



# 2020 Bishop's Annual Appeal

## APPENDIX



### **How Bishop's Annual Appeal serves your Parish**

The following is a good list of how the thousands of generous donors for the Bishop's Annual Appeal may be serving your Parish community. I hope you will agree that these leveraged resources are an integral part of your Parish value, success and growth.

#### **The Diocese in many ways:**

- Training your RCIA team members Christian Initiation sponsored by the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis
- Catechists and youth ministers, seminars, educational courses, workshops and conferences offered for the benefit of your lay leaders
- Catechetical materials for parishes in need
- Sponsors Catholic Chaplains serving in hospitals by visiting parishioners from your community
- Diocesan led marriage preparation and marriage enrichment retreats for couples
- Youth Summer Camps, Retreats or other events for youth
- Funding of Seminarian education
- Priest search, placement and integration planning
- Scholastic leadership to ensure that all of our catholic schools are leveraging best practices
- Communicating via Diocesan Chronicle, the diocesan website, inspirational emails, social media, and streaming Masses
- Vetting and training adult leaders to ensure a safe and healthy environment for our children and youth through the Call to Protect Program
- Subsidy funding of FORMED.org for your community
- Provides workshops and training for Evangelization, Liturgy, Sacramental Preparation, and other Pastoral Services