

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 PVT for running program at parish. \$5 a card for online

MEMBER ASSISTANCE GRANT Fundraiser to support a member in crisis. Matched dollar for dollar.

Types of Activities:

Events:

For a PVT 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:

PVTs 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	Activities Per Member
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 PVT 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 automatic 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)
3499 Lexington Ave. North
St. Paul, MN 55126