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CAPITAL CAMPAIGN 2024-2026

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<p>Deuteronomy 15:10 “You shall give to him freely, and your heart shall not be grudging when you give to him, because for this the Lord your God will bless you in all your work and all that you undertake.”</p> <p>Heavenly Father, You are the source of all that is good. Help us to see Your blessings in our lives and be grateful for them. Help us to share our gifts with others to help further Your kingdom on earth. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Take a short walk and give thanks for the blessings in your life.</p>	<p>John 3:16 “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.”</p> <p>We thank you Jesus for giving all on the cross that we can rejoice in the hope of eternal life. Help us to love sacrificially every day. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Make a sacrifice today for the success of the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign. (Ideas- one less cup of coffee, give up 15 minutes of screen time and pray, do a chore no one asked you to do).</p>	<p>Thessalonians 5:11 “Therefore encourage one another and build up each other as indeed you are doing.”</p> <p>Gracious Lord, as our capital campaign unfolds, keep us mindful to hold each other in love, to listen more and speak less, and to keep our minds and hearts open to one another. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Pray for the homebound and lonely.</p>	<p>Luke 6:38 “Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you.”</p> <p>Loving Father, all we have comes from You, generously given to us. Encourage us to be generous in our giving to the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign, remembering that what we give will be given back to us running over. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Make a list of five blessings.</p>	<p>Colossians 1:9 “Therefore, from the day we heard this, we do not cease praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding.”</p> <p>Blessed Holy Trinity, guide us in our discernment as we approach the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign commitment. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Pray for a family member or friend in need.</p>	<p>Romans 12:4-5 “For as in one body we have many parts, and all the parts do not have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ and individually parts of one another.”</p> <p>Lord God, help us to work together as members of the Body of Christ to praise and honor You as we cherish our home and grow our legacy for St. John’s. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Say hello to someone new today.</p>	<p>Joshua 24:15 “As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.”</p> <p>Generous God, as we begin our campaign to raise funds to grow St. John’s physical facilities, we ask You to help us do Your will. The buildings are here to help us serve the Lord by serving our parish community. Help us keep our mind and hearts centered on You. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Perform one act of kindness today as a way to serve the Lord</p>



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<p>Luke 1:38 “Mary said, “Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord. May it be done to me according to Your word.” Then the angel departed from her.”</p> <p>Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us that we may have the same courage to answer God’s call as we contemplate the goals and the plan of the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Pray in thanksgiving for our priests and our Holy Father, Pope Francis.</p>	<p>Galatians 6:9 “Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.”</p> <p>Creator God, let us stir up enthusiasm for doing good, full of fervor, joy, generosity, courage and boundless love as we move forward in the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Pray a decade of the Rosary.</p>	<p>1 Corinthians 3:9 “For we are God’s co-workers; you are God’s field, God’s building.”</p> <p>Dear Lord, fill our hearts with love for one another, and the knowledge that we are working together for God and our community. Guide us in all that we do to help with the vision that the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign has given us. Trusting in Your love, help us to move forward with open and willing hearts so that we can continue to grow and serve You. We ask You to partner with us this day to Thy honor and glory through Christ our Lord. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Give thanks for all the teachers and staff and St John’s.</p>	<p>Luke 11:9-10 Oh, my Jesus, You have said: “And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be open to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.”</p> <p>Behold, I knock, I seek, and I ask for the grace of the Holy Spirit to enlighten our hearts and minds for the success of the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign. Jesus, You give us access to our Heavenly Father and to His Holy Will. With confidence, we humbly thank You and praise Your Holy Name. Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Spend five minutes in silence being grateful for all of our blessings.</p>	<p>Psalms 127:1 “Unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labor in vain. Unless the Lord watches over the city, the watchman stands guard in vain”</p> <p>Gracious Father, we are the builders, You are the architect. Help keep us focused on Your purpose for our church and our community. Be ever present in all our work. In Your name we pray. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Spend time thinking about how you can watch over St. John’s.</p>	<p>Matthew: 1:24 “When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home”</p> <p>Loving Saint Joseph, faithful follower of Jesus Christ, I raise my heart to you to implore your powerful intercession in obtaining from the Divine Heart of Jesus all the graces necessary for my spiritual and temporal welfare, particularly the special grace I now implore for the success of the <i>Cherish Our Home, Grow Our Legacy</i> capital campaign. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> If you grocery shop today, buy a can of food for the pantry.</p>	<p><b>COMMITMENT SUNDAY</b></p> <p>Corinthians 10:16-17 The cup of the blessing that we bless, is it not a participation in the blood of Christ? The bread that we break, is it not a participation in the body of Christ?</p> <p>Because the loaf of bread is one, we, though many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf. I want to grow in Christ, beloved God. Teach me how to let Christ live in me. Amen.</p> <p><b>ACTION:</b> Write down three ways you can let the message of Jesus touch and change your life.</p>



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