

THE FOUNDATION

Serving the Catholic Community of Eastern North Carolina

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Sharing & Growing Your Gifts

DOUBLE YOUR IMPACT ON GIVING TUESDAY!

WE HAVE EXCITING NEWS TO SHARE!

A generous donor has pledged a matching gift of \$25,000 to support our **Home Mission Society**. This means that every dollar you give will be **doubled**, making an even greater impact on the lives of our brothers and sisters in the rural communities of Eastern North Carolina for generations to come.

But we can't do it without you. We need your help to meet this challenge and raise the full \$25,000.

Would you consider making a donation to help us reach our goal?

DONATE NOW

Remember, every dollar you donate will be matched, effectively doubling your contribution!

And as Proverbs 11:25 tells us, *"A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed."*

Many of our supporters give [stocks](#), grants from Donor Advised Funds, or make a [Qualified Charitable Distribution](#), all of which are more "tax-smart" than giving cash.

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Giving Tuesday



together we can
make a difference in our community!

Home Mission Society

Since 2018, The Foundation has raised funds to assist rural parishes in the Diocese of Raleigh, in building churches through the Home Mission Society.

The Home Mission Society is a Diocesan grant-based program, that assists small rural parishes with the construction & furnishing of their churches, chapels, and worship spaces.

Funding for the Home Mission Society comes mainly from generous donors throughout the Diocese of Raleigh. Please join other supporters in doing good and spreading the light of faith where it is needed most.

Together, we can make a difference!

Thank you for your continued support and belief in our mission. Your generosity is a true testament to our shared faith and commitment to serve those in need.

In the Spirit of Gratitude

This past year Bishop Zarama has traveled to almost every Deanery to share his gratitude to donors across our Diocese. He is most appreciative to all who support our diocese through Planned Giving, Endowments, the Seminarian Partnership Program and Home Mission.

During the last few weeks, the bishop has traveled to the Piedmont and Newton Grove Deaneries. He has had a wonderful time engaging with everyone in attendance.

The Foundation is looking forward to hosting more of these events with Bishop Zarama in 2024.

A Thanksgiving message from The Foundation Executive Director – Maureen O’Keeffe Lindgren

There are so many things I am grateful for this time of year, but at the top of my list are you our Diocesan Family, and Donors.

I wish each of you a wonderful Thanksgiving filled with warm hearts and God’s blessings.

ST. THOMAS MORE
PIEDMONT DEANERY



ST. MARY, GOLDSBORO
NEWTON GROVE DEANERY

A PRAYER FOR YOUR FAMILIES TO SHARE ON THANKSGIVING

Lord,
We thank you for the goodness of our people,
And for the spirit of justice that fills this nation.
We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities.
We thank you for our work and our rest,
for one another and for our homes.
We thank you Lord:
accept our thanksgiving on this day.
We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

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