

SCHEDULE OF SECOND COLLECTIONS – DIOCESE OF OAKLAND 2025, 2026 and 2027

COLLECTION	2025	2026	2027	CHECK PAYABLE TO:	SEND CHECKS TO*	SOURCE OF ENVELOPES
DIOCESAN SEMINARIANS / Vocations Programs	January 12	January 11	January 10	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	(1)
RICE BOWL (distribute rice bowls on Ash Wednesday)	March 5 to April 20	February 18 to April 5	February 10 to March 28	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	(2)
CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES (Bishop's Overseas Appeal)	March 23	March 15	March 7	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Local CRS Office
HOLY LAND (Good Friday)	April 18	April 3	March 26	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Parish (3)
MISSION COOP PLAN (MCP)	(4)	(4)	(4)	Propagation of the Faith	Propagation of the Faith	Diocesan Office for SPOF
CATHOLIC CHARITIES EAST BAY	May 18	May 17	May 16	Catholic Charities	Catholic Charities	Catholic Charities East Bay
CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS / USCCB	June 1	June 7	June 6	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Parish (3)
HOLY FATHER (Peter's Pence)	June 22	June 28	June 27	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Parish (3)
DIOCESAN PRIEST RETIREMENT BENEFIT TRUST	September 7	September 6	September 5	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Parish (3)
THE CATHOLIC VOICE / Diocesan Communications	October 5	October 4	October 3	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Parish (3)
WORLD MISSION SUNDAY (WMS) & CATHOLIC HOME MISSION APPEAL (CHMA) (5)	October 19	October 18	October 24	Propagation of the Faith	Propagation of the Faith	Diocesan Office for SPOF
COLLECTION FOR THE ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY (6)	November 9	<i>No collection In 2026</i>	<i>No collection In 2027</i>	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Parish (3)
DIOCESAN CAMPAIGN FOR JUSTICE AND HOPE (7)	November 16	November 15	November 14	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	Parish (3)
RELIGIOUS RETIREMENT (National)	December 14	December 13	December 12	Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland	Chancery	National Religious Retirement Office

Notes:

- (1) The Vocations Office will provide information and envelopes relative to this collection.
- (2) Operation Rice Bowl: Cardboard rice bowls are sent directly by Catholic Relief Services regional representative to parishes requesting them.
- (3) Provisions should be made through the parish envelope supplier.
- (4) MCP dates are determined by Pastor and visiting Mission starting in June through September except for the following weekends: Holy Father (Peter's Pence) in June or Diocesan Priest's Retirement Benefit Trust weekend in September.
- (5) Combined World Mission Sunday and Home Mission Appeal collection will be split 50% to the National Office of the Society of the Propagation of the Faith on behalf of WMS and 50% to Office of National Collections for CHMA.
- (6) Once every 3 years. There is no collection in 2026 or 2027
- (7) Diocesan Campaign for Justice and Hope is a new Diocesan collection beginning in Nov 2025 replacing Campaign for Human Development. More information to follow.

*Mail Checks to:

Chancery: Diocese of Oakland, Finance Department, 2121 Harrison Street, Suite 100, Oakland, CA 94612

Propagation of the Faith: Diocese of Oakland, Propagation of the Faith, 2121 Harrison Street, Suite 100, Oakland, CA 9461

Catholic Charities: 433 Jefferson Street, Oakland, CA 94607

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