

# Over \$1,300,000 raised towards goal of \$2,140,000 for historic campaign!

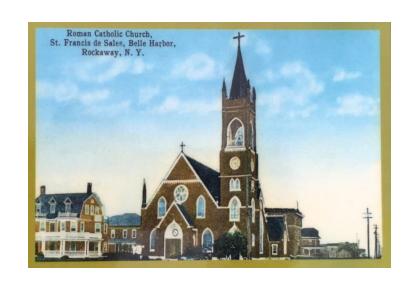
### **Campaign Priorities**

#### Our Cherished School and Parish Facilities -\$1,500,000

 Parish leadership has endorsed a plan which includes major renovation to the school building as well as special projects for the Church, Rectory, Convent and Church grounds.

#### Our Youth and Our Faithful Shepherds - \$640,000

- Fulfill Our Promise to Those Who Have Faithfully Served by augmenting the current Saint John Vianney and Good Shepherd Funds to address the needs of our senior and infirm priests.
- Foster the Formation of the Future Generation of Catholics by funding a qualified and trained youth minister in approximately 140 parishes throughout the diocese by 2020.
- The Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) will be suspended for 2016 and instead, \$120,000 of campaign funds will be allocated to ACA initiatives.



#### Much to be Thankful for!

Goal: \$2,140,000

Pledged to date: \$1,306,000

Number of Pledges: 88

Percent of Goal Raised: 61%

Average Gift: \$14,840



#### Join Our Team!

Our current committee, led by General Chair Bill Lavin, includes Fr. Jim Cunningham, Fr. Bill Sweeney Deacon Armand D'Accordo, Deacon Vincent LaGamba, Kristin Franchock, Joe Keenan, Bill Kelly, Keith Goldberg, Greg Bender, and Jamie Agoglia.

Our volunteers need help making phone calls to parishioners to answer questions about this important effort. If you would like to help in this capacity please join us in Msgr. Reddy Hall on Monday nights at 7:00 pm.

## WHAT IS NEXT FOR GENERATIONS OF FAITH AND HOW CAN WE HELP?

- In the coming weeks you will receive personalized materials regarding the campaign effort. You will also be contacted by one of our hardworking volunteers. I ask that you welcome their calls as they aim to answer questions about the campaign effort.
- Once you receive your campaign materials, I ask that you take time to prayerfully consider your own sacrificial 5 year pledge.
- Please pray for the success of the campaign at St. Francis de Sales!

For more information please call the parish office: (718)-634-6464