

GUIDELINES FOR GIVING

Please review the gift charts as you consider your commitment to St. Austin Catholic Parish. Each one of us has unique circumstances and income. The gift charts below serve as a guideline to help you determine an appropriate level of giving based on your means. The charts are only suggestions. If everyone makes a commitment to the best of their financial ability, St. Austin's Finance Council, Pastoral Council and Pastoral Staff will be able to plan for the future accordingly. Thank you for prayerfully considering your commitment level.

SUGGESTED WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION BASED ON INCOME		
Annual Income	5% Commitment (annually/weekly)	3% Commitment (annually/weekly)
\$100,000	\$5,000/\$100	\$3,000/\$60
75,000	3,750/75	2,250/45
60,000	3,000/60	1,800/36
50,000	2,500/50	1,500/30
40,000	2,000/40	1,200/24
30,000	1,500/30	900/18
25,000	1,250/25	750/15
15,000	750/15	450/9

SUGGESTED WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION BASED ON A PERCENTAGE INCREASE			
Your Current Offertory Contribution	25% Increase	30% Increase	40% Increase
\$5.00	\$6.25	\$6.50	\$7.00
10.00	12.50	13.00	14.00
15.00	18.70	19.50	21.00
20.00	25.00	26.00	28.00
25.00	31.25	32.50	35.00
30.00	37.50	39.00	42.00
35.00	43.75	45.50	49.00
40.00	50.00	52.00	56.00
50.00	62.50	65.00	70.00
75.00	93.75	97.50	105.00

Gracious and loving God,

Pour forth your blessings upon St. Austin Catholic Parish.

Inspire us to be welcoming to all who seek to find within our parish a spiritual home. Motivate us to share our faith and to be mindful of the needs of others. Teach us to trust in your promise to provide for us.

Form us through the Holy Eucharist into the Body of Christ, the Church.

Inspire us to be generous in sharing our gifts of time, talent, and treasure.

Almighty Father, bless our parish through. Make it a means by which we grow as stewards and gather the resources needed in order to do the important work of building up your kingdom.

This we ask through Christ our Lord.

Amen.