

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH IS CALLED TO SERVE AS CHRIST



St. Joseph Catholic Church intends to accomplish the following project with its parish share:

## REPLACE CHURCH WINDOWS COST: \$106,522

Our church is like a garden. For a garden to diffuse its pleasant fragrance, glow with colors and bear its fruit, it requires constant weeding and pruning. Without this work, a garden simply becomes part of the wilderness.

When God planted the Church, he made us its stewards. Stewardship, however, often requires an ongoing commitment of time and money, both of which can be scarce resources. But we can use Parish Share funds from donations made to the *Called to Serve as Christ* campaign for the temporal care of our church.

Accordingly, we will apply Parish Share funds toward replacing our church windows. The church needs double-pane windows to alleviate moisture problems during the winter. This project will also involve replacing pieces of stained glass so we can maintain the current look.

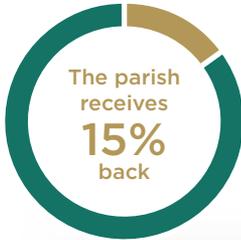
Using the funds in this manner positions us as steadfast stewards and ultimately, it allows us to serve as Christ.



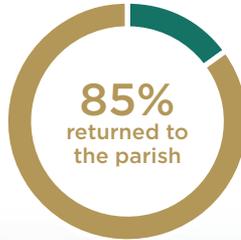
## OUR PARISH CAMPAIGN GOAL: \$376,232

All gifts to the *Called to Serve as Christ* campaign will support pension and medical needs of priests and sisters. In addition, fifteen cents of every dollar collected by St. Joseph will be used to address our needs. **When we exceed our campaign goal, eighty-five cents of each dollar raised will be returned to our parish.**

UP TO  
100% OF GOAL



MORE THAN  
100% OF GOAL



“Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, because his mercy endures forever.” This is a great opportunity to recognize the past, the present and the future of our cluster parishes.

We recognize the sacrificial and unselfish love of so many priests and religious people who came, are and will come to serve this area. Somebody said: ‘I learned to give not because I have much, but because I know exactly how it feels to have nothing.’”

Anonymous.

FR. MILTON SCARPETTA  
PASTOR



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