

## Commitment Weekend

At all masses this weekend you will be asked to indicate the amount that you wish to give weekly. If you give monthly, quarterly, etc., please indicate the average weekly amount of that gift. A sample of the offertory commitment card is shown at the bottom of this page.

Please carefully consider the gifts that God has given you and contribute part of them to help with the work of the parish. Come prepared to complete the commitment card that will be provided.

### *How Much Should We Give?*

Many people ask whether or not there is a standard for giving. Each person, or family, must arrive at that conclusion independently. However, the following scale is provided in order to serve as a guide for those that are interested in using it.

### *Suggested Weekly Offering*

ANNUAL FAMILY INCOME	4.0%	3.0%	2.0%
\$ 25,000	19.00	14.00	10.00
\$ 50,000	38.00	28.00	20.00
\$ 75,000	58.00	43.00	30.00
\$ 100,000	77.00	58.00	38.00
\$ 125,000	96.00	72.00	48.00
\$ 150,000	115.00	87.00	58.00
\$ 200,000	154.00	115.00	77.00

The following is a sample of the commitment card that you will receive at Mass this weekend. Please pray about what your commitment to our parish will be for the coming year and determine which member of your household will complete the card next weekend.

### *My Commitment of Treasure*

*How can I repay the Lord for all the good done for me? – Psalm 116:12*

May every one of us prayerfully consider our financial support of the Cathedral of St. Thomas More. Let us thank God for the blessings in our lives that He has bestowed upon us. In gratitude for those blessings, discern how you might return those gifts to God through an increase in your offering to support the parish ministry. My new offering will be:

( ) \$100.00 ( ) \$75.00 ( ) \$50.00 ( ) \$40.00 ( ) \$35.00 ( ) \$30.00 ( ) \$25.00 ( ) \$20.00 ( ) \$ 15.00 ( ) Other \$\_\_\_\_\_

( ) weekly ( ) monthly ( ) yearly

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*God bless you and thank you for your involvement in our parish community*