



DEAR FRIENDS IN CHRIST

As an archdiocese, we form a faith community of 200,000 Catholics in central and western Oklahoma; we truly are *One Church, Many Disciples!* In this endeavor, we join with faithful from across the archdiocese who are also helping to ensure our local Church is strong and vibrant for generations to come. With the Beatification of Blessed Stanley Rother, each of us has the opportunity to share in his legacy. What an occasion to live Jesus' call to missionary discipleship.

Sacred Heart welcomes the opportunity to participate in the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City's campaign, *One Church, Many Disciples*. Through participating in this campaign, Sacred Heart will raise funds toward local needs of our faith community. We are seeking five-year pledges to achieve the parish campaign goal of \$65,000. Sacred Heart will receive 20% of all funds we raise up to the goal, totaling \$13,000; plus, 50% of every dollar raised above the goal.

Please take a moment to review the impact *One Church, Many Disciples* will have on our Sacred Heart parish. This campaign has my full support and, as your pastor, I hope you will embrace this opportunity.

Rev. Arokiasamy Andarias

OUR SHARE OF THE FUNDS

Through the One Church, Many Disciples campaign, we will not only play a significant role in this historic moment in the Church's history, but we will use these funds to address much needed campus and facility improvements. This includes structural issues with the parish hall: repairing the building foundation, replacing flooring, and repair or replacement of the front door. We will also use funds to replace the flooring in the rectory kitchen, repair campus sidewalks. Additionally, remaining funds will be used for ongoing maintenance and repairs.

OUR PARISH ROOTS

In 1902, Father Willem Huffer oversaw the construction of a Catholic church in Mangum. Bishop Meerschaert dedicated the structure to the Sacred Heart of Jesus on December 6th that same year. Over time, Mangum became responsible for a mission church at Hollis, and eventually at Hobart. During the 1950s, Father Joseph Burger, then pastor, oversaw the construction of a larger church to replace the original building of 1902.

