

My brothers and sisters in Christ:

Parishioners Helping Parishioners

Parishioners-Helping-Parishioners is a ministry of St. Benedict Parish. It is our intention, through this ministry, to offer a helping hand to our fellow parishioners who are faced with unexpected and severe financial difficulties.

Parishioners-Helping-Parishioners is funded through the generosity of St. Benedict parishioners via the **2009 Annual Catholic Appeal**. A portion of all Annual Catholic Appeal payments made to the Archdiocese in excess of our 2009 goal has been allocated to Parishioners-Helping-Parishioners.

In order to be considered for a grant, we ask that you complete the attached application. Your identity will be held in strict confidence.

The application (with identifying information blacked out) will be reviewed by members of the Stewardship Distribution Committee. The committee will then make a recommendation to me. You will be contacted within a week after the committee's recommendation.

We will hold you in our prayers during this time.

Sincerely yours in the Peace of Christ,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Father Steve".

Fr. Steve Sallis
Pastor