

ST. COLUMBKILLE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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CELEBRATING
COMMUNITY
Growing In Christ



CAMPAIGN SURGES!

From Fr. Dave

What a great response to our capital campaign!

Just 3 weeks after Commitment Weekend our Celebrating Community – Growing in Christ campaign has generated over \$3.6 million in commitments from 515 households, with over \$775,000 in cash!

Your commitments are the foundation of St. Columbkille's future, allowing us to proceed with our Master Plan.

And now I have even more good news for you: A generous parish family has offered to match any additional gifts up to \$500,000. That means every dollar of new pledges (or increase to an existing pledge) will be doubled now through June 30, 2018. This challenge has the potential to take our campaign effort past \$5,000,000.

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\$500,000 Matching Gift Challenge

A unique campaign challenge encourages all families to return their pledge cards soon. In this challenge, a generous parish family will match every pledge made or increased by June 30, dollar for dollar, up to \$500,000.

With this matching challenge, a new pledge of \$5,000 will, in effect, add \$10,000 to the campaign. For those who have already committed, any increase in your current pledge will also be matched.

If another pledge card is needed to take advantage of this challenge match, please contact the parish office.

CAMPAIGN CO-CHAIRS

Jared and Kim Hollinger



Inviting. Welcoming. Family. Community.

These are words that Jared and Kim Hollinger use to describe St Columbkille.

Growing up in Omaha, Jared attending St. Cecilia grade school and Creighton Prep. Kim grew up in Denver, CO where she attended a very large public high school.

The two met at University of Nebraska-Lincoln during Kim's first weekend of college. "We've been together ever since." They married in 2004 at St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church in Omaha. One of Jared's favorite teachers from Prep, Father Bill O'Leary married the couple.

All four of the Hollinger children: Maren (12), Tommy (10), Kolbe (8) and Maeve (5) will attend St. Columbkille School next year.

An active parish family, the Hollingers look toward the completion of the campaign projects. "It's routinely apparent that we need more space. These projects will enable existing ministries to expand and new ministries to begin. These projects help fully allow our parish to do our part in the greater Catholic community to 'Go and make Disciples.'"

Looking back, the couple recalls, "We knew we wanted a parish with a Catholic grade school for our children." They moved around from parish to parish for a little

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IN APPRECIATION

Giving Thanks In Recognition

Addressing our master plan includes many phases – one of which is to give thanks to those who sacrifice to make it possible. The idea of gratitude doesn't stop here. Generosity begins with gratitude. Are we grateful for the blessings God has poured out upon us? According to Catholic author Matthew Kelley, "Highly engaged Catholics live in a state of gratitude. They have an overwhelming sense that their lives have been blessed".

Gratitude will be a hallmark of this campaign. Generosity is at the heart of the Catholic life - just as it is central to the Gospel. Through our generosity we bring forth the love of God for others in very real and tangible ways.

In gratitude for commitments received, thank you cards and a campaign gift will be sent out in the coming days. Hopefully this gift will serve as a reminder of this process which has grown our parish family closer together.

DONOR RECOGNITION...

A Perpetual Thank You

As the campaign continues to evolve, our campaign leaders are considering ways to honor the sacrifice of those supporting this effort. A donor recognition display is being considered for the new parish center. Such a display would serve as a timeless thank you from a gracious parish family.

Our Thanks and Events Teams are considering possibilities for a campaign celebration, later in the summer. Please look for updates in the bulletin.

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Thank you to every household for returning your

