



Exploring External Funding Sources

As we continue to strategize ways to raise the funds required for constructing our new church, it is important to consider and utilize various sources of support beyond our immediate parish community. To this end, our strategy will include seeking assistance from organizations and businesses that have a history of supporting Catholic initiatives. We plan to reach out to foundations that are dedicated to supporting Catholic organizations. These foundations often allocate resources specifically for religious and community-building projects, making them valuable partners in our capital campaign.

In addition to foundations, we will approach regional businesses to request their contributions. Many local businesses are committed to giving back to the community and may be willing to support our efforts to build a new place of worship.

Another potential source of funding is matching gifts from donors' employers. While these programs are not as common as they once were, several employers in the St. Louis area still offer matching gift opportunities for donations to non-profit organizations. We encourage all parishioners to check with their employers to see if they can take advantage of this benefit, as it can significantly increase the impact of individual donations.

God Bless,

Fr. Blessing