

Plates of Love...

Loving Thy Neighbor



The cash plate offerings collected each Sunday are being donated to worthwhile not-for-profit organizations in our community. (Plate offering is cash, unidentified by giver.)

Advent parishioners are invited to recommend community organizations to receive future donations from this ministry. Please contact Erica Hutchinson at 719-354-9053.

The recipient organizations are listed monthly on this page:

OCTOBER 2024 Recipient Organizations

OCTOBER 6: Episcopal Relief & Development Fund

The Episcopal Relief and Development Fund exists to support people worldwide who are victims of natural disasters, war, famine, etc. Funds collected on October 6 will be donated to support victims of hurricane Helene. Learn more at www.episcopalrelief.org.

OCTOBER 13: Community Fund of Sun City West

Established in 1982, this organization has provided a safety net for SCW residents who are having difficulty paying their bills (rent, utilities, etc.). Over the last four years, the Community Fund has provided over \$847,000 to residents in need. Learn more at www.communityfundscitywest.org.

OCTOBER 20: Bikers Against Child Abuse (BACA)

This unique, international organization exists to help create a safer environment for abused children. Local Arizona Chapters work together with school administrators and law enforcement organizations to provide support in the court systems, funds for psychological services and to serve as "safe" adult friends for abused children. A local West Valley teacher provided the first-hand knowledge about the positive results of this organization. Learn more at www.arizona.bacaworld.org.

OCTOBER 27: Clergy Discretionary Fund

This special fund provides assistance to parishioners and others in need, as determined by Advent Clergy.

*All that we are and
all that we have
comes from God. Let
us offer our best to
God in thanksgiving,
remembering that
God loves a cheerful
giver.*

2 CORINTHIANS 9:7