Linda & Jerry Acquazzino
Dennis & Gayle Albert
Mark & Anne Albracht
Richard & Ronda Alcalá
Michael & Marylou Alfieri
Roger & Terri Allen
Chris & Elaine Allen
Tom & Diane Andersen
William & Mary Anderson
Michael & Kelly Anthofer
Woody & Debbie Armentrout
Michael & Susan Atwood
Richard & Charlene Atz
Gregory & Cheryl Averill
Michael & Cathy Badura
Thomas & Dianne Bainbridge
Mark & Ann Balus
Zach & Erin Bass
Frank Battalion
Dan & Judith Batenhorst
Ellen Baumert
Arthur & Catherine Beccard
Matt & Lindsey Becerra
Eric & Theresa Bender
Emil & Marcia Berecek
Margaret Berentson
Todd & Lisa Berger
Mary & Donald Berglund
Terry & Kathleen Bernth
Francis & Sheila Bieker
Cindy Black
William & Diane Blessie
Jackie Bode-Steinke
Raymond & Marilyn Bombac
Paul & Loraine Bonham
Terry & Teresa Borer
Scott & Katy Bovick
Kent & Carol Brady
John & Linda Bramblett
Rachel Bramblett
Ted & Judith Brass
Jason & Laura Brezenski
Doug & Marybeth Broderick
Bruce & Donna Bruck
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James & Mary Buechler
Tom & Kathy Bumgardner
Mary & Ken Burden
Thomas & Patricia Burns
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Christopher & April Buschelmann
Laurie & Brian Byrne
Michael & Sarah Campie
Kent & Kim Caniglia
Jerry & Judy Caniglia
Rod & Rebecca Cargill
Jason & Mindy Carter
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Chuck & Jean Caskey
Stephen & Ann Caskey
Jose Luis & Julie Castillo
Stephen & Jennifer Cavaliere
Theresa Cavanaugh
Eugene & Julie Cerny
Rosemary Chance
Judee Chmura
David & Colleen Cingle
Alan & Ann Clark
Melanie Colanino
Brett & Audrey Connot
John Conoan
Matt & Katherine Core
Sue Cornwell
Mary Coufal
Monte & Katherine Cox
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Stephen & Julie Crnkovich
Richard & Susan Cummings
Bruce & Alice Cunningham
Todd & Michelle Daniel
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John & Gail DeBoer
Gary & Kristin DeLaet
Mark & Bridget DeLeo
Patrick & Michelle Dempsey
Rick & Stacy Denne
James & Sharon Dennis
James & Josephine Dentinger
Hans & Andrea Dethlefs
Jean Deupree
Rodrigo & Erin Diaz deLeon
Valinda Dicken
Yano & Mary DiGiacomo
Jerome & Deborah Dijak
Michael & Kathleen Dineen
Stephen & Susan Dolezal
Patrick & Teresa Donovan
Dan Donovan
Richard & Clara Loretta Doolittle
Louis & Susan Dorland
Douglas & Joleen Doty
Robert & Theresa Doucette
Joseph & Kathleen Douez
Thomas & Dianna Drackley
Robert & Denise Drexel
Jeff & Traci Driscoll
David & Dee Drozd
Laure Drummy
Richard & Roberta Dunlop
Steve & Mary Dunn
David & Patricia Dwornicki
Mike & Lisa Dyrda
Bob Ecker
Dennis & Candace Edwards
Scott & Angela Eidem
Nicholas & Heidi Emanuel
Judy English
Terri English
Kenneth & Chere Epke
Shawn & Khatu Erlbacher
Keith & Shelly Eschliman
Daniel & Sharon Evon
John & Judy Faust
Michael & Jan Faust
Patrick & Sara Ferguson
Tom & Sandra Ferkinhoff
Nicholas & Diane Ferrara
Matthew & Diane Ferro
Randy & Catherine Feurt
Ramon & Brenda Fierros
Robert & Andrea Fillaus
Lowell & Carol Fischer
Michael & Terry Fisicaro
Randy & Teri Fitzgerald
Donald & Peggy Fitzpatrick
Michael & Sharon Fitzwater
Richard & Deanna Flynn
A.J. & Linda Fontana
Jack & Nancy Foral
Randy & Mary Forest
Julie & Matthew Fowler
Kurt & GERALYN Fox
Bill & Renee Frankman
Rosemary Franks
John & Rosanne Fratzeke
Luke & Marcia Galardi
Michael & Denise Garman
Charles & Laurie Gassert
Tom & Sue Gebhart
Thomas & Monica Gerhart
Jason & Michelle Ginn
Justino & Angelica Gomez
Mark & Janet Goodwin
Steven & Linda Grabowski
David & Ruth Ann Graef
Frank & Kelli Graf
Patrick & Becky Grant
Lloyd & Barbara Gray
Theresa Green
Mike & Perri Grieb
Kristen Grieb
Robert & Linda Gries
Dan & Michelle Grzywa
Rich & Gail Grzywa
Kenneth & Kristine Grzywa
Robert & Cynthia Guerin
Michael & Karen Guy
Robert & Sherry Hahn
David & Teri Handle
Patrick & Suzanne Haney
Julie Haney
Ronald & Theresa Hanzlicek
Sandy & Dan Harrison
Katie & Adam Hart
Ed & Patty Hastings
Ken & Mary Jane Heavrin
Bill & Debi Heese
Brad & Andrea Heffelfinger
Kyler & Amy Hendrickson
Chris & Tara Henkenius
Douglas & Michele Herting
Richard & Teresa Hickman
Cathy High
Bill & Kathleen Hill
Daniel & Shelley Hill
Heather & Dion Hixson
Jared & Kim Hollinger
James & Emily Horacek
James & Helen Horner
Jerry Hotovy
James & Barbara Hougas
Bill & Kathleen Howard
Gerald & Terri Hubenka
Joan Hughbanks
John & Lorraine Humpal
Armida Hurley
James & Cheryl Hurley
Bernard & Laurie Imig

