



Campaign Progress

Happy New Year! The Family of Faith campaign starts the year with \$149.2 million raised in gifts and pledges. That's 142% of the minimum goal for the campaign.

Collectively, the 42 Wave 4 parishes conducting standard campaigns have now raised **\$16.5 million** or **92%** of the wave's \$17.9 million goal.

January 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 donation processing procedures.

With many Wave 4 campaigns wrapping up, pastors and campaign teams are asked to ensure surplus material is either recycled at the parish or returned to the campaign office. A small quantity of your parish-specific information (brochures and pledge forms) should be retained in the parish for future use and reference. Full case statements (36 page campaign plan), vinyl banners, pens, mugs and pins should be returned to us via the Parish Campaign Director assigned to your parish.

The Catholic Register published a year-end story about the Family of Faith campaign. Click here to read the [Catholic Register article](#).

Wave 4 Parish Updates

St. Bonaventure, Toronto: The parish has had a tremendous outpouring of support, raising almost \$250,000 this past week! Great work and persistence from many volunteers has made this achievement possible. The parish is now in an excellent position as it enters its Commitment Weekend and looks forward a successful campaign.



Fr. Michael McGourty, Pastor, St. Peter's Parish

St. Peter's Parish, Toronto: Fr. McGourty and his campaign volunteers have good reasons to celebrate. Their campaign total has reached \$357,970— 123% of goal. The funds that the parish will receive from the campaign will be invested in the revitalization of the parish hall to make it a gathering space for social outreach and community building.

St. James, St. Mary's and St. Francis, Colgan: Congratulations to Fr. Defina and his campaign volunteers for achieving and surpassing the parish goal of \$320,000! Over \$150,000 in support has been pledged over the past week alone. This achievement was made possible thanks to the hard work of all involved!

St. Sebastian Parish, Toronto: Congratulations to Father Mendonca, the campaign secretary and the great group of volunteers for successfully completing the parish's campaign, raising 100% of the goal.

St. John Bosco Parish, Toronto: Father Miras is making several announcements during Masses throughout January encouraging parishioners to complete their gifts.

Immaculate Conception Parish, Port Perry: Congratulations to Fr. Testa and the entire Campaign Executive Committee (CEC) for running a very successful campaign. Through their hard work and the generosity of parishioners, the parish has now reached its campaign goal. From this point on, 75% of every additional dollar pledged will address local needs. Congratulations again on a job well done!

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Toronto: With only a few dozen parishioners in the Major Gift Phase, the parish has already raised 40% of its campaign goal. This speaks to the generosity of parishioners and the hard work of Fr. Galea and his CEC. Work is underway to reach out to the next group of parishioners, which will begin with an information meeting scheduled in mid-January. Keep up the great work!

St. Brigid's Parish, Toronto: Congratulations to the hardworking Family of Faith campaign team led by Fr. Sierra. They held a successful Commitment Weekend conducted just before Christmas. The team and other volunteers were present in all Masses and staffed information tables. With the parish goal met, Fr. Sierra continues to remind parishioners the sharing formula provides that 75% of gifts over and above the goal will be available for parish priorities.



The St. Brigid's Family of Faith team all geared up for a successful Commitment Weekend.

St. Alphonsus Parish, Toronto: Fr. Reposkey noted an upsurge in the spirit of gift-giving among parishioners following a successful Family of Faith campaign. While the parish is now at 135% of goal, pledges still continue to be received at the office. As well, Father has noticed that the offertory and building fund numbers are also higher than before.

St. Andre Bessette Parish, Vaughan: Fr. Peter Choi, his volunteers and the whole parish community have achieved what a few short months ago seemed to be just a wish. They have succeeded in raising over \$500,000 in pledges for their parish and thus have maximized the benefit of a half-million dollar matching gift from a generous anonymous donor. Congratulations!

Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, Toronto: The parish's Family of Faith campaign has been successful beyond expectations. The total pledged has reached \$255,150, which constitutes 222% of the goal of \$115,000. The parish will benefit from the repairs and updates financed from the parish share. More importantly, the campaign effort has brought the whole parish community closer together.

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	\$357,970	123%
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	\$572,630	140%
2	St. Brigid's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Carlos A. Sierra T.	\$340,000	\$357,934	105%
3	St. Bonaventure Parish, Toronto	Rev. David Stachurski, OFM Conv.	\$960,000	\$844,870	88%

