




DIOCESE OF BOISE

To: Pastors, Administrators and Parish Life Directors

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Subject: Special Collection Information 2021

Parishes will shortly be ordering envelopes for 2021. The special collections and scheduled dates for the remaining 2020 and 2021 years are as follows.

1. **September 5-6, 2020** - Diocesan Priests/Special Needs - Diocese of Boise: Include in regular envelope packs.
2. **October 17-18, 2020** - World Mission Sunday - for the Propagation of the Faith. Include in regular envelope packs.
3. **November 21-22, 2020** - Catholic Campaign for Human Development - (Sunday before Thanksgiving). Included in regular envelope packs.
4. **February 20 - 21, 2021** - Black and Indian Missions/Home Missions (typically first Sunday of Lent) Include in regular envelope packs.
5. **February 27 - 28, 2021** - Idaho Catholic Appeal. Envelopes will be provided by the diocese (Second Sunday of Lent).
6. **March 13 - 14, 2021** - The Catholic Relief Services Collection also includes USCCB Migration and Refugee Services (Fourth Sunday of Lent). Include in regular envelope packs.
7. **April 2, 2021** – The Pontifical Collection for the Holy Land. (Good Friday). Include in regular envelope packs.
8. **June 5 - 6, 2021** - Support for Diocesan Vocations, 2nd collection
9. **September 4 - 5, 2021** - Diocesan Priests/Special Needs - Diocese of Boise. Include in regular envelope packs.
10. **October 23 - 24, 2021** - World Mission Sunday – for the Propagation of the Faith. Include in regular envelope packs.
11. **November 20 - 21, 2021** - Catholic Campaign for Human Development – (Sunday before Thanksgiving). Include in regular envelope packs.

The Diocese recommends that all special collections EXCEPT the Idaho Catholic Appeal be made part of the regular envelope packs since that makes it easier for parishioners to contribute. The Diocese will forward educational material and posters received for some of the collections as they become available.