



Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Alive News

HOW DOES *ALIVE IN CHRIST* DIFFER FROM *OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL*?

Our Catholic Appeal supports the day-to-day operational needs of our Chancery, ensuring that the diocese is able to continue the vital ministries and programs that change lives every day throughout Central Florida. In this way it is similar to the parish offertory, which funds routine expenses and allows the parish to continue its operations and ministry.



OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL

*for our people,
our ministries,
our future*

Alive in Christ is designed to meet our long-term capital and endowment needs. These are extraordinary needs that go beyond routine operating expenses and allow the diocese to address significant growth challenges from a solid financial foundation. Through *Alive in Christ* and the generosity of God's people, many exciting new opportunities await our parishes and our diocese.

At the local parish level, *Alive in Christ* will help many long held dreams become reality. Here at BLESSED TRINITY, we will renovate our old church into the new parish welcome center and pay down our loan on the new church.

If you have not already done so, please prayerfully consider making a sacrificial gift of your substance to *Alive in Christ*.

DID YOU KNOW...

LEARN HOW WE IMPACT THE LARGER CHURCH FAMILY

The San Pedro Retreat Center provides resources, spiritual direction, and a peaceful environment to God's people as they seek to become fully alive in the love of the Lord Jesus Christ. Weakened by hurricane damage, the facilities need renovation and expansion so that the life-changing work of San Pedro can continue in an atmosphere of prayer and renewal. Through *Alive in Christ*, we will not only repair the damage, but update camp facilities for youth retreats and improve the dining hall, conference space and sleeping rooms for all guests.

MAKING A PLANNED GIFT

Some parishioners may wish to make a gift to BLESSED TRINITY through *Alive in Christ*, but are concerned about how their need for current income competes with a heartfelt desire to give. In many situations, planned giving enables parishioners to make meaningful gift commitments during the campaign that meet both the needs of the Parish and the financial capabilities of the donor.

Should you wish to discuss how to make such a gift, please call our Campaign Director, Martin Alves at 407.421.6645, who will schedule a private appointment for you with a planned giving specialist who is dedicated to helping us reach our parish goals.

"Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you."

As gifted, grateful and generous stewards of God's many blessings, we are:
Called to Grow as spiritual beings through our prayers for the success of *Alive in Christ*;
Called to Lead by offering our time and talent in the service of our Church throughout this effort; and
Called to Share by prayerfully considering a sacrificial gift.