

July 21, 2008

Dear Parishioners,

As you may have heard, we have good news about our new building fund. A friend has come forward and promised to raise three quarters of a million dollars for us. That will put us at \$2.75 million—enough to begin phase one of our building program, i.e. church and parking lot.

The way we stand is this— we have \$1.7 million in cash and pledges. We have an additional pledge of \$100,000 as a matching grant. I believe we can match that from the parish—thus \$1.9 million—leaving us another \$100,000 to raise through parish efforts like raffle, pro-wrestling, BINGO, etc. If all this works as I believe it will, we will have \$2 million plus the 3/4 newly promised. This is the 60% of the first phase required by the Diocese to allow us to begin building. This is good news indeed.

I have been aware that since our initial fundraising surge there has been little news and I'm sure some have wondered if anything was happening. Indeed, little was afoot. We knew we could not raise \$5-6 million within parish alone and would need outside help. Thus we were trolling some deep water— seeking help from corporations and some wealthy individuals. We seemed to be getting nowhere till an old friend stepped in and so we can plan our building this next summer.

I hope you are encouraged by this news and will support all our parish efforts to raise money for our new church. Remember to receive the \$100,000 matching grant, we must meet it with our own funds. Please be generous. We are asking much, but the purpose—a new church for St. Joseph's—something beautiful for God and our children is well worthwhile.

Yours in faith and hope

Father Patrick F. Carley

P.S.— We are still seeking further outside help. Pray for our success.

Matching Grant Challenge

Dig a Little Deeper! Double Your Donation!!

*A generous donor has offered an exciting challenge to St. Joseph the Worker parishioners who have already made pledges to the New Church Campaign. They will match every **additional** dollar that you pledge to the New Church Fund, dollar-for-dollar, up to a total of \$100,000. This Matching Grant is meant to be a challenge to obtain **additional** funds and is not meant to include new parishioner pledges or funds which we already anticipate. Let's not waste this opportunity. Our founding fathers moved mountains, and so can we!*

Please contact us now and increase your pledge.

Like your original pledge, this may be paid over three years.

The deadline for raising our share of the \$100,000 is October 31, 2008, so please don't delay.

TO NEW PARISHIONERS & THOSE WHO HAVE NOT YET MADE A PLEDGE:

Even though you won't qualify for the matching funds, we *still* need your help!

Please join in with hundreds of your fellow parishioners and do your part.

Building for Our Future, Something Beautiful for God.



Please detach and mail this completed pledge to: St. Joseph the Worker, PO Box 98, West Jordan UT 84084

Your Name _____
Address _____
City State Zip _____
Telephone: _____

MATCHING GRANT PLEDGES: For those who have already made a pledge to the New Church Fund.

Additional amount pledged: _____

How would you like to pay this? _____

NEW PLEDGES: For those who have NOT already made a pledge to the New Church Fund.

Total Gift _____

Initial Payment _____ Balance Due: _____

Payable: Monthly _____ Quarterly _____ Semi-Annually _____ Annually _____

Are you interested in automatic withholding from your bank account? YES NO (we will forward paperwork to you)

Are you interested in automatic Credit Card processing of your payments? YES NO (we will forward paperwork to you)

Pledges are voluntary and not legally binding. Pledge reminders will be sent. Thank you for your support.

Signature: _____ Date: _____