish, Toronto	Rev. James M. Reposkey, C.P.P.S.	\$200,000	\$249,285	125%
6	St. John Bosco Parish, Toronto	Rev. Joseph A. Miras, SVD	\$155,000	\$80,360	52%
7	Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Toronto	Rev. John Pak	\$490,000	\$0	0%
7	Our Lady of Peace Parish, Toronto	Rev. George S. Galea	\$470,000	\$109,800	23%
8	St. Jude's Parish, North York	Rev. Efren Alvarez-Pelayo	\$365,000	\$157,300	43%
8	St. John The Evangelist Parish, York (Weston)	Rev. Andrew Maderak	\$290,000	\$95,300	33%
8	St. Fidelis Parish, Toronto	Rev. Mose Gasparini	\$265,000	\$2,000	1%
9	St. Marguerite D'Youville Parish, Brampton	Rev. Robert J. Mignella	\$775,000	\$337,150	44%
9	St. Eugene de Mazenod Mission, Brampton	Rev. Wojciech Blach, OMI	\$375,000	\$228,140	61%
10	St. Ignatius Loyola Parish, Mississauga	Rev. Timothy K. Hanley	\$960,000	\$814,136	85%
10	St. Patrick's Parish, Mississauga	Rev. John E. Facey	\$780,000	\$449,660	58%
10	St. John of the Cross Parish, Mississauga	Rev. Joseph Kalluvila, O.Carm.	\$745,000	\$340,420	46%

Zone	Wave 4 Parish	Pastor	Goal	Amount Raised/ Pledged	% of Goal
11	Holy Family Parish, Whitby	Rev. László Nagy	\$620,000	\$547,705	88%
11	St. Leo the Great Parish, Brooklin	Rev. Charles Forget	\$390,000	\$798,290	205%
11	Immaculate Conception Parish, Port Perry	Rev. Marco Testa	\$285,000	\$248,066	87%
11	Holy Cross Parish, Oshawa	Rev. Keith Callaghan	\$200,000	\$166,560	83%
11	St. Philip the Apostle Parish, Oshawa	Rev. Keith Callaghan	\$90,000	\$92,320	103%
12	St. Barnabas Parish, Scarborough	Rev. Hansoo Park	\$885,000	\$651,433	74%
12	St. Joseph's Parish, Scarborough	Rev. Oliver Iwuchukwu, C.S.Sp.	\$695,000	\$266,405	38%
12	St. Thomas More Parish, Toronto	Rev. Willyans Prado Rapozo, SCJ	\$570,000	\$250,550	44%
12	Epiphany of Our Lord Parish, Scarborough	Rev. Antony Varghese, CFIC	\$465,000	\$756,071	163%
12	Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Scarborough	Rev. Peter Tammearu	\$160,000	\$202,545	127%
13	St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Richmond Hill	Rev. Pawel Zborowski	\$830,000	\$1,415,020	170%
13	St. Padre Pio Parish, Kleinburg	Msgr. Gregory Ace, C.H.H.	\$495,000	\$152,450	31%
13	Our Lady of the Annunciation Parish, Richmond Hill	Rev. Peter Lackmanec	\$390,000	\$160,900	41%
13	St. Andre Bessette Parish, Maple	Rev. Peter Jae Choi	\$30,000	\$461,051	1537%
14	St. Mary's Parish, Barrie	Rev. Anthony Werunga	\$1,010,000	\$678,262	67%
14	St. James, St. Mary's and St. Francis, Colgan	Rev. Nick Defina	\$320,000	\$226,300	71%
14	Holy Spirit Parish, Barrie	Rev. Tad Walczyk	\$225,000	\$234,710	104%
Total			\$17,875,000	\$13,238,897	74%

