

St. Monica's Second Collections November & December 2022

Christmas Flowers- Text 'XMASFLOWERS'

November 6 Building God's Kingdom from Within- Text *BGK* Building God's Kingdom from Within is more than just a capital campaign, it is a call to deeper conversion in worship of God in spirit and truth, physically and spiritually relaying that Jesus is indeed, truly present here. This interior renovation and beautification of our sanctuary and church will strengthen our communion with the Lord, and evangelize current and future Catholic generations. The space constructed where our parish family joins together has served us well; now it is time to fulfill our original vision by renewing, elevating and glorifying God in this space, which will serve us to be family in life eternal.

November 6 Archdiocesan Seminarians Text *ARCHSEM* As Pope John Paul II said, "The responsibility for the seminary belongs to the entire Christian community." In our Archdiocese, we are blessed with many men who are responding to a call for priestly service to the people of God in the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Though this generous gift of God is a blessing, it does pose a challenge. These men need both our financial support and our prayers.

November 13 SVdP Text *SVDP* Through the SVDP monthly envelope collection, Poor Box and Thrift Store we are able to impact the lives of many families in our area with financial assistance for rent, food, utilities, clothing and many additional financial needs. We closely listen to their problems, offering spiritual support and suggestions for a more sustainable life. Your generosity is appreciated.

November 24 Thanksgiving Text *OFF*

November 27 Project Hope Text *HOPE* Project Hope is a special fund used to assist active practicing parishioners with temporary financial needs. Thank you for your generosity.

December 2022

December 4 Building God's Kingdom from Within *BGK 4* Text *BGK* Building God's Kingdom from Within is more than just a capital campaign, it is a call to deeper conversion in worship of God in spirit and truth, physically and spiritually relaying that Jesus is indeed, truly present here. This interior renovation and beautification of our sanctuary and church will strengthen our communion with the Lord, and evangelize current and future Catholic generations. The space constructed where our parish family joins together has served us well; now it is time to fulfill our original vision by renewing, elevating and glorifying God in this space, which will serve us to be family in life eternal.

December 8 Immaculate Conception Text *OFF*

December 11 St Vincent de Paul Text *SVDP* Through the SVDP monthly envelope collection, Poor Box and Thrift Store we are able to impact the lives of many families in our area with financial assistance for rent, food, utilities, clothing and many additional financial needs. We closely listen to their problems, offering spiritual support and suggestions for a more sustainable life. Your generosity is appreciated.

December 11 Retirement for Religious Text *RETIRE* Help aging religious. Senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have devoted their lives to prayer, service, and works of mercy. Most ministered for little or no pay. Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. Your gift to today's Retirement Fund for Religious collection helps to furnish medications, nursing care, and other necessities. Please give generously

December 25 Catholic Charities Atlanta *CATHCHAR* Catholic Charities provides transformative services that enable families to overcome barriers and achieve self-sufficiency.

January 1, 2023 Mary Mother of God Text *OFF*