# **CAMPAIGN GOALS** (rounded to nearest \$5,000)

With the funds we have on deposit, the sale of our two former properties and a generous gift from the Diocese, our responsibility to pay for the church will be greatly reduced. However, even with this help, it is likely that the total project cost will require the parish to contribute a significant amount of money – upwards of several million dollars. The *One Heart, One Soul* Campaign allows us the vehicle to reduce that amount even further and it will be the commitment you provide that will make this happen. By moving up in the goals below, we will place ourselves in the best financial position possible.



## INITIAL GOAL: \$775,000

- Funds for Building the New Church: \$600,000\*
- Diocesan Share: \$175,000
- o Diocesan Ministries Shared by Parishes: \$105,000
- o Support to Parishes in Need: \$70,000

\*Note: Although \$600,000 is our initial goal to raise for building our church; it would be to our great advantage to raise as much as we can - beyond this amount - to lessen what we will have to borrow and carry as a mortgage.

### **CHALLENGE GOAL: \$1 MILLION**

- Funds for Building the New Church: \$790,000
- Diocesan Share: \$210,000
- o Diocesan Ministries Shared by Parishes: \$125,000
- o Support to Parishes in Need: \$85,000

# **VICTORY GOAL: \$1.2 MILLION**

- Funds for Building the New Church: \$990,000
- Diocesan Share: \$210,000 (no change from Challenge Goal)
- o Diocesan Ministries Shared by Parishes: \$125,000
- o Support to Parishes in Need: \$85,000

We are being given a great opportunity! Please consider a sacrificial gift to the campaign so that we make the best of this chance to commence building our new church.



### PARISH CAMPAIGN LEADERSHIP

Fr. Mark Gatto, Pastor
Fr. Ross Campbell, Associate Pastor
Joe Curto
Ken Lancaster
Anthony Simpson
Laura Townsend

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# ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA PARISH

Hamilton, Ontario





e are entering an exciting time in our parish. We are being called and challenged to create something new.

It is not very common, any more, to have the opportunity we have been given - to build a new parish and church. Many of you can point to a church structure – here in Hamilton or elsewhere - and proudly say: "My parents, my grandparents, or my great-grandparents helped build this church."

Now it is our turn to build up the Church in our midst and give testimony of our gratitude to God for all the blessings we have received.

The One Heart, One Soul campaign gives us an avenue to begin the process of making St. Catherine of Siena Parish our own, so that one day it will be our children, grandchildren or great-grandchildren who point to the church and say with pride and devotion that we built something great for the Lord.



"A Catholic parish is called to be the living body of Christ. As we build our new church and facilities, our mission will be to become the presence of the church on the South Hamilton Mountain. Our new church building will be a visible sign of this living parish community. This will require us to be united

in spirit. All will be needed to support this project with prayer, service, financial support and cooperation. We hope to form a welcoming, spirit filled parish. The One Heart, One Soul Campaign is a crucial step in this great adventure that we will be sharing together in the years ahead at St. Catherine of Siena Parish."

FR. MARK GATTO, Pastor



A Campaign for the Diocese of Hamilton

"The importance of this campaign came home to me a couple Sundays ago. I was visiting my family back home. When we went to our "little country parish" for Mass, I looked at a plaque that has been in the vestibule of the church for as long as I can remember. I guess I never paid attention to it until two weeks ago. There, among the names of the original families, were my grandparents' names! That's what this campaign is about: handing on our faith, sharing - with our children and grandchildren - how important God is in our lives."

