

## Holy Trinity Church 501 Cherrywood Rd Louisville, KY 40207

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Dear Friends,

I pray this letter finds you and your family well. It has been difficult for so many to get our arms around the changes in daily life due to COVID-19 over the past few months. Challenges regarding systemic racism and incidents of violence in society have all of us examining how we ought to respond. The families of Holy Trinity are in my daily prayers and this parish is here for you.

During these months of disruption and change, questions have arisen regarding the status of parish ministries, including our *For Every Child* Campaign. Know that our commitment is firm in fulfilling the mission of Holy Trinity's *For Every Child* initiatives. Planning for the future includes building additional classrooms for our Holy Trinity Clifton School, renovating our historic Eifler Theater, expanding and enhancing our church nursery spaces, and constructing and maintaining new playgrounds. These initiatives have either impacted the lives of children already or hold the promise for doing so in the near future.

As the worldwide pandemic emerged and everyone's attention focused on adjusting to a "new normal," our campaign leaders adjusted as well. We are reviewing options to adapt the construction timelines for the Eifler Theatre and Holy Trinity Clifton School classrooms. Planning continues so that when the time is right, we will all be ready to make these important *For Every Child* Campaign priorities a reality.

Please know how thankful I am to all who have helped bring these bold aspirations to reality. We have big goals and your support has already shown that our parish is ready to meet the task. Our commitment to helping families and children through the *For Every Child* Campaign remains intact and strong. As we navigate these difficult times and prepare to emerge from them a stronger parish community, the successful completion of these important initiatives will be a key part of our mission to serve more families and children for decades to come.

As your pastor, I am grateful for your continued enthusiasm for our shared efforts. Because of you, we are a stronger and more compassionate community of believers. I feel truly blessed to live and serve among you. Please take a moment to view this video - <u>For Every Child Update</u> and recognize the remarkable progress we have made thus far.

Peace and all blessings,

Rev. William Bowling

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**Pastor**