

2020 IN-PEW SCRIPT

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After the Speaker...

(If your parish has a speaker start here)

Thank you, once again to “speaker name” for sharing that impactful story of how **Together in Mission** plays such a critical role at your (parish/school).

I'm grateful, our parish has supported your efforts.
(if your parish does not have a speaker start here)

This weekend, Archbishop Gomez invites all Catholics to make their yearly commitment to the **Together in Mission** appeal. I want to thank everyone who has given generously to Together in Mission in the past. Your support ensured that the doors remained open at parishes & schools (like we just heard from our speaker/saw on the video) throughout the Archdiocese. Your past gifts have made their work and ministry possible.

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For those of you who are new to our parish or may not have not made a gift in the past, I hope you are struck by the impact and the importance that your gifts can make in the lives of those supported by **Together in Mission**. We invite you to make a commitment of \$250, or \$25 a month to help the parish communities in most need.

I ask that everyone here today make a true commitment to this campaign. Each of us is called to love one another through our prayers and actions. **Together in Mission** is a perfect opportunity to act on our love for our Catholic brethren living right here in our community.

At this time, (Each of you should have a pledge envelope/ there should be pledge envelopes coming around).

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For those parishioners who would like to pay their pledge electronically, we invite you to pull out your mobile phones and visit togetherinmission.org to make your gift. The website is also found on the pledge card in the pews.

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For those of you that would like to use the paper commitment envelope please complete the first 3 lines of the pledge card with your family's biographical information. You will see there is a box to mark if you have given to **Together in Mission** in the past.

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Please select that box if your family has made a gift to the campaign. Please remember that your generous gift could have been made at another parish.

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If your address has an apartment or suite number please be sure to include it on the address line. This address information will be used by the Together in Mission office to send you pledge reminders and send you tax receipts.

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Please also consider including your email address and phone number. The **Together in Mission** office will use this contact information to remind you of your pledge balance and send you email receipts. Next, please select your Total Commitment Amount for the 2020 campaign.

Remember, you are selecting the total amount that you and your family can commit throughout 2020. You can pay your pledge with 10 monthly gifts rather than making 1 full gift. Please select one of the listed total commitment amounts or write-in your own amount in the appropriate box.

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We encourage you to commit to a gift that is within your family's means. The **Together in Mission** office will send monthly billing reminders to your home and if you provide it, your email address so you can complete your pledge in comfortable installments throughout the year.

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If you want to include a first installment on your pledge today, write on the line labeled "amount enclosed" you are choosing to include today and place your check or cash in the envelope.

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For those of you wanting to pay by credit card, you can choose to make a one-time gift or divide your total pledge into monthly payments. Simply select the box marked "monthly installments" on the pledge card.

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(Someone will come by to pick up your pledge envelopes/
Please drop your pledge envelope in the basket)

Please don't take the envelope home. It important that you consider making your pledge today. Don't leave for tomorrow what you can do today!

On behalf of the more than 15,000 students, and their families attending the schools this campaign supports, as well as the approximate 525,000 families living in the 67 parish communities that will benefit from your generosity, we would like to thank you for your support.

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