JENNIFER. Parishioner





# OUR PLAN The Church Construction Project

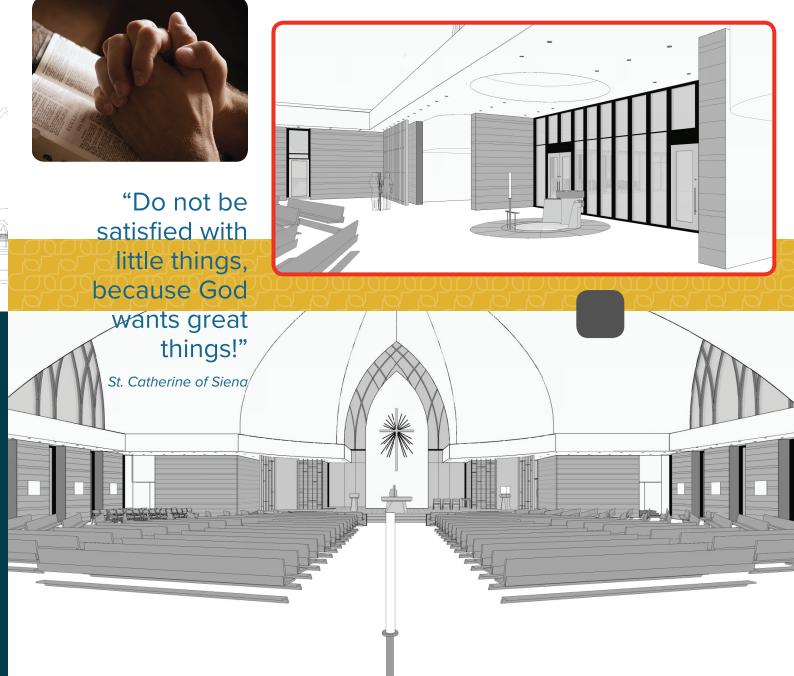
Our new church will be located on eight acres at Rymal Road E. and Upper Sherman Ave. Groundbreaking is set for Spring (2019). The construction will take approximately 18 months. Special features of the church site are:

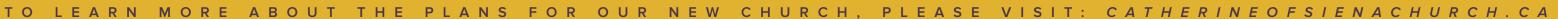
# Church

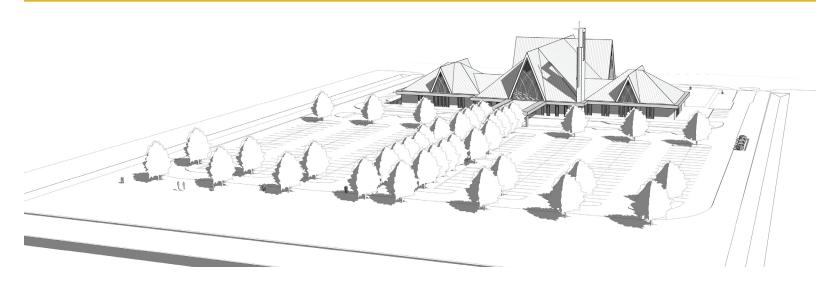
- The new church will have a Eucharist Adoration Chapel (with a separate entry when the church is not open)
- There will be two shrines in the church one dedicated to the Holy Family and the other to St. Catherine
- The new church will seat approximately 750
- There will be a room dedicated for the choir for rehearsal and preparing for liturgies
- Parking for the church and other functions will accommodate 240 vehicles

# Parish Hall and Offices

- The new parish hall will have a full-service kitchen
- The main hall will allow seating for 150
- There will be two additional meeting rooms for smaller groups







# **OUR OPPORTUNITY:** The One Heart, One Soul Campaign

Campaign is initiated by the Diocese, it could not have come at a better time for our parish. We have an incredible opportunity to use the assistance of the Diocese to make great inroads to begin our building campaign. While we are being asked to contribute to ministries shared by all the parishes and assisting parishes in need; the campaign will enable us to maximize the positive effects of our fundraising at the parish level.

Special features of the campaign are:

- We keep 75 percent of the first \$600,000 we raise
- We keep 85 percent of the next \$400,000 we raise
- We keep 100 percent of all funds raised over \$1 million
- There is no cost to the parish. The diocese is paying all expenses related to the campaign

