

**Greetings Parishioners, Alumni, and Friends of St. Catherine-St. Lucy Parish,**

We are bolstered by years of happy memories from Christmas Bazaars and Luncheons past, even in the absence of the physical event this year due to COVID-19. This year we celebrate the season with the goal of bringing financial success to the Parish. To that end, we are establishing **MATCHING Bazaar MEMORIES 2020**.

A generous donor has offered to match, dollar for dollar, up to \$5000 of the proceeds raised in an alternate event to our traditional Bazaar and Luncheon. This matching event will **kick off October 18, 2020 and end on November 22, 2020**. During these FIVE WEEKS, photos of past Bazaars will fill Parish Bulletins, E-Blasts, and the Website. We hope parishioners, alumni, and friends will communicate some of their happy memories via word of mouth, emails and social media. The hope is to bring the spirit of the St. Catherine-St. Lucy Bazaar and Luncheon to the forefront for everyone, even if you have not yet had the pleasure of attending this yearly event, so that all can relish these memories and raise funds via **MATCHING Bazaar MEMORIES 2020**.

We are inviting you to make a donation, remembering that whatever amount you give will **DOUBLE** for the first \$5000 of donations received. Please take this opportunity to take advantage of this generous matching offer. You will help us raise the funds usually generated by our annual Christmas Bazaar and Luncheon, funds that help meet the general operating expenses of the parish. Think what you might donate or spend at an actual St. Catherine-St. Lucy Bazaar with its booths, luncheon, raffles, and silent auction or at a similar event. This year, please give that amount or any amount. We have a very generous donor who is looking forward to matching up to \$5000 of the donations we receive.

- You can donate via Give Central on the parish website ([www.stcatherinestlucy.org](http://www.stcatherinestlucy.org)) - look for **MATCHING Bazaar MEMORIES 2020**.

- OR -

- Write a check to St. Catherine-St. Lucy Parish. PLEASE note “**MATCHING Bazaar**” on check memo line. Use the enclosed envelope to return this special donation by mail, or drop the envelope in the Sunday collection box.

Help the Parish reach the goal of raising \$5000 or more in donations in these next five weeks, aiming to bring the profits for the 2020 “Bazaar” to \$10,000 or more by way of this dollar for dollar match.

Peace, wellness, prayers, and gratitude for your generosity and support,

Rev. George O. Omwando and members of the Fundraising and Bazaar Committees



**MATCHING Bazaar MEMORIES 2020**

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