

Giving ST. BART'S



HOW WE SUSTAIN OUR COMMUNITY

St. Bart's is a New York City landmark—and so much more. Our services and programs create a spiritual oasis in the busy crossroads of midtown Manhattan—nourishing body, mind and soul.

We provide a great, open sacred space; arts, music, discussion forums and interfaith classes; soup kitchen, food pantry, and shelter; children's classes and summer camp; a year-round restaurant, athletic facilities, party reception spaces—all in the heart of Manhattan.

Parishioners, neighbors, and friends generously support St. Bart's; 98% of our operating budget must be raised or donated.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH
www.stbarts.org

Crossroads
Community Services
—providing 60,000
meals a year through
our breakfast, soup
kitchen and pantry
programs



Photo: Millard Cook

Reaching out to
children and families
through our pre-
school, summer camp,
year-round programs



Photo: Kathy Bozzuti-Jones

Bringing world-
renowned music
programs and concerts
to our community



Beginning and
nurturing life-long
spiritual journeys



Photo: Tim Martin

Providing
nourishment for the
soul, mind,
and body

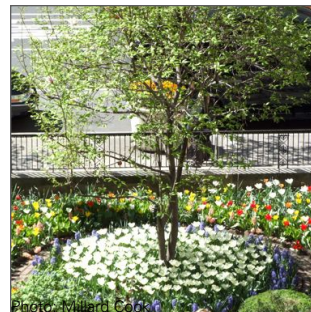


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ST. BART'S GIVING

Yes, I will support St. Bart's. Enclosed is my gift directed toward _____
I would like more information, please contact me by phone or email (circle one).

Name: _____

Street: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Return to: Diane Schoenthal, St. Bartholomew's Church, 325 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10022

Please visit: www.stbarts.org

Ways of Giving:

The Annual Fund Special Gifts

Special Gifts

THE ANNUAL FUND

What is the Annual Fund and what does it support?

The Annual Fund provides the unrestricted operating support that enables St. Bart's to fulfill our mission. In addition to powerfully beautiful liturgy and music, we offer comprehensive services to those in need, creative and educational programs for youth and families, and we provide a lively forum for the arts, culture and public conversation.

What is the goal of the Annual Fund?

The goal of the current Annual Fund is \$2.75 million. We ask all to participate by giving in proportion to what you have been given, in whatever way you are most comfortable, and to pledge early so that St. Bart's may responsibly plan the budget for the following year.

HOW TO GIVE TO THE ANNUAL FUND

First, You Pledge!

A stewardship pledge, as a responsibility of membership, is a *promise* to support the work of St. Bart's throughout the year. Giving proportionately or "tithing" means offering a percentage of your income as you are able. These pledges help us build a budget as our fiscal year is the same as the calendar year.

Honoring Your Pledge: How to Pay

Pledges or contributions can be paid as a single gift or in installments: weekly, monthly, or annually. Your pledge can be in the form of cash, check, credit card, direct debit payment or transfer of stock. Payments can be made securely online, by mail, in the offering plate during services, or by contacting the Office of Development and Stewardship.

PHILANTHROPIC ENTERPRISES

Do I have to be a member of St. Bart's to show my support?

No, philanthropic contributions are always welcome from friends of St. Bart's.

Gifts may be made to the distinct 501(c)(3) nonprofit enterprises: Mid-Manhattan Performing Arts Foundation (and Friends of Great Music), the Preservation Foundation (restoration projects of our landmark building), Crossroads Community Services (food and shelter programs), and the St. Bartholomew Community Preschool Foundation.

SPECIAL GIFTS—CHAIRS CAMPAIGN

Newly designed cathedral chairs will link together to replace the aging pews and open our magnificent cathedral space for varied uses. Each gift is recognized by an engraved plaque on the back of the chair.

FRIENDS OF ST. BART'S

In appreciation of the philanthropic support from our neighbors in the business community, the Friends of St. Bart's program offers special benefits for business leaders, corporate employees, and professional affiliates, with the goal of fostering a community spirit and providing a gathering venue for those who work in our neighborhood and beyond.

PLANNING YOUR LEGACY

The Mosaic Society recognizes those who have indicated that they have included St. Bart's in their estate planning. A planned gift might be in the form of a bequest, a trust, or by naming St. Bart's as the beneficiary of an insurance policy or a retirement account.

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT

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St. Bart's is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Contributions are tax-deductible to the full extent of the law. Each of the enterprises mentioned have their separate EIN nonprofit designation.

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