

2016 PLEDGE FORM
FAITH IN ACTION

Name _____

Parish _____

Address _____

Street _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

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TIME & TALENT

I am willing to help in the following areas:

1. _____

2. _____ 3. _____

If more room is needed please write on a separate piece of paper

Treasure: I pledge a total of \$ _____,
which will be paid as follows:

- Total amount enclosed
- Total amount in one payment at another time
- Total amount through installments in:

Oct. 2016 \$ _____ Nov. 2016 \$ _____

Dec. 2016 \$ _____

Donate online through your parish's website

or visit www.dioceseofjuneau.org
for further information on FIA

All donations are tax deductible.

PLEASE CUT OFF AND MAIL FORM WITH YOUR PAYMENT TO YOUR PARISH OFFICE

THERE IS SO MUCH
INDIFFERENCE IN THE FACE
OF SUFFERING. MAY WE
OVERCOME INDIFFERENCE
WITH CONCRETE ACTS OF
CHARITY.

- Pope Francis



DIOCESE OF JUNEAU
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2016

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APPEAL

CHARITY—
the HEART
of MERCY



FAITH IN ACTION
CAMPAIGN

Corporal Works of Mercy

Feed the Hungry
Give Drink to the Thirsty
Clothe the Naked
Shelter the Homeless
Visit the Sick
Visit the Imprisoned
Bury the Dead

Spiritual Works of Mercy

Counsel the Doubtful
Instruct the Ignorant
Convert the Sinner
Comfort the Sorrowful
Forgive Offenses Willingly
Bear Wrongs Patiently
Pray for the Living and the Dead



August 1, 2016

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

The theme of this year's *Faith in Action* appeal is '**Charity - the Heart of Mercy**'.

In declaring this year an Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy, Pope Francis said, "Special care should always be shown to emphasize and encourage the highest and most central values of the Gospel, particularly the primacy of charity, as a response to the completely gratuitous offer of God's love." (*Misericordiae Vultus*)

As faithful Catholics, we believe that mercy includes the practice of charity through the Corporal and Spiritual works of Mercy. By participating in the *Faith in Action* appeal, we reflect our gratitude for the charity shown to us by our Heavenly Father. Giving to the *Faith in Action* appeal allows the Catholic community to demonstrate mercy and love of God throughout Southeast Alaska.

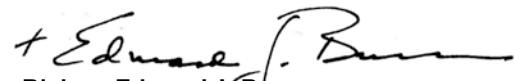


Through your gift, the Diocese is able to provide liturgical, sacramental, catechetical, and financial assistance to the 9 parishes and the 17 mission communities in Southeast Alaska. Your donations also play a crucial part in the formation of seminarians, priests, and deacons who serve us throughout their lives - even in retirement.

Please join me in giving to the 2016 Diocesan *Faith in Action* appeal so we can help make God's love and mercy a reality for people in our parishes, communities and throughout our diocese.

Thomas Aquinas said, "Charity by its very nature has no limit to its increase, for it is a participation in that infinite charity which is the Holy Spirit." May that same Spirit bestow blessings to you and your loved ones.

Sincerely in Christ,


Bishop Edward J. Burns
Diocese of Juneau

Learn more at: www.dioceseofjuneau.org

The Diocese of Juneau 2016 Financial Report is available for viewing on the Diocesan website, or upon request. Visit: www.dioceseofjuneau.org/financial-statements