COMMUNITY, GROWING IN CHRIST

commitment card, including:

John & Diane Ingalise
Justin & Wendy Iverson
Scott & Deborah Jackson
Trisha Jacobson
Scott & Danielle Jakopovic
Dave & Mary Beth Jellen
Philip & Carrie Jenkinson
Jennifer & Alex Jensen
Angela Johansen
Joel & Sarah Johnson
Patrick & Mandy Johnston
Mary Kathleen Jones
Michael & Barbara Lynn Jones
Victor & Teresa Jones
Steve & Mary Ann Jordan
Richard Jordan
Jason & Alicia Julian
John & Patty Jurgensen
Winnie Kaipust
Michelle Kaipust
Mike & Jenni Kaipust
Debbie & Andy Karavas
Daniel & Carol Karnowski
Joseph & Susan Kawa
Robert & Maura Kellar
Alfred & Agnes Kelley
Tom & Bev Kellogg
Mark & Megan Kelly
Paul & Barbara Kenney
Peter & Michelle Kenney
Janet Keplinger
Tim & Joan Kepple
Diane Kibbe
Richard & Patricia Kimball
Mary Kisicki
David & Susan Klauschie
Paul & Mardi Kleffner
John & Marion Kleyla
Richard Klostermeyer
Tim & Karen Klusaw
Donald & Cheryl Kohl
Dick & Rose Kohler
Kathy & Donchul Kopocis
Jerry & Nancy Koster
Craig & Joan Kramer
Ken & Roberta Kramer
James & Karen Kramolisch
Charles & Roxanne Krebs
Dennis & Barbara Kreifels
Virginia Kriegler
Gerald & Kandis Krittenbrink
Trevor & Elizabeth Kroll
Edward & Yvonne Kros
Michael & Patricia Krzywicki
Richard & Toni Kuehneman
Joe & Linda Kueper
George & Vicki Kyros
Ed & Melanie Landry
Lindsay Landry
Jean Lane
David & Pat Lang
John & Nancy Langenfeld
Edd & Vicki Lankas
Le Roy & Linda Lape
Duane & Marlene Larchick
Michael & Shelley Larsen
Jessica Larson
Mark & Deb Larson
Eldon & Judy Lauber
Thomas & Janice Leary
Mark & Jessica LeBlanc
John Lepak
Mary Lyn Loeffler
Gregory London
Doris London
Jerome Loos
Jim & Sheila Lorenz
Bernie & Peg Lorkovic
Adam & Audra Losey
Robert & Colleen Macdonald
Dale & Theresa Mackel
Mary Jo Madej
Mark & Lori Maestas
David & Michelle Maher
Arlene Mahoney
Joe & Natalie Mandolfo
Kirk & Dawn Manker
Peter & Carol Mariniello
Steven & Maria Masters
Roger & Carmen McCartney
James & Phyllis McCoy
Robert & Diane McEniry
David & Marian McGath
Kathy McGillivray
William & Colleen McKay
Robert & Carol McKee
Beth & Mark McKelvey
Pat McNally
Douglas & Judith McWilliams
Leonard & Donna Meier
Tom & Judy Meisinger
Channing & Jennifer Middleton
Jack & Bonnie Jean Miller
James Miller
Kevin & Anne Miller
Matthew & Mimi Miller
Michael & Kyong Suk Miller
Jacob & Ashley Miller
Larry & Suzie Mollner
Chuck & Marlo Monico
Greg & Rachael Monico
Daniel & Maria Montalvo
David & Mary Ann Mucia
Michael & Barbara Mueller
Dennis & Ruth Mullin
Brian & Jamie Mundt
Howard & Mary Munshaw
John & Mary Murphy
Jon & Annie Murphy
David & Fonda Narke
Richard & Patricia Nastase
Thomas & Madonna Nelson
Jeff & Kelli Nelson
Greg & Christine Nelson
Melissa & Colin Nelson
Ronald & Sandra Neneman
Jeff & Jenny Nichols
Jane & Dean Nielsen
Lemuel & Antoinette Noble
Don & Deb Nollett
Neal & Evelyn Nordby
Joseph & Joan Norman
James & Frances Norris
Jeff Norris
George & Cathy O'Connell
Timothy & Judith O'Connor
Deb O'Doherty
Robert & Sara O'Neil
Rosemary Orin
Denise & Jean Ortleb
David & Elaine Patterson
Shirley Paulsen
Zora Penning
Russ & Patty Perry
Edward & Jennifer Persinger
Mike & Connie Peterson
Gene & Catherine Peterson
Luong & Chau Pham
Huy & Laura Pham
Dana Phillips
Steve & Kathy Phillips
Bill Pieper
Joey & Kristan Pilakowski
Sheila Pille
Sam & Becky Pinto
Linda Placzek
Jeremy & Janet Podliska
Michael & Kathy Pohl
Kevin & Kim Pokorny
Duke & Barbara Pousson
William & Andrea Powers
