



In 1955, a visionary group of lay Catholic leaders in the Dallas business and professional community established The Catholic Foundation to help address the spiritual and physical needs of the less fortunate in our community.

Over the last
40 years,
we have awarded
more than
\$100 million
in grants to
religious, charitable
and educational
organizations.

THE CATHOLIC FOUNDATION

We manage more than \$223 million in assets in more than 390 charitable funds and trusts.



We support the causes, both Catholic and non-Catholic, most important to our donors.

We distribute grants throughout the country and our local community.



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In 2015, The Catholic Foundation awarded more than \$15 million through more than 1,300 grants.



More than 500 different organizations, from local to global, received grants from The Catholic Foundation in 2015.



We offer planned giving

expertise

to every Catholic organization
in the Dallas community
through our Organization
Endowment Program.

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We receive, invest and distribute funds from the Our Faith Our Future Capital Campaign.

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The Catholic Foundation distributes grants from funds established by donors, as well as discretionary funds like the unrestricted Philanthropy Fund, from which grants are awarded to serve the ever-changing needs of the local Catholic community.



## **Our Funds include:**

- 12. The Philanthropy Fund
- 13. Donor Advised Funds
- 14. Designated Funds
- 15. Field of Interest Funds
- 16. Scholarship Funds
- 17. Memorial Funds
- 18. Support Organizations

## Gifts you can give The Catholic Foundation include:

19. Cash

- 20. Appreciated Securities
- 21. Closely Held Stock
- 22. Real Estate
- 23. Tangible Personal Property
- 24. Oil, Mineral and Royalty Interests
- 25. Intellectual Property Rights
- 26. Life Insurance
- 27. Mutual Funds
- 28. Qualified Retirement Plan Assets

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We were the first Catholic Foundation in the nation.

## **Events**

## Every year, we host, present or sponsor:

- 30. Catholic Community Network
- 31. Professional Advisors Series
- 32. Work of Heart Awards
- 33. The Catholic Foundation Award Dinner
- 34. The Catholic Foundation Scholar Award
- 35. Art Competition in TCF Plaza
- 36. The Catholic Foundation Award

## **Constituencies**

- **37.** Our Advisory Council increases our visibility in the community.
- 38. We collaborate with other foundations.
- 39. We are governed by a lay Board of Trustees.
- **40.** We can work closely with your professional advisors.
- 41. We assist priests with their personal charitable giving.

## Service

- 42. We have a longstanding, experienced, committed staff to serve you.
- 43. We are an independent charitable organization.
- **44.** We offer dedicated personal service.

- 45. We honor and carry out our donors' intentions.
- **46.** We partner with donors and charitable nonprofits.
- 47. We preserve the philanthropic legacies of our donors.
- 48. We provide professional investment oversight.
- 49. We serve our community's educational, charitable and religious needs.
- 50. You can count on us for due diligence on grant recipients.
- 51. We recognize our community's ever-changing needs.
- 52. We preserve our founders' original vision.
- 53. We support local Catholic schools.

## **Donor Support**

- 54. We educate donors on impactful giving.
- 55. We deliver faithful stewardship of donor gifts.
- 56. We build strong relationships with donors.
- **57.** We offer a type of Donor Advised Fund without fees.
- 58. Our Legacy Circle honors donors who have made long-term commitments to The Catholic Foundation.

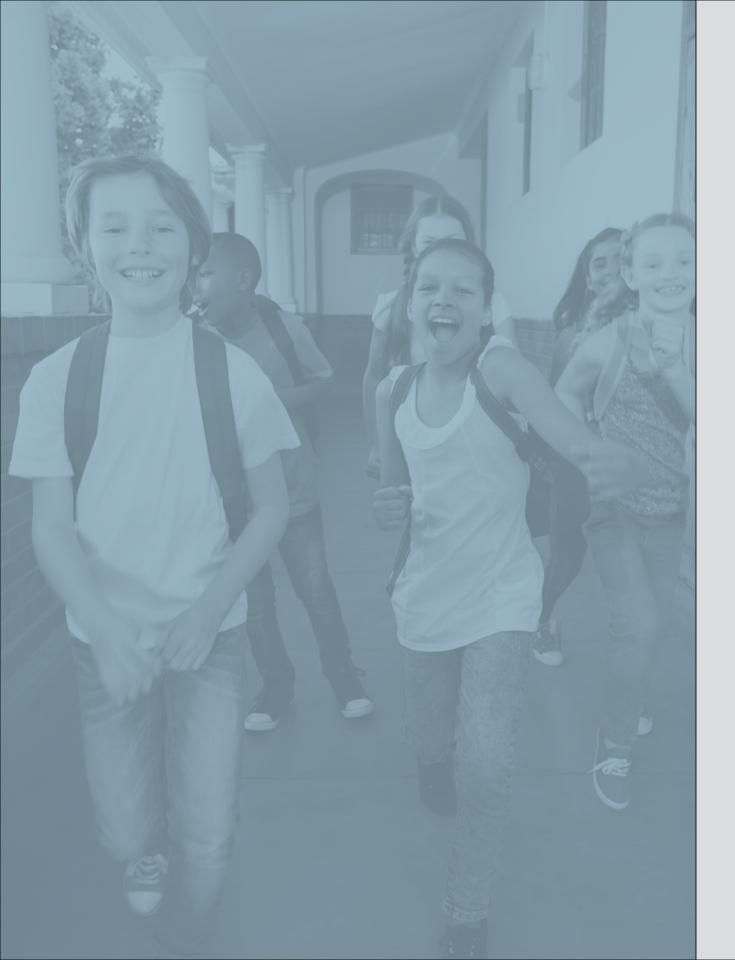
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We have a new home.

