

2017

*Journey of
Hearts & Hands*

WELCOME

We are grateful to God for all that has been provided to us, and we are called to respond generously to our neighbour. As members of God's family, we work together to accomplish what we cannot do alone.

Through our Annual Appeal, you help fund our important initiatives and programs. Side by side, we become a more effective and visible Church throughout the Diocese.

Your support is critical to our ongoing mission, and we are so grateful for your contribution.

Thank you.



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95¢

... of each dollar you contribute directly assists Diocesan ministries, services, and parish projects.

Last year's average gift to the *Journey of Hearts & Hands* was ...

\$458

Consider donating ...

1 hour per week

... of your wage or income for the next 12 months.

For every dollar you donated:

Ministries & Services: 63¢

Parish Projects: 32¢

Expenses: 5¢

PLEASE GIVE TODAY

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With your help ...

Parish Projects

\$150,000

Our parishes are ready, willing and able to serve others – from supporting refugees, to providing outreach, and undertaking church improvements.

Clergy Pension Support

\$75,000

We provide support to retired clergy who devoted their lives in service to God and others.



Missions and Outreach

\$100,000

We assist small parishes and missions in practical and necessary ways, 'keeping the lights on', so we can welcome the faithful and help those in need.

Religious Education and Faith Formation

\$50,000

We provide children, youth and adults with religious education, catechism, and workshops, so they can deepen their faith and grow closer to God.

Island Catholic Schools

\$325,000

We're building safer, improved space in our schools, helping our children thrive and learn in a faith-based environment.

2017 Appeal Goal ...\$750,000