



## Our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal

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- ☐ Pre-Authorized Payments (incl. VOID cheque or account confirmation sheet from your bank)  
Amount: \$50, \$100, \$150 or \_\_\_\_\_ per month  
for \_\_\_\_\_ months. Start on (circle) 1st or 15th of month.  
Total amount of Gift: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ E-transfer to etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org
- ☐ Cash
- ☐ Cheque; Make cheques payable to:  
**The Roman Catholic Bishop of Nelson**
- ☐ Post-Dated Cheques; # cheques enclosed \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Online at CanadaHelps.org (for credit card donors)  
NOTE: Canada Helps administration fee is 3.96%
- ☐ Credit Card Donations: Scan QR code on brochure.

Mr /Mrs /Ms /Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Charity Registration # 108094392RR0002

## Contributions can be made using the following methods: (complete attached form)

1. Cash or cheque payable to The Roman Catholic Bishop of Nelson.
2. Direct Debit; Include a void cheque or bank account authorization form.

**For 1 and 2 above: Please place in the collection basket at your parish or mail to your parish office.**

3. E-transfer to: etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org  
Please include your name, address and parish location in the message area. The funds are automatically deposited to POF and no security question/answer is required.
4. Scan the QR Code for credit card donations.



5. Donations can be made on-line at CanadaHelps.org or via the "Donate Now" button which is administered through Canada Helps on the Diocesan Website [www.nelsondiocese.org](http://www.nelsondiocese.org)

Communications to  
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2025



## Journey of Hope

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Donation Goal is

**\$605,000**



**Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,  
Greetings and Peace in the Lord!**

Allow me to express my sincere thanks to all of you, who have generously and selflessly shared your gifts in so many ways in support of our annual Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal. Every year, our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal is a real opportunity to live out the two greatest commandments, “Love of God and Love of Neighbour.” (Matthew 22.37-40) Through your generous support, you fund the necessary programs and outreach that assists our parishes and the people of our diocese from the Kootenays to the Okanagan. Your gift truly makes a difference and is a concrete example of “Love of God and Love of Neighbour.”

On behalf of our retired priests, our parish catechists, our youth and young adults, those seeking assistance from our Marriage Tribunal, our Catholic schools, and all the parishes that benefit from the Pilgrimage of Faith capital rebates, thank you and God bless you.

I invite you to prayerfully and courageously support the 2025 Pilgrimage Faith Appeal in the spirit of our upcoming Jubilee Year of Hope. As “Pilgrims of Hope,” your gift brings Hope to all those touched by your generosity. “For you, O Lord, are my hope, my trust, O Lord, from my youth.” (Ps 71.5)

Sincerely in Christ our Lord,

✠ **Bishop Gregory**

**Our 2025 Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal supports:**

- Parish Youth Ministry
- Seton House of Prayer
- Young Adult & Family Ministry
- Office of Faith Formation
- Lay Training
- Marriage Tribunal
- Capital Projects
- UBCO Catholic Christian Outreach
- Pension Assistance to Retired Priests
- Catholic Education
- Vocations
- First Nations Ministry
- Social & Pastoral Grants
  - ~ Rachel's Vineyard
  - ~ Grief to Grace
- Assistance to Clergy
- Catholic Mountain Star



**Please contact the Diocesan Appeals Office for information on funding possibilities for your parish or school.**

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