

January	February	March	April	May	June
	Annual Report due				
July	August	September	October	November	December

Dates to Remember:

ANNUAL REPORTS DUE: February 15th

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PERIOD: March 1 – April 30

TRIENNIAL CONFERENCE: First Saturday in August 2021

Programs:

MATCHING GRANT(S): Fundraiser(s) meant to support Religious Education. Matched .50 on the dollar.

GRANTS4GOOD (SOCIAL): Up to \$500 to support a family or celebratory event.

GRANTS4GOOD (SERVICE): Up to \$500 for a community service project.

GRANTS4GOOD (FAITH): Up to \$500 for a faith based project or initiative.

MINISTREE: Rewarding small acts of service that create a volunteer culture. Credit given to Council for running program at parish.

*Greyed out programs are only available to Parish Volunteer Teams

Types of Activities:

Events:

For a Council event to count toward Star Status, the Member Engagement team considers the following criteria:

WOULD THE EVENT HAPPEN IF NOT FOR THE EXISTENCE/INVOLVEMENT OF THE GROUP?

WERE INCOME AND/OR EXPENSES MANAGED BY THE GROUP?

DID THE GROUP PROVIDE VOLUNTEER COORDINATION?

DID ACTIVITY PROMOTION INCLUDE INFORMATION ABOUT CATHOLIC UNITED FINANCIAL INVOLVEMENT?

If yes can be said for at least one of these criteria, the event would qualify toward star status.

Newsletters:

Councils that choose to send a newsletter or other form of communication to their members or parish members can receive Star Status credit for doing so.

Donations:

A certain number of donations can count toward star status each year. See the included list for more information.

Star Status & Activity Allowance

Star Status	Activity Required		Amount
	Ranking	Meetings	
Semi-active Team	1	1	\$1.00
Active Team	2	4	\$2.00
Silver Team	4	8	\$2.50
Gold Team	4	12	\$3.00
Platinum Team	4	12*	\$3.00

*One must be a Gather4Service grant

PVTs are paid an annual activity allowance based on the Star Status level they achieve and the number of adult members (age 16+) assigned to the group.

For example, a council that with Silver Star Status and 258 adult members would receive payment as follows:

$$\$2.50 \times 258 = \$645$$

Activity allowance payments are sent following the submission of a completed and balanced annual report.

Donations

Donation to any two of the following can count as Star Status donations.

Msgr. Richard J. Schuler Seminarian Fund

3499 Lexington Ave. North
St. Paul, MN 55126

Catholic United Financial Foundation

3499 Lexington Ave. North
St. Paul, MN 55126

Catholic Defense League

3499 Lexington Ave. North
St. Paul, MN 55126

Common Hope

550 Vandalia Street - Box 14298
St. Paul, MN 55114

Sharing and Caring Hands

PO Box 50657
Minneapolis, MN 55405

NET Ministries

110 Crusader Ave. West
West St. Paul, MN 55118

Birthline of Central MN

1411 West Saint Germaine St. #5
St. Cloud, MN 56301

In addition to the groups listed above, a \$100 Gather4Good donation will count as a bonus donation:

Catholic United Financial Foundation

Gather4Good (in the memo line)

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St. Paul, MN 55126