



Bulletin Notes for August 2024

Please consider using these notes in your parish bulletin or newsletters to encourage charitable giving to your parish endowment fund, which will benefit your parish forever. Many of these gift channels may also benefit offertory.

August focus: Leaving a gift through a will or estate plan

August is national Make-A-Will Month. Use this opportunity to plant the seed for parishioners to include your parish endowment fund in their will to perpetuate their love for your parish forever.

Questions? Visit cfnga.org/resources/parish-resources for more, or call us at 404.497.9440.

Bonus Our annual Deo Gratias Recognition Mass and Reception with the archbishop is coming up on September 21. There is a special bulletin note this month you can run to encourage your community to let you know if anyone has made a legacy gift (planned gift) that will benefit your parish. We help you steward your legacy donors and celebrate their commitment to our faith.

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Bulletin Notes for August Sundays

August 4 – 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Make-A-Will Month: August is National Make-A-Will Month. Consider leaving a gift to our parish's endowment fund in your will or estate plans to perpetuate your support of our community forever. Visit cfngalegacy.org for free online will planning tools or contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at jgreco@cfnga.org or 404.497.9440.

August 11 – 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Love never ends." 1 Corinthians 13:8 - The love for your parish can live on forever when you include the parish endowment fund in your will. The parish endowment fund ensures the vitality of your parish long into the future. To download a free planning your will guide, go to go to cfngalegacy.org or contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at jgreco@cfnga.org or 404.497.9440 to learn more.

August 18 – 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Leaving a Legacy to the Parish: Giving assets to the parish endowment fund through your will enables you to help your parish long into the future, without affecting your cash flow now. August is National Write-A-Will Month and a good reminder to update or create a will to include charitable entities. For more information, contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at jgreco@cfnga.org or 404.497.9440.



August 25 – 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Honoring the Lord with Our Gifts: During National Write-A-Will Month, make a gift to our parish in your will or estate plans to create your own Catholic legacy. There are many ways to support our parish without affecting cash flow. For more information, please contact Juliet Greco at jgreco@cfnga.org or 404.497.9440.

Additional Bulletin Note

Please consider including an announcement about the Deo Gratias Society in your bulletin a few times over the next few months. If you know someone from your parish who has named your parish in his or her will, please let us know so we can celebrate their commitment to the Catholic community.

Deo Gratias – Thanks Be To God! Have you planned a gift in your will or estate plan to support your parish, Catholic school, or favorite ministry? Contact the Catholic Foundation to be included and honored in the Deo Gratias Society. This year's Mass and Celebration with Archbishop Hartmayer will be September 21 at 10:00 AM. Visit cfnga.org or call 404.497.9440 for more information.