

JULY 2025



BUILDING OUR LEGACY

A Capital Campaign for St. Elizabeth Catholic Parish

**We've
Surpassed
90% of
Our Goal**

We're very grateful to the 200+ households who have pledged over \$5 million to the Building Our Legacy campaign. We're well on our way to our \$5.5 million goal.

This generosity is a testament to the faith, community spirit and confidence for the future of St. Elizabeth Parish.

Building Our Legacy Campaign Delivers **Valuable Benefits for Everyone** at St. Elizabeth Parish

Through this campaign, St. Elizabeth will strengthen our faith, build our community, serve our neighbors, and educate our youth by building the St. Elizabeth Gathering Center and Chapel, installing a multi-purpose field and grotto, adding parking; and retiring debt associated with the ECC and rectory.

The new Chapel will provide an intimate space for weekday Masses and prayer opportunities for students and parishioners, alike.

The Gathering Center will offer space for fellowship, meals, meetings, and faith formation. It will also include an updated food pantry for the many clients we serve, and a dedicated scout room with storage. Finally, the Gathering Center will offer school and parish ministries space for meetings and will provide new workspaces for parish staff.

Children, and adults alike, will be able to use the multi-purpose field for recreation and parish-wide celebrations. The grotto, honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary, will be relocated to the South side of the field. To welcome everyone safely and conveniently, the parish will add substantially more parking to accommodate the new surroundings.



CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE





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Campaign Prayer

Heavenly Father, we thank You for the abundant blessings You bestow on our Saint Elizabeth Parish.

Considering the gifts we are called to offer, please fill us with the Holy Spirit to guide us during this campaign.

Strengthen our bonds so we may be seen and known as Your disciples, showing love and mercy to all our neighbors throughout Your world.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen.

A Note From Father Bob

During my time at St. Elizabeth Parish, I've been encouraged and reassured by your welcoming spirit and generosity. I'm so grateful to everyone who is devoting their time to this campaign and to those who have pledged their support. Our work will bring wonderful benefits to St. Elizabeth Parish now and for generations to come.

So far, we've received over **\$5 million in pledges**. It's a powerful sign of what we can do together—but we still have a way to go to reach our **\$5.5 million goal**. You are an **essential giver** and our success relies on your support.

If you've been meaning to give but haven't done so yet — **now is the time to submit your pledge**. This newsletter and our other parish communications provide information on how you can still participate. Every pledge, no matter the amount, is so important to the campaign and to our parish.



Yours in Christ,

Fr. Bob Stone
Pastor

Building Our Legacy

2025 will construct the St. Elizabeth Gathering Center and Chapel, add a multi-purpose field and grotto, increase parking, and eliminate debt from the construction of the ECC and purchase of the rectory.



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BUILDING OUR LEGACY Capital Campaign Update

Your Participation Is Vital to Our Success

When our campaign began several months ago, we envisioned two lofty goals: that **everyone** in the parish would make a commitment of some kind and that we would raise **\$5.5 million**. You are an essential giver to the campaign and your participation is vital to our success.

If you have not already submitted your pledge, please mail your pledge sheet directly to the parish office, make your pledge online on the Campaign Page of the St. Elizabeth website, or use this QR code.



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