

Capital News from the Capital Campaign Committee — March 28, 2023

Caring for God's House - Together



Generosity

Did you hear? Generosity affects our state lawmakers, too!

Our legislators and Governor are giving the taxpayers of New Mexico another gift. At some point this year – the news story did not say when – <u>Santa Fe will send each</u> taxpayer \$500.

This is in addition to money they have sent in previous years through the Covid era, because the state has had an oil & gas cash overflow. Is this radical generosity at the state level?

Would you be willing to joyfully pass on this gift to the church?

Here at Rio Rancho Presbyterian we could use some of that windfall to help us get to our \$400,000 Capital campaign goal. In addition, it would help the campaign by boosting the cash in the bank – so the Projects Management Team would be confident in fulfilling payments to contractors. Such a gift would make a big difference!

Please give this serious & prayerful thought. We know inflation has impacted our expenses and thankfully this can offset some of that. But also include the church in how you can use that windfall. Consider using it to enlarge your pledge to RRPC or to fund your existing pledge this year. Maybe you haven't yet decided that a pledge would be within your means? New Mexico is giving you the means!

Please join us as we work joyfully to enhance God's House – Together! This is a moment for extravagant grace and generosity.

Thank you!!

Prayer for fundraisers & our Capital Campaign "Caring for God's House – Together" Good & gracious God, we recognize all life is a gift and a blessing. Thank you for your most generous love.

Encourage us to be persons of honesty and integrity, worthy of proclaiming the Gospel, in this sacred ministry that includes fundraising.

Help us to always reverence the sacred space where our donors and our missions meet. Give us openness to listen to the needs of our donors.

Give us joyful spirits and an eagerness to engage others.

Give us hopeful imagination and creative vision, recognizing generosity in even the smallest gift. Give us strong, steadfast hearts, knowing that the fruits of labors will be realized long after we are gone.

Give us faithful hearts, deeply committed to your realm.

Let us feel your presence so that we know we are never truly alone.

Remind us always that what we do for the least of our sisters and brothers, we do for you.

We ask this is Jesus' name and in unity with the Holy Spirit. Amen

(with permission from Sisters of Charity of Nazareth)

Thank you for your support!

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