



FOR TODAY. FOR TOMORROW. FOR ALL OF US.



Dear Friends in Christ:

Your support of Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary provides tremendous motivation to our seminarians, students and faculty members. You, the faithful, are among the seminary's greatest treasures. Through your prayers, your encouragement, and your financial support, you help prepare our priests and pastoral leaders for the coming generations, and in shaping the future of the Church.

Your gifts to the 2018-2019 Appeal were extraordinary, totaling more than \$3.3 million and uniting the generosity of over 23,700 donors. This generosity builds on the already strong foundation as the seminary continues to grow ~ and it serves as a tangible reminder to our students and seminarians that they have the support and confidence of our Catholic community.

On behalf of the seminary community, thank you for your continued encouragement and support. It is especially appreciated during this time in our seminary's history as we look to strengthen the institution and build partnerships for the future.

Please continue to remember our seminarians, candidates for the permanent diaconate, graduate students, faculty and staff in your prayers ~ and know that you are constantly remembered in ours.

May God continue to bless you always!

Most Reverend Timothy C. Senior
Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia
Rector, Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary

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PRIESTLY FORMATION

Kenneth Cavara, Theology III



"This past year, the Lord has filled me with hope for the future of our Church. For me, the dedication of the faithful in Philadelphia reminds me of our Lord's constant care for us. My experiences in parish bible study, assisting at food pantries, and serving at the altar are constant reminders to trust in the Lord. As I approach diaconate ordination next year, the selfless support and witness of the faithful inspires me to be generous in responding to a vocation to the priesthood. Please pray for us."

SCHOOL OF DIACONAL FORMATION

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"Throughout these years of formation for the Permanent Diaconate, with study and prayer my faith in God has grown exponentially. Two years ago, receiving the Rite of Acolyte has afforded me the chance to contribute more fully in the Sacred Liturgy.



Entering my last year in the program, and Lord willing ordination, I am so thankful for the care and guidance I have received at St. Charles. This is where I was meant to be in my life and am grateful to all of the Seminary Appeal donors who support St. Charles – you are truly investing in the future of our Church here in Philadelphia, and beyond."



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2018-19 SEMINARY CONTRIBUTIONS

St. Charles Borromeo Seminary Appeal	\$3,316,528.00
Seminary Golf Classic	\$470,730.00
Priest Alumni Appeal	\$70,205.00
Bequests	\$561,320.67

2018-2019 TOTAL RAISED \$4,418,783.67



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NEWLY-ORDAINED PRIEST

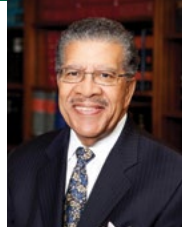
Fr. Anthony Raymundo, Parochial Vicar,
Saint Robert Bellarmine Parish



"Nothing can quite prepare a man for the changes that come with Holy Orders – not just a change in where we live or what we do, but in who we are at our core. We share in the priesthood of Jesus Christ. What a joy and what a challenge that is! The faculty and staff of Saint Charles showed us how to pray, how to work, and how to suffer out of love. They helped us to have a relationship of faith, hope, and love with Jesus Christ. In my few months of being a priest, how important that foundation has proven to be!"

"ON BEHALF OF THE SEMINARY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, I EXTEND MY DEEP APPRECIATION FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE 2018-2019 ST. CHARLES BORROMEO SEMINARY APPEAL.

Through your gift, you have made a huge investment in the sustainability of St. Charles. You are not only providing for our wonderful seminarians and students, but also for future generations of our gift of Faith. We are grateful that you have joined with other generous benefactors in support of the seminary. I invite you to meet our seminarians. You are always welcome at St. Charles. I also ask you to keep these young men, and all those who "heed the call," in your prayers.



Thank you and God bless,
Jerry Davis, Chair
St. Charles Borromeo Seminary Development Committee

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- 41 PARISHES RAISED \$20,000 OR MORE TO SUPPORT THE SEMINARY APPEAL
- 108 PARISHES RAISED \$10,000 OR MORE TO SUPPORT THE SEMINARY APPEAL