



We are the Church

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

We are immensely grateful for your generosity with the gifts you have received!

Together we are working toward meeting the requirements of the \$375,000 challenge grant. We have reached 77% of our challenge to raise \$3 million in offertory donations by Monday, December 31, 2018. With less than two months remaining, **we need another \$168,772.73 in special gifts (large and small)**. Taking into consideration the remaining Sundays & Holy Days for the year, it looks like we will be 5.63% short in meeting our goal. With all of us pulling together, we can finish “Over-The-Top” for the year! Please prayerfully consider making a special gift above and beyond your normal Sacrificial Giving amount to help us reach this goal. If you would like to discuss this or you want to give shares of stock, other securities or make a gift from an IRA, please call Heidi 407.265.2312. The \$375,000 grant will go a long way in supporting Christ’s mission on earth. Help us earn this challenge grant!

The last regular Sunday offertory collection for this calendar year will be Sunday, December 30. We can count any envelopes or checks we receive prior to 11:59 pm on December 31; either in the mail (postmarked by December 31), in person, or through the secure drop-box on the wall to the left of the Parish Office front door. Donations can also be made through our website StMaryMagdalen.org (Website uses a secure PayPal portal, but no PayPal account needed).

\$168,772.73
How much we need
in special gifts by
December 31

Many thanks in advance for all your generous support this year!

In Christ’s peace, love and joy,

Fr. Charlie

Note of clarification: Sacrificial Giving pledges are always based on the calendar year ending December 31. The \$375,000 Challenge Grant qualification period also runs with the 2018 calendar year ending December 31.



St. Mary Magdalen Parish 2018 "Over-the-Top" Donation Form

Thank you for considering giving a special gift to help us earn the 2018 challenge grant! We must meet our goal by Monday, December 31. I pray that everyone will pull together and do his/her very best to help. **We need another \$168,772.73 in special gifts (large and small) during the month of November and December to earn the \$375,000 challenge grant.** Please prayerfully consider making a tithe on your investment gains or a special one-time tithe on assets in general. These one-time special gifts are above and beyond one's regular Sunday Offertory (Sacrificial Giving) contributions. Some may wish to make a special gift to honor or memorialize a loved one.

Donor Name(s) (First, Last) _____

Business (if applicable) _____

Home/Business Street Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Daytime Phone/Evening Phone _____

This Gift is: in Honor of in Memory of in Thanksgiving for

Please Specify Name(s): _____

Amount of Gift: \$ _____

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$3,000 (Steward) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000 (Leader) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000 (Benefactor)* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$5,000 (Provider) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000 (Builder) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000 (Cornerstone)* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$7,500 (Patron) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$75,000 (Champion) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 (Partner) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000 (Pillar)* | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$15,000 (Guardian) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$250,000 (Founder)* | |

** Pillar, Founder, Benefactor and Cornerstone gift levels may optionally be designated toward future-year challenge grants and would only need to be donated once the parish has met the requirements of the grant.*

My/Our gift qualifies for matching funds from: _____

To meet the requirements of the 2018 challenge grant (\$375,000),
all gifts must be received by the parish no later than December 31, 2018.

Please mail this form with your tax-deductible donation made payable to:

**St. Mary Magdalen Parish
861 Maitland Avenue, Altamonte Springs, FL 32701**

Questions: Please contact Heidi Lewis in the Parish Office at 407.265.2312