



HOLY NAME OF JESUS CHURCH

135 YEARS ~ FULFILLING OUR VISION

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Dear Kevin,

I wanted to write you today to thank you for all the support and expertise the **Lynch Development Associates** team provided to Holy Name Parish as we launched our project.

“The Restoration of Holy Name of Jesus Church, 135 years – Fulfilling Our Vision” is no small effort. The Lynch team was with us every step of the way. It’s easy to say you supported the capital campaign but your firm did so much more. I can’t say enough about Tom Smith and Meagan Tenety. They became part of our parish family from day one. Their skills cut across the fundraising spectrum and extended to a wide range of topics including diocesan policy, project governance, stakeholder management, communications and marketing. We could call on the team day or night and both Tom and Meagan were there with answers, advice and helped us solve our problems. To call them professionals is a vast understatement. They did all the heavy lifting. Tom and Meagan understood not only how to organize our data but also how to trend and analyze it. They left us artifacts we will use for years to come. I’m proud to say, they encouraged us when we needed it most.

As we move into the Campaign Redemption phase of our effort, I’m gratified that the Lynch team will stay on with us. I know you will manage the interactions with our parish over the long term with the care and excellence you brought to the fundraising part of the campaign.

Most of all, please know you and the team have set in motion the realization of a dream that has been in the making for over 30 years. With God’s help, what we do now will enhance the spiritual connection our parishioners and visitors have with their faith for the next 135 years.

Sincerely,

Nick Sisto
Holy Name of Jesus Parish Buildings Committee