

## **PACE** **(Partners Advancing Catholic Education)**

### **What is it?**

PACE is St. Greg's way of making and keeping Catholic Education affordable and available to everyone. Through the PACE program, school families can reduce their tuition by hundreds of dollars every year by purchasing Scrip gift cards.

### **How does it work?**

This program designates 80% of the Scrip revenue generated by school families and their partners towards a tuition credit for the following school year. Just imagine... If your family spends \$400 per month (\$4800 per year) on gasoline, St. Greg's could get up to a 4% profit depending on the gas card purchased. Over the course of a year, St. Greg's could make a profit of \$192 (4% of \$4800) just by you filling up your car. You would earn a \$153.60 (80% of \$192) tuition credit just by using a Scrip card to pay for gas!

### **How do you enroll?**

When filling out the Scrip enrollment form, please make sure to complete the PACE portion at the bottom, and turn the sheet in with your first Scrip order. You can pick up extra enrollment forms for your partners in the Parish office, the Hospitality Center or download the form from our parish website: [www.stgregsmil.org](http://www.stgregsmil.org). You or your partners can sign up at any time to be part of the PACE program; there is no "open enrollment" period.

### **Who can be a Scrip partner?**

Anyone who has a desire to support Catholic Education can become a partner in St. Greg's PACE program: parishioners, family members, friends, co-workers and neighbors. Simply invite people you know to be your Scrip partners and have them fill out an enrollment form including the PACE portion at the bottom and return it to the School or Parish office or the Hospitality Center after Mass. The more partners you have, the more tuition credit you can earn!

### **What about parents with preschoolers?**

Scrip tuition credit is also available to families with preschool-aged children (infants and toddlers) who plan to send their children to St. Greg's in the future!

\*\*\*For more information about the St. Greg's Scrip or PACE Programs, please call the Scrip Coordinator, Alice Erlandson, at 543-8292 ext.217.