

Together IN CHRIST

A CAMPAIGN FOR ST. ROBERT OF NEWMINSTER CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL



CAMPAIGN REPORT 2026



St. Robert
of Newminster
CATHOLIC CHURCH



FROM FATHER TONY



*O divine Master,
grant that I may not so
much seek to be consoled
as to console; to be
understood as to
understand; to be loved as
to love.*

*For it is in giving that we
receive; it is in pardoning
that we are pardoned; and
it is in dying that we are
born to eternal life.*

- Francis of Assisi

Dear St. Robert Families,

It is with a grateful heart that I write to you as we celebrate the successful conclusion of our *Together in Christ Campaign*.

As we bring this effort to a close, we rejoice in the extraordinary generosity of our parishioners and the wider Catholic community. Because of your commitment, our parish and school now enjoy renewed and expanded spaces that will serve our mission for generations to come.

Although the campaign itself has concluded, we will continue to receive payments to existing pledges throughout the coming year.

Over these past months, our school students, faith formation programs, parish ministries, and athletic events have filled these new areas with life. The energy and joy of our students, families and parishioners are a living testament to your faith, sacrifice, and dedication to building up the Church. What we have created together is more than a beautiful facility--it is a place where disciples are formed, friendships are strengthened, and Christ is encountered.

This is the heart of Catholic education at St. Robert of Newminster Parish; a community where faith and learning are woven together in ways that shape the whole person and deepen their identity as beloved sons and daughters of God.

These words attributed to St. Francis of Assisi ring especially true: "For it is in giving that we receive." Through your generosity, countless lives will be enriched as our community continues to learn, grow, worship and gather in these wonderful new spaces. Thank you for your prayers, your support, and your unwavering commitment to our shared mission. Your gifts have made a lasting difference, and we remain deeply grateful.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Father Tony Russo
Pastor

From the Campaign Co-Chairs

How can we thank you for your generous donation?
Let us count the ways ...

We thank you for our bright new school, where learning, laughter, and God's love fill every hallway.

We thank you for our beautiful Marian Chapel and classrooms, where hearts can pause, pray, and feel close to Jesus and His Blessed Mother.

We thank you for our rosary path, gently guiding growing faith one step at a time.

We thank you for our gym and parish center—a place to play, compete, perform, celebrate, and shine.

We thank you for our Learning Commons and Science Lab, where curiosity grows and God's wonders are discovered every day.

We thank you for our library, reading nooks, and STREAM Studio, where stories inspire, creativity flourishes, and imaginations soar.

Most of all, we thank you for this beautiful new school, where we are learning, leading, dreaming, and becoming who God calls us to be.

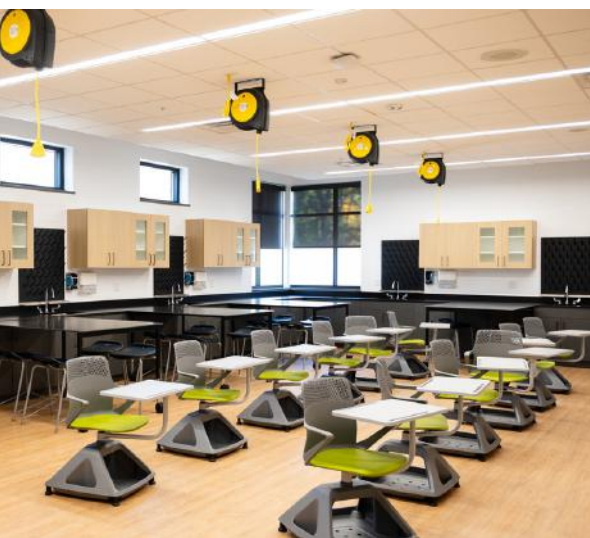
Thank you for making all of this possible!

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CAMPAIGN IMPACT

- † Beautiful new Catholic School
- † Expanded opportunities for learning and faith formation
- † Project completed \$1.2 million **below cost projections**
- † Countless lives impacted through Catholic education, faith formation, and community for generations to come

TESTIMONIAL

"The new school is amazing! It has been such a blessing. I love using the upper commons to study independently, I think it's really cool to move classrooms and have that freedom. I love being the oldest in the school and part of the middle school. It gives me the opportunity to show leadership and be responsible during Mass. I am proud to be a Mighty Shepherd."

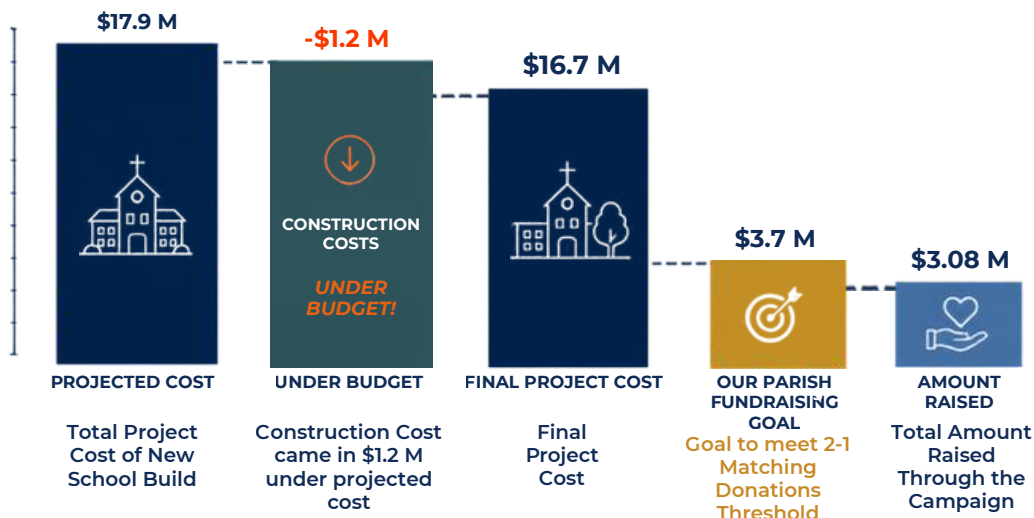


Eloise D. - 6th Grade

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Faithful Generosity. Wise Stewardship. A Legacy for Generations.

MILLIONS



OUR PARISH GOAL:



\$3.7 MILLION

to meet the 2-1 matching donations threshold



AMOUNT RAISED:

\$3.08 MILLION

83% of goal achieved



THANK YOU!

Your generosity is building a legacy of faith and opportunity for generations to come.

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