



DIOCESE OF BOISE

To: Pastors, Administrators and Parish Life Directors March 19, 2024
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Subject: **Special Collection Information 2025**

Parishes will shortly be ordering envelopes for 2025. The special collections and scheduled dates for 2025 are as follows.

1. **February 15-16, 2025**- Black and Indian Missions/Home Missions, include in regular envelope packs.
2. **March 5, 2025 – April 20, 2025** – CRS Rice Bowl Program
3. **March 15-16, 2025** - Idaho Catholic Appeal. Envelopes will be provided by the diocese (Second Sunday of Lent).
4. **March 23, 2025** - The Catholic Relief Services Collection
5. **March April 18, 2025** – The Pontifical Collection for the Holy Land. (Good Friday). Include in regular envelope packs.
6. **June 7-8, 2025** - Support for Diocesan Vocations, 2nd collection
7. **September 6-7, 2025** - Diocesan Priests/Special Needs - Diocese of Boise. Include in regular envelope packs.
8. **October 25-26, 2025** - World Mission Sunday – for the Propagation of the Faith. Include in regular envelope packs.
9. **November 22-23, 2025** - 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.