David & Kristi Preisman
Brad & Alice Price
Roger & Rapeepan Psota
Jackie & Dylan Pueppke
John & Janet Pulte
David & Mary Radliff
Scot & Katie Rainbolt
David & Kathy Rains
Kathleen Rasinowich-Platt
Diane Rasmussen
Lucille Ratcliff
David Reeson
Barry & Gretchen Reid
Joe & Carol Reifenrath
Paul Reinhart
Larry & Libby Renfro
Ed & Donna Reznicek
Bob & Peg Reznicek
Henry & Jo Ann Rieden
Gary & Norma Riedmann
Kent & Karen Riesberg
William & Roberta Riggle
David & Kelsey Robertson
Benjamin & Andrea Robles
Fred & Julie Rockenbach
Robert Roegge
Caylee Roegge
Nicholas & Caroline Romero
Andrew & Patricia Romshek
Richard & Lisa Rosenthal
Diane Rosenthal
Wayne & Kathy Rosonke
Chuck & Debbie Roth
Bernie & Mary Rulle
Todd & Joanne Rydl
Holly Sales
Josh & Kelsey Saltz
Antonio & Thanh Saqueton
Jennifer & Jim Sauer
Bill & Mary Scarborough
Donna Schamp
Alfred Schapker
Edward & Nancy Schendt
Bernard & Vicki Scheppers
Mary Schiessl
Tom & Patty Schliesman
Donald & Barbara Schmitz
Pamela Schmitz
Ronald & Lucille Schram
John & Brooke Sciuto
Michael & Bridget Sefranek
Louis & Patricia Sevek
Andrea Sharp
Trudi Shaw-Meyer
Jeff & Karen Shepoka
John & Jill Shields
Paul & Loretta Shoup
Mark & Paula Shrader
Tyrel & Tisha Simpson
Patricia Skinner
Frederick & Darlene Skinner
Mike & Micki Smith
Andrew & Emily Smith
Paul & Karen Smith
Daniel & Li Ann Smith
Ervin & Nancy Smith
Mark & Lorraine Smith
Robert & Theresa Smith
Richard & Keli Smith
Kathleen Smithberg
Ermin & Carol Snitily
Louis & Carol Solnosky
Kevyn & Martha Sopinski
Joan Sorensen
Dale & Rhonda Sorge
Brian & Desiree Spencer
Jeff & Kelly Spilker
Nancy Squiers
Katherine Stanish
John & Mary Stannard
Kyle & Kristin Steenson
Jeanette Sterba
Eugene & Barbara Sterkel
Gary & Barbara Stessman
Bob & Sandy Stier
Duane Stoecklin
Jim & De Ann Stolze
Elvira Stone
Robert & Ruth Stotler
Cliff & Sheila Stovall
Ronald & Joyce Stranglen
Robert & Mary Stuart
Douglas & Linda Stubbs
Jeremy & Gina Stukenholtz
Tim & Lindsay Sullivan
Patrick & Kathy Sullivan
Philip & Linda Swanson
Tom & Susan Sweeney
Michele & Shelby Sweetmon
Sharon Swoboda
Bruce & Karen Tangeman
Travis & Jade Tangeman
Thomas & Karen Targy
Eleanore Tex
Gene & Betty Theel
Wes & Anna Thibodeaux
Brian & Patricia Thomas
Duane & Judy Thome
Mike & Ann Thompson
Jerome & Janice Townsend
Patrick & Katherine Tracy
Packard & Barbara Jo Trent
Russ & Karen Tschauer
Rick & Debra Turner
Jeff & Kim Turner
Roger & Jolean Ulrich
Paul & Judy Vacek
Dick & Mary Van Haute
Bob & Cathy Van Haute
Eric & Kathy Vande Berg
Timothy & Joyce Vavricek
Chris & Vicki Verdoni
Chuck & Nancy Veys
Leo & Maria Villegas
Dallan & Teresa Vogel
Jim & Morgan Vogel
Lucille Vonnahme
Jack & Shirley Votrobek
Kent & Kerry Vuagniaux
Ann Waller
John & Pat Waters
Robert & Christine Watson
Tom & Deborah Watson
Karen Webb
Alan & Rita Weiss
Gerard Wemhoff
Todd & Kara Wesely
Mitch & Sandra Wesson
Dick & Ginny Weston
Margaret White
Diane White
Lee & Sue White-Hamilton
Paula Whitney
Michael Widhalm
Marian Wiebelhaus
Stephen & Mary Williams
Matthew & Rosemary Willis
Roger & Eileen Wilson
Jan Wintle
Henry & Janet Wojdyla
Chuck & Peggy Wright
Myron & Joyce Wright
Richard & Barbara Wright
Rick & Christine Yanovich
Bill & Marian Young
Tony & Brigitte Young
Gordie & Julene Zealand
Regan & Mary Jane Zeller
Steve & Kris Zey
Daniel & Catherine Zimmerman
Johnny & Christine Zirngible
Jennifer Zoucha (Weeks)
Dan & JoAnn Zuerlein
Christopher & Wendy Zuerlein
Ryan & Katie Zulkoski