12222 Merit Drive, Suite 850, Dallas, Texas.

Get in touch, ask us how you can make a difference.



## DEAR FRIENDS,

Sixty years of giving, sixty years of impact, sixty years of stewardship. We are proud to carry on the work started sixty years ago by Bishop Gorman, Ed Maher and Tom Unis. We would not be here today without the generosity of all the donors who have given throughout the years, those who left permanent endowments at The Catholic Foundation, donors who currently give through the Foundation to their favorite charities and those who have entrusted us to carry out their charitable intentions in their wills. We appreciate the work of all our former and current trustees and employees to help direct and execute the mission of the Foundation.

During 2015, the Foundation grew from \$203 million to more than \$223 million in assets under management. Contributions to The Catholic Foundation increased from nearly \$45 million in 2014 to more than \$53 million in 2015. In 2014, the Foundation granted more than \$12 million into the community, while 2015 grants increased to \$15.36 million. We made more than 1,300 grants in 2015 to more than 505 unique organizations here in the Dallas area and across the United States.

In 2013, Bishop Farrell established a Designated Fund at the Foundation for the Our Faith — Our Future Capital Campaign. The Diocese has completed the solicitation phase of the campaign, as did eight other parishes with combined campaign funds at The Catholic Foundation. Fulfillment of pledges will continue for the next several years with the Foundation receiving, investing and distributing the funds committed to the capital campaign.

We kicked off our parish and organizational endowment program in 2015. This program provides parishes, schools and Catholic organizations all the tools and information necessary to establish a planned giving program. This is a great vehicle for organizations to secure future gifts from their current donors to ensure the next generation receives similar benefits. Over the next four years, we plan to meet with and present these materials to every Catholic organization in our nine-county Catholic community.

Giving through The Catholic Foundation not only benefits donors' favorite charities, but increases their community impact. Modest fees or investment income earned from all funds go into our discretionary Philanthropy Fund. Grant distributions from the Philanthropy Fund help our Catholic community with urgent and ever-changing needs each fall and spring. The more donors who give through the Foundation, the greater the benefit to our local Catholic community.

For those who have not yet established a charitable fund — please consider making your lifetime charitable gifts through The Catholic Foundation. Collectively, we can make a greater impact in our community today and provide resources for the future. For those of you contemplating your estate plan, count on The Catholic Foundation to help guide you through the process and assist you in establishing your charitable legacy.

On behalf of the entire Board and staff, we appreciate your confidence in The Catholic Foundation to serve you and carry out your charitable intentions. Your trust in us has yielded another very positive and promising report on The Catholic Foundation for 2015.



Victoria P. Lattner

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**J. Matthew Kramer**President and Chief Executive Officer

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## 60 Years of Donors Leaving A Legacy

1955 Founded in 1955 as the first Catholic Foundation in the

country.



The Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Dallas-Ft. Worth was founded by Bishop Thomas K. Gorman, Edward R. Maher and Thomas C. Unis.

Pictured (1 to r): Edward R. Maher, Bishop Gorman, and Thomas C. Unis

1965 Made first Philanthropy Fund grant for \$10,543.



1972 **Received James** Simmons' \$2.6 million gift.



Surpassed \$100,000 in annual grants in 1980.



1983 Presented first **Catholic Foundation** 



Surpassed the million-dollar mark in grants awarded.



1991

Awarded first \$1M grant to

Next Generation Campaign.



Celebrated 50th anniversary.



**Dedicated Catholic** Foundation Art Plaza.



Established Legacy Circle to honor donors.

