

**Special Collections in the Diocese of Crookston for 2020 & 2021**

	<b><u>2020</u></b>	<b><u>2021</u></b>
Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in January)	Jan. 19	Jan. 17
Black and Indian Missions (1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent)	March 1	Feb. 21
Catholic Relief Services a.k.a. American Bishops' Overseas Appeal (4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent)	March 22	March 14
Catholic Home Missions Appeal (last Sunday of April)	April 26	April 25
Catholic Communication/Catholic University (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in May)	May 17	May 16
Collection for the Retired Priests (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in June, Father's Day)	June 21	June 20
Peter's Pence (Holy Father) (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in July)	July 12	July 11
Latin America (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in September)	Sept. 13	Sept. 12
Propagation of the Faith (World Mission) (next to last Sunday in October)	Oct. 18	Oct. 24
Collection for the Archdiocese for Military Service, USA (taken every 3 years)	not taken until 2022	
Catholic Campaign for Human Development (Sunday before Thanksgiving)	Nov. 22	Nov. 21
St. Mary's Mission Appeal (Sunday after Thanksgiving)	Nov. 29	Nov. 28
Fund for Retired Religious (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in December)	Dec. 13	Dec. 12

**Other collections**

Bishop has encouraged these collections but has not made it "mandatory."

1) Aid for Eastern Europe -- Ash Wednesday	Feb. 26	Feb. 17
2) Holy Land -- Good Friday	April 10	April 2