

2019 Catholic Stewardship Appeal

Vocations and Education and Care of Priests (51% of the total CSA budget)

We see the light of Christ shine on those who are studying and discerning the call to become priests. This journey takes at least four years after completing a BA in college. In supporting CSA, you give 28 cents of every dollar to promote vocations and pay for seminary formation.

As those who are priests continue in ministry, the need to help with ongoing education as well as the need to assist with the funding of diocesan priests pensions is another way in which the light of Christ shines through our stewardship. In supporting CSA, you give 23 cents of every dollar to assist in the ongoing education of our priests and helping to fund retirement in their old age.

Faith Formation (18% of the total CSA budget)

In Faith Formation, Youth Ministry and Hispanic Catechesis the light of Christ is shown through the training and empowerment of religious education leaders throughout the diocese both in English and the Spanish languages. This includes leaders who serve all ages, from the very young, to those in youth ministry through adult faith formation. Eighteen cents of every dollar you give to CSA allows the light of Christ to shine through these efforts.

Campus Ministry at UNLV (10% of total CSA Budget)

Bringing the light of Christ to those who are involved at UNLV is a way in which the lives of those who are continuing higher education are served by the Catholic Church with campus ministry.

Pastoral Outreach (15% of the CSA Budget)

There are a host of programs that seek to bring the light of Christ into our community. Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada and the St. Therese Center provide direct service to the poor and needy; our Social Ministry brings to light Catholic teachings and opportunities for advocacy; Victim Assistance brings light into the darkness of those who have been abused with resources for healing; the televised Catholic Mass on Sunday mornings brings the presence of the church and the light of the Gospel to those who are sick or homebound; our diocesan website serves the local community as well as tourists who visit the Las Vegas valley by connecting them to the activity of our local church.

Leadership and oversight of Catholic Education (6% of the CSA Budget)

In our Catholic Schools, the Department of Catholic Education helps to insure high standards are met in the education of students in this system. Six cents of every dollar you give to CSA helps the light of Christ to shine in our schools.

The overall goal of CSA this year remains at \$2,700,000. Each parish shares in the goal, and once the individual parish goal has been reached 100% of the funds beyond that goal are rebated back to the parish. Please join us as a local church in realizing "In Your light we see light," by helping to fund these many ways in which the light of Christ is shared.

Thank you for your generosity. You enable care for and ministry to people all over the Diocese of Las Vegas.



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