

# St. Boniface Catholic Church

Farmington, Iowa

## The parish share

What a history we have at St. Boniface Parish! We'll reach our 160th anniversary in 2023, marking when the first parish church was built. Another church building was constructed in 1908-09, and our current worship space was dedicated in 1991.

Our pride in what our Catholic ancestors built and left us inspires us to leave for the next generation a parish community for which they can feel equally blessed. The *Upon This Rock* Campaign gives us an avenue to honor our past while brightening the future of the parish.

Special features of the campaign will enable us to maximize the positive effects of our fundraising:

- First, we keep 20 percent of what we raise up to our goal, which is \$110,000.
- We will keep 80 percent of anything we raise beyond \$110,000.
- There are virtually no costs to the parish for the campaign. The Catholic Foundation for the Diocese of Davenport is paying those costs.

This is an opportunity to support our priests and seminarians while also undertaking important parish projects.

### WHERE OUR FUNDS WILL GO

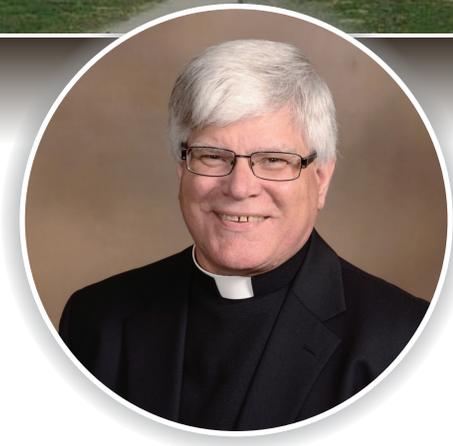
#### Parish goal | \$110,000

- For priests' retirement, health care: \$66,000
- For seminarians' education: \$22,000
- For parish projects: \$22,000

### PARISH CAMPAIGN PROJECT

#### General maintenance of church building

Can you believe our "new" church is already 30 years old? To keep it feeling new, we need to continue to make maintenance of it a priority. Funds from the *Upon This Rock* Campaign will allow us to do general-purpose projects, whether it be painting, dealing with cracks or replacing the carpet, which is the building's original flooring.



*"Giving to meet the needs of my brother priests, our seminarians and myself is a blessing. The Upon This Rock Campaign offers a valuable opportunity to address our parish's needs, too. Even more important is our own need to give as a part of our faith journey. May we respond in gratitude for all that God has given us."*

Fr. Dennis Hoffman,  
Pastor of St. Boniface



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Supporting Our Priests • Strengthening Our Church