

We, the Catholic community of Nativity Parish, are rich in tradition and history. We acknowledge, with gratitude, those who came before us and left a legacy of service and financial support.

As Catholics, it is our belief that all good things come to us from God. Even in death, we are called to “pay it forward” as we return a portion of what we have been given for the glory of God and His Church.

To foster and support future generations of Nativity in that legacy, the Pastoral and Financial Councils of the Church of the Nativity have endorsed the forming of the ‘Nativity Legacy Society’ in 2019.

Thank you for your support of Nativity, in ways great and small!

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CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY LEGACY SOCIETY



MEMBERSHIP

Legacy Society members are persons who designate Nativity as a beneficiary in their estate planning.

Examples might include a Last Will and Testament, a Trust, a Foundation Fund or Endowed Fund, or other asset vehicle that take effect upon death. It is a final act of stewardship and love for Nativity.

You are invited to be a member regardless of the size of the gift. Gifts of any amount help create a solid foundation to build our future as a parish. These gifts will help pay down our parish debt, make improvements in our programs and building, and facilitate our faith outreach for years to come.

ACTION

After prayerfully considering your blessings and how you can best serve the legacy of Nativity, we ask you to consider some of the following options:

- **New Will or Trust:** Consult your attorney to express your intentions with a new Will or Trust for your estate plans.
- **Change to Will or Trust:** If you have a Will or Trust, consult your attorney regarding a change by codicil to your Will or an amendment to your Trust.
- **Donate to a Foundation Fund:** Nativity has funds established with the Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque (CFGD) and the Catholic Foundation in the Archdiocese of Dubuque (CFAD).
- **Other Form of Asset Giving:** Consult your financial advisor about donation of stocks, bonds, or the Required Minimum Distribution from your IRA if you are 70 ½ years or older.
- **Lead by Example:** Share your intentions and good news with your family; express to them your commitment to Nativity through your financial support with these gifts.

WHY

Stewardship is a way of life for every Christian. Your legacy is the ultimate memorial of your life. Supporting the parish through your membership in the Legacy Society is a way to show your gratitude for all of God's blessings received at the Church of the Nativity.

If you have already listed Nativity in your Will, Trust, or other method as mentioned, please contact the Nativity Parish Pastor or Bookkeeper so we can include your name as a member of our Nativity Legacy Society.

Questions?

Nativity Parish Pastor or Bookkeeper:
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Archdiocese of Dubuque (CFAD):
563.556.2580 ext. 307

Community Foundation of Greater
Dubuque (CFGD):
563.588.2700