

St. Augustine Catholic Church“...

“...dedicated to the continuation of the mission of our Lord through Scripture, Sacrament and Service!”



LET'S RAISE OUR BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN

*You, yourselves like living stones,
are being built up as a spiritual house,
to be a holy priesthood,
to offer sacrifices acceptable to God
through Jesus Christ.
1 Peter 2:5*

“Building” for Mission

Our Church and Parish buildings represent a means to an end. The Church is a vessel where God dwells... to nurture and strengthen His people with His Love.

Our Church is the setting in which we impart our beliefs, values and teachings to future generations.

Our Church is the place where we come together to worship, share our faith, celebrate community and serve our brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus.

Since 1925, St. Augustine Church has been blessed with a rich heritage of self-sacrifice and generosity of parishioners, past and present. With vision and commitment, they worked hard to maintain and enhance the Church buildings and facilities.

Today, let us continue to be good stewards of the gifts entrusted to us. We are all invited to participate in the “Let’s Raise Our Building Fund Campaign” to help maintain and enhance our Church as a fitting place for worship and assembly.

Visit our website at:

www.staugustinelincolnity.com

Letter from our Pastor

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

For more than ninety years, St. Augustine Church has been a beacon of light in Lincoln City, and a gathering place of prayer, worship and service. We are grateful for all who, with selfless generosity, have helped build our Church into a fervent and faithful parish community that it is today. Now the time has come for us to ensure that our Church continues to be a welcoming, safe and fitting place for worship and ministry.

Thanks to the contributions the Parish received since the launching of the "Let's Raise Our Building Fund Campaign" in 2013, we have already undertaken several major renovations (see Brochure). In the coming months, however, we need to address other vital needs. To accomplish this task, we are fortifying our efforts through the "Let Us Raise Our Building Fund Campaign" to raise the necessary funds.

I humbly ask each of you to join in this effort. With prayerful reflection, please consider an appropriate gift to the Campaign. Please accept my deep gratitude for your many sacrifices, your good will and the support you have always shown to me and our beloved Parish!

Fr. Joseph Selasty

Donor Recognition

Although our gifts are given to reflect our commitment to God and our Parish family, the "Let's Raise our Building Fund Campaign" presents an opportunity to be remembered and/or to honor our loved ones.

Since the start of the Campaign in 2013, the Parish has received individual pledges/gifts from \$10 to \$20,000, totaling \$90,091. Gifts of \$500 and above will be recognized on a Donor Plaque. You may select to have your name engraved, or "In Memory of..." or "In Honor of..." a loved one. If you wish to present your gift anonymously, you may indicate so on your Pledge Form.

Frequently asked Questions:

- Q: Is my contribution to the Let's Raise the Building Fund Campaign over and above my weekly offering?
A: Yes, the weekly offering helps pay for the Parish 's normal operating expenses throughout the year. Campaign funds are used for capital projects which require extraordinary giving.
- Q: What is the Campaign goal and timeline?
A: *The Campaign goal is \$\$242,533. We have already raised \$90,091. The Campaign began in 2013 and will extend to December, 2018.*
- Q: If I already made a pledge or made a donation to the Building Fund, do I still continue to donate to the Campaign?
A: The Parish is deeply grateful for what you have already contributed. It is hoped that each parishioner will give generously after prayer and reflection. *All your gifts beginning in 2013 to the Campaign will all be added together to compile your total donation for the Campaign.*

COMPLETED PROJECTS

With funds raised since 2013, we have been able to complete the following Projects:

Church:

Painting	\$ 15,000
Refurbish Doors	\$ 580
Refurbish Handrails	\$ 160
Altar lights & LED lights	\$ 4,854
Total:	\$ 20,594

Rectory:

Painting	\$ 6,355
Repair/Paint Porch/Steps	\$ 880
Refurbish Guestroom	\$ 1,423
Total:	\$ 8,658

Garage:

Paint/Repair	
Total:	\$ 760

Parking Lot:

Paving, Striping and Lighting	
Total:	\$ 14,091

Hall & Vestibule:

Carpet and Vinyl	
Total:	\$ 23,925

Fire Alarm

Total:	\$ 17,160
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Total For Projects Paid to Date: \$ 85,188

PROJECTS TO BE COMPLETED

Kitchen Vinyl	\$ 8,341
Sound System	\$ 10,000
Sacristy	\$125,000
Classrooms Carpet & Vinyl	\$ 17,000

Total For Projects Needed: \$157,345

TOTAL CAMPAIGN GOAL	\$242,533
TOTAL RAISED	90,091
BALANCE	152,442

Report as of October 31, 2016