



SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR GAZA AND THE MIDDLE EAST

As we join our Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV in praying for a ceasefire in the ongoing crisis in Gaza and the Middle East region, Bishop Kulick asks the faithful of the Diocese to support ongoing efforts to provide humanitarian relief for those suffering in Gaza and the Middle East. A Special Collection will be taken for these efforts at Masses during the weekend of September 20-21, 2025. Your generous contribution will be given to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA) and Catholic Relief Services (CRS). Both organizations have well-established partnerships with the Catholic Church in the region, which allows them to respond quickly and efficiently to the humanitarian needs of those affected. ***Donations by check can be made out to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association - Gaza Emergency Relief or Catholic Relief Services - Holy Land Response. Thank you for your generosity.***