



Bosco and Kathryn Toa,  
St. Francis Xavier and Corpus Christi Parish

Project Advance encourages us to live gratefully and give generously.

**“For it is in giving that we receive.”**

— ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Through Project Advance you support the many different ways in which we see the face of Jesus in our brothers and sisters: helping the most vulnerable by providing guidance, shelter, food and love to those who are homeless, abused and marginalized.

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## Building our Future upon a Foundation of Faith

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Archdiocese of Vancouver

MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

The 2019 Project Advance Appeal is highlighting our youth and young adult ministries as well as our Catholic schools. Along with families and parishes, these ministries are building the Church's future on the firm foundation of faith. I invite you to join me again, or for the first time, in supporting our parishes, families and communities through Project Advance.

This year, the archdiocesan goal is to raise \$3.25 million through the Appeal. These funds are critical in fostering our mission of evangelization, which aims to strengthen and proclaim our faith through life-giving ministry and outreach programs.

A significant portion of these funds will also help build the future of our Church through the construction and renovation of our regional secondary schools and the acquisition of land for new parishes. Provision for infrastructure is necessary for us to have safe and inspirational places for our community worship, education and gathering community.

Through the hard work of volunteers, donors and pastors, Project Advance is also a proven way for parish communities to raise funds for their own parish priorities.

I am grateful for the impact you have had in the Archdiocese and at your parish through Project Advance. The need, however, continues. So let us pray that your generous participation in Project Advance will also continue.

Thank you most sincerely for your steadfast commitment to the Lord and to his Church.

Invoking God's abundant blessings upon you and your family, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

*+ Michael Miller CSB*

**+ J. MICHAEL MILLER CSB**  
ARCHBISHOP OF VANCOUVER



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### Archdiocesan Priorities:

SECONDARY SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION FUND	\$1,650,000
NEW PARISH SITES FUND	\$650,000
ARCHDIOCESAN MINISTRIES	\$850,000
<b>Hospital Chaplaincies</b>	\$150,000
<b>Social Justice</b> Refugee settlement, migrant farm workers and anti-human trafficking	\$150,000
<b>Youth and Young Adult Ministry</b>	\$150,000
<b>Evangelization Programs</b> Alpha, Discover Discipleship, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, PREP	\$150,000
<b>Family Life Programs</b> Parenting and Marriage Enrichment, Theology of the Body	\$100,000
<b>Prison Ministry</b> Provides support to prisoners, former inmates and to families/victims impacted by crime	\$100,000
<b>First Nations</b> Supports outreach programs with Indigenous people	\$50,000
<b>Special Grants</b>	\$100,000
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**TOTAL NEED: \$3,250,000**

## SPECIAL GRANTS FOR 2019

- Sancta Maria House**  
Replacing one dryer, two fridges and two freezers
- L'Arche Greater Vancouver**  
Purchasing new chairs and sofas for the  
Emmaus Day Program
- Luke 15 House**  
Purchasing a second-hand vehicle to assist  
in driving residents
- Providence Health Care**  
Purchasing specialized wheelchairs and easing the burden  
faced by low income residents
- Signal Hill Life Education Society**  
Funding for the Value Project Conference
- NET Ministries of Canada Inc.**  
Purchasing a new trailer and enhanced audio  
and visual equipment
- Domestic Abuse Services**  
Funding for a new shed, kitchen and living room renovation  
and upgrading the bathroom room vanity and flooring
- Catholic Christian Outreach**  
Creating a warm and high-quality training environment to  
host students and missionaries

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### How do you give?

1. Give after mass as explained by  
your parish Project Advance Team
2. Return pledge forms to your parish
3. Give online at [projectadvance.ca](http://projectadvance.ca)

Or use this form and detachable envelope:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

My Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Send by mail to your parish or drop into your collection  
plate with either a cheque made out to Project Advance,  
or by providing your credit card details:

..... FOLD IN HALF HERE .....

visa  mc  amex  cheque  cash  
ENCLOSED DO NOT MAIL

One time gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month for \_\_\_\_\_ months

starting \_\_\_\_\_ total gift = \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry Date mm \_\_\_\_ / yy \_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Have you considered other ways to give?

- Yes, I have included a gift in my Will.
- I'm planning to make a gift in my Will.
- Yes, I'd like more information.

Thank you.

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
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TEAR OFF COMPLETED FORM AND FOLD IN HALF. INSERT INTO ENVELOPE (WITH CHEQUES IF PROVIDING). SEAL THIS GUMMED FLAP. STAMP ADDRESS TO YOUR PARISH THEN MAIL OR DROP INTO YOUR NEXT SUNDAY COLLECTION.



Dante Agosti-Moro,  
St. Thomas Aquinas Regional Secondary Alumnus ('18)



Clarissa Guevara and Clarissa Ramirez,  
Youth & Young Adult Leaders