## Combined Campaigns

Zone	Parish	Pastor	Combined Goal	Amount Raised/ Pledged	% of Goal
1	Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Toronto	Rev. John Sullivan, SJ	\$1,500,000	\$1,261,861	84%
2	Corpus Christi Parish, Toronto	Rev. Joselito Oriasel	\$650,000	\$109,080	17%
6	Immaculate Conception Parish, Toronto	Rev. Rohwin S. Pais, OFM	\$500,000	\$364,105	73%
7	St. Clement's Parish, Toronto	Msgr. Paul Zimmer	\$1,100,000	\$676,420	61%
9	Guardian Angels Parish, Brampton	Rev. Jan Gogolewski	\$170,000	\$251,212	148%
10	St. Josephine Bakhita Parish, Mississauga	Rev. Mark Villanueva	\$1,500,000	\$996,310	66%
11	St. Gertrude's Parish, Oshawa	Rev. Peter Yoo-Sang Choi	\$1,000,000	\$427,105	43%
13	St. Peter's Parish, Woodbridge	Rev. Michael Corcione	\$1,750,000	\$1,005,190	57%
13	St. Mark's Parish, Stouffville	Rev. Michael Hughes	\$1,300,000	\$1,074,240	83%
Total			\$9,470,000	\$6,165,523	65%

These charts reflect the campaign's status as of Friday, December 18, 2015

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## Stay in Touch with Us



Follow the campaign on Twitter: [@family\\_of\\_faith](https://twitter.com/family_of_faith)

Did you know that parish plans for Family of Faith campaign proceeds are available on-line? See the plans for all completed campaigns at [ourFamilyofFaith.ca](http://ourFamilyofFaith.ca)

The Family of Faith campaign is rooted in the Archdiocese of Toronto's Pastoral Plan. Ensure your parish community is well-versed in the pastoral plan to help ensure a successful Family of Faith campaign in your parish. Learn more about the **Archdiocese of Toronto's Pastoral Plan**:

<https://www.archtoronto.org/our-catholic-faith/pastoral>

Do you have questions about the Family of Faith campaign or suggestions for future editions of **Family Update**? Contact John Ecker, Director of Campaign Communications at [jecker@archtoronto.org](mailto:jecker@archtoronto.org) or 416.934.3400 x805.

## Family of Faith Campaign: Year-end Donation Processing Procedures

As we come to the end of the 2015 calendar year, here are important notes regarding procedures for processing contributions to the Family of Faith campaign over the next few weeks.

### Gifts of Securities

Parishioners wishing to make a gift of securities to the Family of Faith campaign should contact Quentin Schesnuik at the Development Office (416.934.3400 x561, or [quentins@archtoronto.org](mailto:quentins@archtoronto.org)). **In order to be eligible for a 2015 tax receipt, we should receive the necessary paperwork by Thursday December 24 at 10 a.m.**

### Cheques

In order to receive a 2015 tax receipt, cheques must be dated on or before December 31, 2015. The parish should receive the cheques on or before this date, or the postmark on the envelope should be dated December 31 or earlier. Cheques received at the Donation Processing Centre that are postmarked before December 31 will be eligible for a 2015 tax receipt.

**Cheques received at the parish dated December 31 or earlier must be received at the Donation processing Centre by Friday January 15, 2016 in order to receive a 2015 tax receipt.**

### Credit Card and Direct Debit Transactions

**Note: the following processes apply to payments that are intended for December, 2015. Pledges starting in January, 2016 or later will follow our normal procedures (first business day of the month.)**

The Donations Processing Centre processes credit and debit card transactions on the first business day of the month. In the normal course of action, these would not be processed again until January 4, 2016.

As pledge forms arrive during the month of December for credit card and direct debit transactions, we will do the following:

Monthly donors: these will start on January 4, 2016; no contribution for 2015 will be made.

Quarterly, semi-annual, or annual donors: we will process a payment on December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015, and the next payment will be according to their schedule:

Quarterly:	April 1, 2016
Semi Annually:	July 1, 2016
Annually:	December 1, 2016

We have a template letter/ that will be sent to parishioners where these situations take place.

For quarterly/semi-annual/annual payments that are received at the parish toward the end of December or received and postmarked before December 31, we will process a December 31 payment on January 15, and the next payment according to the schedule above. This payment will be eligible for a 2015 tax receipt. The parish should note the date received on the pledge form.

Monthly credit card or debit card transactions received at parish or at the Donation Processing Office after December 31, 2015 with a December start date will have their first payment on February 1, 2016.

### Questions?

If there are any questions please do not hesitate to contact Arthur Peters at 416.934.3400, . 559, or [apeters@archtoronto.org](mailto:apeters@archtoronto.org).