

ADVANCING OUR Mission



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SAN DIEGO

2025 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL



“Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received.”
— 1 Peter 4:10.

ASSISTANCE FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION

“Welcoming.” “Amazing.” “Successful.”

That’s how some teachers described how they thought the new school year would go.

Those words could very well describe Catholic schools across San Diego and Imperial counties.

From the moment students arrive on campus, the staff welcomes them like family, and lovingly helps them to reach their highest academic and personal potential in a secure environment.

The schools work closely with parents in the total education of the student. Here’s how one parent described the support her daughter received to prepare for the Academic Junior High Decathlon, one of the many enrichment opportunities the schools offer:

“I couldn’t have done it alone. I’m just so grateful for it.”

It’s not just about test results, however, though San Diego Catholic students routinely score above their public and charter school peers.

Catholic schools integrate Catholic values — such as compassion, dignity of the human person and justice — into daily instruction, preparing students to make a difference in their community, church and society.

The students are learning and participating in the Church’s new, synodal approach to serving the community, in light of the Gospel, that welcomes everyone to work together to achieve the common good.

Our Response as Stewards

REFLECT — On the many gifts you have received from God, including your financial blessings.

PRAY — About how God wants you to use the gifts He has given you.

RESPOND — By supporting the mission. You can give at your parish or online at sdcatholic.org/giving.

