

# Cheerful Giving

*Please consider signing up for AUTO-GIVE*

## WHY SHOULD I GIVE?

Sacred Heart is a great place to be. We continue to work towards making it a life-long place for people to pray, worship, learn and gather...but we can't do it without financial support from our entire Sacred Heart family!

## HOW MUCH SHOULD I GIVE?

Corinthians 9:7: "Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." Your church obligations should not make you miserable, and don't look over your shoulder to see what you think you should be giving. Give \$1 or \$1,000, or whatever feels comfortable. There's no point in attending church if we use it as an opportunity to judge our neighbors for what they did or didn't put into the collection basket. And it's equally counterproductive to judge ourselves. If your child attends Sacred Heart School tuition-free, a suggested donation is \$25/week. However, Sacred Heart will graciously accept any donation your family can give cheerfully.

## WHERE DOES MY DONATION GO?

Donations make up 100% of Sacred Heart's income. Your support helps us continue programs: Sacred Heart School, Youth Ministry, music during Mass, Faith Formation programs, outreach to the poor and service projects. Your donation also goes to pay the electric bill, the heat bill and repairs and maintenance.

## WHY USE AUTO-GIVE?

This form makes your gift quick and easy. It also helps Sacred Heart schedule and budget expenses. Whether you are giving \$1 or \$1,000, please consider signing up for AUTO-GIVE!

## HOW DO I SIGN UP FOR AUTO-GIVE?

Complete the form on the reverse side and submit it to:

- The Sacred Heart School office in an envelope marked "AUTO-GIVE"
- The collection basket at church
- Fax it to 507-833-1498
- Mail or drop off at the parish office: Sacred Heart Church, 111 4th Street NW, Waseca, MN 56093



*Thank You!*

Church of the  SACRED HEART **AUTO-GIVE**

Automatic Donation Authorization Form

IS YOUR DONATION ALREADY AUTOMATIC?

- This form replaces the automatic donation I already have set up with Sacred Heart.
- This form is in addition to the automatic donation I already have set up with Sacred Heart.

PATRON INFORMATION

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

BANKING INFORMATION

Please debit my gift from my (check one):

- Checking Account
- Savings Account

Routing Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

GIFT INFORMATION

Date of first donation:

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Frequency of Donation (check one):

- Weekly (Every Monday)
- Monthly (The 15th of every month)

Amount of Donation:

- Sacred Heart Church \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Sacred Heart School \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Area of Greatest Need \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

AGREEMENT

I authorize Sacred Heart Church of Waseca, MN to initiate debit entries, and to initiate, if necessary, credit entries and adjustments to my donations if an error occurs to my (our) account or accounts listed above. This authority will remain in effect until I notify Sacred Heart Church in writing to cancel it in such time as to afford the church a reasonable opportunity to act on it. I can stop payment of any entry by notifying my financial institution 3 days before my account is charged. I can have the amount of a erroneous charge immediately credited to my account up to 15 days following issuance of my statement or 60 days after posting, whichever occurs first.

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

**Thank You!**