

# St. Mary of the Assumption

## *“One Faith, One Hope, One Family The Tradition Continues”*

### Together, We Make A Difference

As Catholics, we have a responsibility to meet the needs of our parish and to act collectively for the benefit of us all. Today our parish faces the beginning of a new century of service to our Lord. The *One Faith, One Hope, One Family: The Tradition Continues* campaign is being conducted to fund important needs in our parish and to allow us to move into this new century.

The \$2.5-million goal is designed to provide the resources we need to beautify our historic church, enhance and improve our school buildings, plan for the future at our cemetery and for a possible new Spirit Center. The benefit from these projects will enhance our worship experience at Mass and enable St. Mary School to lift hearts and build hope, as well as prepare for the promise of a bold future.

As the campaign moves forward, we will be sharing more information with you during Mass, in the bulletin, at receptions, and in information packets for each family.

As our parish moves forward, each of us are asked to do three things:

- **Listen and Learn.** Come to understand the needs of our parish in a very detailed way and to see the impact of what the funds raised will do.
- **Reflect and Pray.** Consider what all will be accomplished and the importance of the Church in your life. As a family, seek God’s guidance as to how you can best help. Ask questions and ensure your understanding during this period.
- **Decide and Act.** When you feel you have had your questions answered and can determine how best you can assist, please make your pledge and celebrate with our entire parish family.

In the coming weeks, we will build on this information and look forward to an active dialogue with you. Thank you for your prayers, consideration, and interest in our parish.

*Campaign Goal: \$2,500,000*  
*Challenge Goal: \$3,000,000*