A charitable gift annuity to benefit the Catholic organization(s) of your choice is a generous expression of your support for the Catholic Church. The Catholic Gift Annuity program, provided in partnership with your bishop, is an effective way to make sure your legacy lives on.

This brochure provides basic information on a charitable gift annuity, which is an irrevocable agreement. Advice from a financial advisor may be beneficial to you when considering this gift.

The Catholic Gift Annuity program follows suggested payout rates by the American Council on Gift Annuities. Rates and more information can be found at www.catholicgiftannuity.org.

Catholic Gift Annuity has been providing charitable gift annuities since 1912. Catholic Extension provides this service to support people, infrastructure and ministries of our diocese and others across the United States. To maintain financial strength of this program’s reserves, Catholic Extension may retain up to 10% of the amount to be distributed to Catholic organization(s). For more information visit www.catholicextension.org or contact:

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WHAT IS A CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY?
A charitable gift annuity is a simple contract. You make a gift to Catholic Gift Annuity, and in return, you receive fixed payments for life. At your death, the remaining balance of the gift annuity is distributed to the Catholic organization(s) you designated.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?
• Receive fixed payments for life; a portion of these payments are tax free.
• Receive an income tax deduction for a portion of your gift, as allowable by IRS rules.
• Join a pool of thousands of Catholics in a financially strong program that helps the Catholic Church.
• Feel satisfied in making a significant gift that benefits you now and the Catholic organization(s) of your choice for future generations.

WHAT ARE THE FEATURES?
• Secure, convenient deposit of payments into your preferred bank account.
• Three types of annuities to select from (rates vary):
  • Immediate One Life
  • Immediate Two Lives—Two recipients
  • Deferred—Start payments later
• The Catholic Gift Annuity program combines your gift with others from across the U.S. to increase the impact of your generosity.
• The minimum amount to establish a gift annuity is $5,000; the minimum age to receive income is 55 years old.

Create your legacy today!
Yes! Please send me gift annuity information, including income and tax benefits.
Click here to submit the form electronically for faster service.
OR
Complete the form below, tear off, and mail to:

CATHOLIC GIFT ANNUITY
150 S Wacker Drive, Suite 2000
Chicago, IL 60606

⇒ I am considering a gift of: $

⇒ In the form of:
  □ Cash  □ Appreciated Stock

⇒ Please provide the following information:

NAME  AGE

NAME (FOR TWO LIVES ANNUITY)  AGE

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE  ZIP

TELEPHONE

EMAIL