Created Our Faith, Our Future Campaign Fund for Diocese of Dallas.



2015 **Initiated Organizational Endowment Program.** 

Surpassed \$100 million in grants in the history of the Foundation.

## STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

December 31, 2015 (with comparative amounts as of December 31, 2014)

**Assets** 

Cash and cash equivalents Accounts and trade receivable Receivable from fund manager Pledges receivable, net Beneficial interest in trusts held by others Investments Agency funds Real estate held for investment Other assets	\$ 4,558,300 296,446 - 37,243,579 1,995,633 129,105,268 45,424,393 3,641,031 844,774	\$ 1,156,523 516,087 2,259,251 30,295,111 2,313,135 118,442,706 43,582,191 3,408,031 <u>568,729</u>	
Total assets	\$ 223,109,424	\$ 202,541,764	
Liabilities and net assets			
Liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 2,129,691	\$ 574,553	
Distributions payable	61,050	61,473	
Grants payable	1,495,408	1,569,077	
Liability to trust beneficiaries	3,261,026	3,469,747	
Agency funds	45,424,393	43,582,191	
Deferred revenue	4,083,626	4,516,280	
Annuities payable	5,057,602	5,139,084	
Total liabilities	61,512,796	58,912,405	
Net assets			
Unrestricted	28,907,899	31,728,193	
Temporarily restricted	101,092,416	80,937,898	
Permanently restricted	31,596,313	30,963,268	
Total net assets	161,596,628	143,629,359	
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 223,109,424</u>	\$ 202,541,764	

2015

2014

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## STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

Year ended December 31, 2015 (with summarized financial information for the year ended December 31, 2014)  Revenue, gains, and other support	<u>Unrestricted</u>	Temporarily restricted	Permanently restricted	2015 <u>Total</u>	2014 <u>Total</u>
Contributions, net	\$ 649.008	\$ 52,623,560	\$ 510,251	\$ 53,782,819	\$ 44,349,376
Investment income	φ 0.5,000	Ψ 02,020,000	φ 010,201	<b>+</b> 00,702,010	Ψ,σ .σ,σ,σ
Dividends and interest	687,607	1,343,570	44,904	2,076,081	1,915,264
Net realized and unrealized gains					
(losses) on investments	(1,392,302)	(1,853,011)	50,427	(3,194,886)	3,860,376
Real estate income	11,965	2,835	-	14,800	17,390
Investment advisory fees	1,552,399	-	-	1,552,399	1,208,320
Other	25,698	5,574	-	31,272	158,608
Loss on uncollectible accounts		(15,933,595)		(15,933,595)	(3,878,374)
Change in value of split-interest					
agreements	(112,049)	420,193	27,463	335,607	(115,500)
Net assets released from restrictions	16,454,608	(16,454,608)			
Total revenue, gains,					
and other support	\$ 17,876,934	\$ 20,154,518	\$ 633,045	\$ 38,664,497	\$ 47,515,460
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Expenses					
Grants	1,120,285	-	-	1,120,285	1,062,469
Distributions	14,239,898	-	-	14,239,898	11,040,441
Annuity payments and distributions					
to beneficiaries	599,720	-	-	599,720	594,429
Development	1,165,992	-	-	1,165,992	1,071,624
Management and general	<u>3,571,333</u>			<u>3,571,333</u>	2,753,770
Total expenses	20,697,228			20,697,228	16,522,733
Change in net assets	(2,820,294)	20,154,518	633,045	17,967,269	30,992,727
Net assets at beginning of year	31,728,193	80,937,898	30,963,268	143,629,359	112,636,632
Net assets at end of year	\$ 28,907,899	\$ 101,092,416	\$ 31,596,313	\$ 161,596,628	\$ 143,629,359

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1.

Outline your personal philanthropic goals.

2.

Determine how much you wish to invest in philanthropy now and/or through a simple designation in a will or trust to establish a named charitable fund at the Foundation or a gift to the Foundation's discretionary Philanthropy Fund.

3.

Name the fund and name the fund advisors.

4.

Work with a Catholic Foundation professional to determine investment and spending policies for the fund.

5.

Establish your fund with an initial gift and/or translate your charitable intentions into a lasting legacy through your will or trust.

Let's begin the conversation.

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## **Our Mission**

The Catholic Foundation promotes compassionate charitable giving and stewardship that serves donors and the needs of our community.



Please remember The Catholic Foundation in your charitable planning.

For more information contact Cheryl Unis Mansour, Michael George or Mike Murray at 972.661.9792 or info@catholicfoundation.com

