



BUILD MY KINGDOM

As disciples of Jesus, we are called to "build His kingdom on earth." We do our part by sharing the gifts God has given us. Of all the ways to be generous, giving money can be the most challenging — God understands this!

Remember, God has a plan for you, including your finances. Trust that He will provide for all that you need.

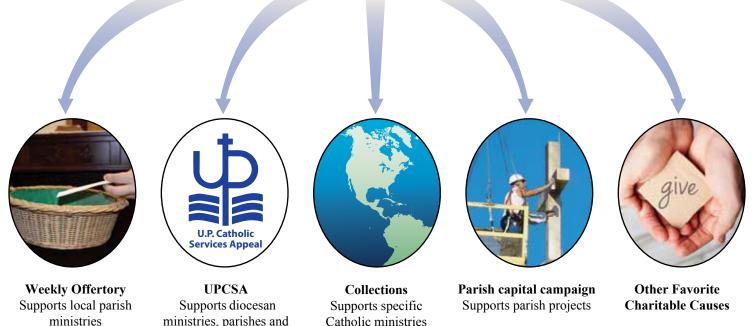
- Does your desire for material possessions and money outweigh your desire for God?
- **†** Do you place other "gods" before God?
- **†** Do you give from your "first fruits" or from what is left over?

BEST PRACTICES

- Plan your giving annually.
- Use your parish's electronic offertory (if applicable).
- Tithing: Give 5% to your local parish and 5% to greater Church and secular charities.

"Whoever sows sparingly will reap sparingly and whoever sows bountifully will reap bountifully. Each must do as already determined, without sadness or compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:6-7

ANNUAL GIVING OPPORTUNITIES



USE THE WORKSHEET ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE TO PLAN YOUR GIVING

locally & worldwide

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MY CATHOL	IC GIVING GU	IDE WORKSHEET
1. CALCULATE ANNUAL	2. DET	ERMINE ANNUAL
GROSS FAMILY INCOME:		ENTAGE TO GIVE:
My income \$	Tithing	g (10%)%
My spouse's income	(or) Other	%
Other income \$	Other	/0
Total \$		_
3. CALCULATE ANNUAL DOL		
Total Annual Gross Family Income X Anr		-
\$X	% = \$	
4. DETERMINE DOLLAR AMO	UNT FOR EACH GIVIN	IG OPPORTUNITY:
OFFERTORY		
Weekly \$ (or) Monthly \$	Annual \$	
U.P. Catholic Services Appeal	(UPCSA)	
Annual \$		
PARISH CAPITAL CAMPAIG	N (IF APPLICABLE)	
Annual \$		GIVING EXAMPLE
COLLECTIONS/MINISTRY SU	JPPORT	1. Calculate annual gross income:
I. Catholic Social Services of the U.P.	\$	My income \$45,000 Spouse's income \$10,000
2. Lenten Rice Bowl	\$	Other income \$5,000
Local Collections:	*	Total \$60,000
3. U.P. Catholic Newspaper	\$	2. Determine annual percentage to give:
4. Marquette Diocesan Catholic Schools	\$	3% 10%
5. Marquette Diocesan Priest's Retirement	\$	3. Calculate annual giving amount:
Mission Collection:	¢	\$60,000 \$60,000
6. Black & Indian Missions	\$ \$	x 3% x 10%
7. Catholic Home Missions	\$ \$	\$1,800 \$6,000
8. Solidarity Fund for Church in Africa	\$	4. Determine dollar amount
9. Propagation of the Faith World Church Collection:		for each giving opportunity:
10. Catholic Relief Services	\$	\$1,800 \$6,000 \$6,000
I. Holy Land/National Communications	\$	$\frac{x\ 50\%}{\$900} \textbf{Annual offertory} \frac{x\ 50\%}{\$3,000}$
12. Peter's Pence (for the Pope)	\$	\$000 \$2.000
National Church Collection:		± 52 weekly ± 52
13. Catholic Campaign for Human Dev	\$	$\overline{\$17.3}$ onertory $\overline{\$57.7}$
14. National Retirement Fund for Religious	\$	or \$900 Monthly \$3,000
15. Catholic University	\$	$\div 12$ interval $\div 12$
16.Respect Life Ministries	\$	\$75 onertory \$250
17.St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$ \$	\$250 UPCSA \$600
		\$20 Collections/Ministry \$50
		x 17 Support (19) $x 17$
OTHER FAVORITE CHARITA	RIFCAUSES	$\frac{-3340}{3340}$ Support (18) $\frac{-3850}{3850}$

Other charities \$75 Grade school fundraiser

\$70 My parish capital campaign

Charity 2

Charity 3

Charity 4

Other totals

\$75 High school fundraiser

\$30

\$30

\$30

\$310

\$300

\$300

\$400

\$200

\$200

\$150

\$1,550

OTHER FAVORITE CHARITABLE CAUSES

	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
TOTAL ANNUAL GIVING	

AMOUNT: \$____

TEAR OUT AND KEEP WORKSHEET