List of names - Households who have returned commitment cards as of June 15.

If we have inadvertently left your name off of this list, please accept our apology and contact the parish office for this correction. Thank you!



letter from Fr. Dave

I would love to be able to report to Archbishop Lucas that every family in the parish returned a pledge card. With the busyness of summer, campaign materials may get misplaced. If another campaign packet is needed or even just a pledge card is needed, please call the parish office.

Please keep the future of our parish family and this campaign in your prayers. I am encouraged by the words of **Psalm 126: Unless the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it.** We must remember that our good Lord is the master architect of our redemption, our lives, and our parish. We trust His plans and His timing. What a joy to work with you in building the Kingdom and giving glory to God.

Pax,

David G. Reeson

Fr. Dave



Jared and Kim Hollinger story

while, trying to find the right fit. “We felt at home immediately at St. Columbkille. We appreciated how friendly people are, how welcome we felt. We liked how involved and invested people were in the parish. When we took a school tour with our oldest (who was in preschool at the time), we appreciated that the teachers took the time to speak to her and invite her to be a part of the community as well.”

Since joining St. Columbkille, Kim has been involved mostly in the school as a room parent, art reach volunteer, and as a volunteer in the library and classrooms. Jared has been on the School Advisory Council, the Facilities Committee, he has coached youth sports and has been a part of the Archdiocesan Real Estate Committee.

In talking about their time at St Columbkille, the Holligers express how much they enjoy the seeds of community and family found here. They recognize the countless ways to be involved and to participate. “It really is one of the things that makes this Parish truly special.”

Jared and Kim acknowledge that the school has significant meaning to their family. “They say it takes a village to raise a child and this has been the most amazing village to help raise ours. We appreciate the teachers and staff not only helping our children to be great students, but great Catholics and humans.”

This campaign covers projects that will take the parish far into the future with facilities available to ministries, the school and more. “With many years ahead and our 4th child starting kindergarten next year, this St Columbkille Community is home. It’s exciting to be part of something that will impact our own extended family as well as families of future parishioners.”

Jared encourages all families to participate in the campaign in sharing, “These projects will be a lasting legacy to the Parish and the community. They will enable future generations to fully experience the mission of the church. We have a unique opportunity to create something that will be beneficial for a whole new generation of Catholics at St. Columbkille.

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