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3	St. Edward The Confessor Parish, North York	Rev. Patrick O'Dea	\$535,000	\$993,470	186%
4	St. Anthony's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Mark Escobar, CS	\$315,000	\$219,169	70%
4	St. Agnes Parish, Toronto	Rev. Landorff Garcia	\$220,000	\$134,675	61%
4	St. Sebastian's Parish, Toronto	Rev. John Mendonca	\$165,000	\$165,080	100%
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	\$255,150	222%
6	St. Clare's Parish, Toronto	Rev. Xavier De Pinto	\$255,000	\$139,960	55%
6	St. Alphonsus Parish, Toronto	Rev. James M. Reposkey, C.P.P.S.	\$200,000	\$269,555	135%
6	St. John Bosco Parish, Toronto	Rev. Joseph A. Miras, SVD	\$155,000	\$100,125	65%
7	Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Toronto	Rev. John Pak	\$490,000	\$161,780	33%
7	Our Lady of Peace Parish, Toronto	Rev. George S. Galea	\$470,000	\$185,800	40%
8	St. Jude's Parish, North York	Rev. Efren Alvarez-Pelayo	\$365,000	\$206,720	57%
8	St. John The Evangelist Parish, York (Weston)	Rev. Andrew Maderak	\$290,000	\$205,770	71%
8	St. Fidelis Parish, Toronto	Rev. Mose Gasparini	\$265,000	\$24,500	9%
9	St. Marguerite D'Youville Parish, Brampton	Rev. Robert J. Mignella	\$775,000	\$496,555	64%
9	St. Eugene de Mazenod Mission, Brampton	Rev. Wojciech Blach, OMI	\$375,000	\$270,500	72%
10	St. Ignatius Loyola Parish, Mississauga	Rev. Timothy K. Hanley	\$960,000	\$1,024,987	107%
10	St. Patrick's Parish, Mississauga	Rev. John E. Facey	\$780,000	\$564,480	72%
10	St. John of the Cross Parish, Mississauga	Rev. Joseph Kalluvila, O.Carm.	\$745,000	\$421,840	57%
11	Holy Family Parish, Whitby	Rev. László Nagy	\$620,000	\$659,625	106%
11	St. Leo the Great Parish, Brooklin	Rev. Charles Forget	\$390,000	\$852,400	219%
11	Immaculate Conception Parish, Port Perry	Rev. Marco Testa	\$285,000	\$289,106	101%
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	\$839,377	95%
12	St. Joseph's Parish, Scarborough	Rev. Oliver Iwuchukwu, C.S.Sp.	\$695,000	\$363,510	52%
12	St. Thomas More Parish, Toronto	Rev. Willyans Prado Rapozo, SCJ	\$570,000	\$354,540	62%
12	Epiphany of Our Lord Parish, Scarborough	Rev. Antony Varghese, CFIC	\$465,000	\$790,551	170%
12	Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Scarborough	Rev. Peter Tammearu	\$160,000	\$213,145	133%

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13	St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Richmond Hill	Rev. Pawel Zborowski	\$830,000	\$1,470,140	177%
13	St. Padre Pio Parish, Kleinburg	Msgr. Gregory Ace, C.H.H.	\$495,000	\$226,150	46%
13	Our Lady of the Annunciation Parish, Richmond Hill	Rev. Peter Lackmanec	\$390,000	\$197,604	51%
13	St. Andre Bessette Parish, Maple	Rev. Peter Jae Choi	\$30,000	\$500,991	1670%
14	St. Mary's Parish, Barrie	Rev. Anthony Werunga	\$1,010,000	\$832,677	82%
14	St. James, St. Mary's and St. Francis, Colgan	Rev. Nick Defina	\$320,000	\$377,265	118%
14	Holy Spirit Parish, Barrie	Rev. Tad Walczyk	\$225,000	\$252,470	112%
Total			\$17,875,000	\$16,518,251	92%

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	\$1,344,427	90%
2	Corpus Christi Parish, Toronto	Rev. Joselito Oriasel	\$650,000	\$144,290	22%
6	Immaculate Conception Parish, Toronto	Rev. Rohwin S. Pais, OFM	\$500,000	\$384,995	77%
7	St. Clement's Parish, Toronto	Msgr. Paul Zimmer	\$1,100,000	\$774,170	70%
9	Guardian Angels Parish, Brampton	Rev. Jan Gogolewski	\$170,000	\$284,712	167%
10	St. Josephine Bakhita Parish, Mississauga	Rev. Mark Villanueva	\$1,500,000	\$1,128,730	75%
11	St. Gertrude's Parish, Oshawa	Rev. Peter Yoo-Sang Choi	\$1,000,000	\$471,765	47%
13	St. Peter's Parish, Woodbridge	Rev. Michael Corcione	\$1,750,000	\$1,411,300	81%
13	St. Mark's Parish, Stouffville	Rev. Michael Hughes	\$1,300,000	\$1,131,540	87%
Total			\$9,470,000	\$7,075,929	75%

These charts reflect the campaign's status as of Friday, January 8, 2016

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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

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 or 416.934.3400 x805.

Family of Faith Campaign: Year-end Donation Processing Procedures

Cheques

This is a reminder that **2015 cheques and pledge forms** received by parishes are to be forwarded to the Donation Processing Centre by **Friday January 15, 2016** in order to be eligible for a **2015 tax receipt**.

Credit Card and Direct Debit Transactions

For credit card and debit card payments that require quarterly, semi-annual, or annual processing and are received at the parish toward the end of December or received and postmarked before December 31, 2015, **we will process a December 31, 2015 payment on January 15, 2016** and the next payment according to the following schedule:

Quarterly:	March 1, June 1, September 1 and December 1, 2016
Semi Annually:	June 1 and December 1, 2016
Annually:	December 1, 2016

The December 31, 2015 payment will be eligible for a 2015 tax receipt. The parish should record the date received on the pledge form.

Monthly credit card or debit card transactions received at the parish or in the Donation Processing Centre after December 31, 2015 with a December 2015 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, x559, or apeters@archtoronto.org.