

## Campaign News

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### OVER \$1,400,000 PLEDGED from 80 families!!!

Consider you participation in this historic campaign and join those who have already made their commitment!

# NEXT WEEKEND IS COMMITMENT WEEKEND!

Commitment Weekend will take place next weekend. A personalized campaign packet was mailed to every registered parishioner who did not attend an in person Campaign Reception. We hope you have had time to review the brochure, which outlines the various needs of our parish. We need to hear from everyone in order to be successful! Those who do not submit a response by Commitment Weekend, May 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> will be contacted. Returning your pledge response next weekend will help to alleviate some of the phone calls.

#### Why is pledging important?

- **†** A pledge allows one to consider a gift that would otherwise not seem possible.
- **†** A pledge makes payments less of a burden than a one-time gift.
- **†** A pledge gives the parish an accurate estimate for future planning.

Your pledge is a statement of your intent to give to the best of your ability. It is not legally binding. We know that when you make your pledge, you will do your best to fulfill it. A 10% down payment is encouraged but not necessary.

Gifts of every size are needed and appreciated.

#### Thank You To Those Who Attended A Reception!

Fr. Fisher and the Campaign Committee are appreciative of your time, dedication, and support! **Don't forget to return your pledge response so that the momentum can continue to build.** You can return your pledge either by mail, by placing it in the collection basket, dropping it by the office or make you pledge online at stambroseva.org.

#### Stewardship Reflection

"I am the good shepherd...and I lay down my life for the sheep...and they will heed my voice." - JOHN 10:14-16

When you pray, do you only ask Jesus for the things that you want? Do you ever ask Him what He wants from you? How do you listen for His response? Many times Jesus responds in "quiet whispers" that are not so obvious. So, take time every day, in silence, to actively listen for His voice.