



# Alive News

## A Decision of Faith...

### What is the Right Amount to Pledge?

These questions are here to help you decide. Only you know the answer.

1. Is your pledge motivated by love and gratitude to God – a way to acknowledge all the ways that God has blessed you?
2. Does your pledge stretch your faith by lifting you beyond your comfort zone, causing a new selflessness on your part and requiring you to place your trust first in God?
3. Do you feel a sense of purpose and a spirit of joy in making your pledge rather than responding from a sense of obligation or guilt?
4. Will your support serve as a loving witness that would inspire those who know you?

If you have not already done so, please prayerfully consider making a sacrificial gift of your substance to *Alive in Christ*. Next week you will have an opportunity to make your decision during Mass. Through your generosity and the support of others like you, St. Teresa will:

- NEW CARPET AND TILE THROUGHOUT THE CHURCH
- NEW ALTAR AND AMBO
- LIGHTING AND SOUND SYSTEM

## Did you know...

### Learn How We Impact the Larger Church Family

As Catholics, we celebrate our faith through Mass. There is no celebration without priests who willingly give their lives in service to God and to His people. Here in the Diocese of Orlando, we have been blessed with clergy who lead their parishes with great dedication and devotion; yet half of our priests are over age 60.

Through *Alive in Christ*, permanent endowments will enable the diocese to pursue innovative strategies to inspire new vocations. In addition to the new Catholic Campus Ministry Center at UCF, our parishes and schools will form vocations committees to promote an awareness of vocations as a gift from God and to provide information, prayer, and spiritual direction to those who are discerning their call.



***"Sell your possessions and give to charity; make yourselves money belts which do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near nor moth destroys." - Luke 12:22***

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