## VIDEO WEEKEND PULPIT PRESENTATION

## VIDEO KICK-OFF WEEKEND ~February 3 AND February 4, 2024

(To be delivered by the pastor in each parish, either before each Mass or as part of the homily)

## Suggested Pastor Message

I would like to announce that the 2024 Diocesan Ministry Appeal begins in our parish and throughout our diocese this weekend.

We join our Catholic brothers and sisters throughout Central Colorado to provide support for several critical ministries of our church. Each year, the Diocesan Ministry Appeal challenges us to look outside our parish boundaries and support the universal causes of our church. Today we have arranged for you to watch the 2024 Appeal video, which highlights some of the ministries that are funded through your generosity.

## \*\*\*\* SHOW APPEAL VIDEO \*\*\*\*

(**Duration – 5:19**)

This week, you will receive a letter from Bishop Golka regarding the Appeal in the mail. You also will be hearing more about the Annual Appeal during Mass over the next few weeks. We ask you to make your commitment by or on the weekend of February 10th and 11<sup>th</sup>.

The Appeal is an opportunity for each and every Catholic household to help further the mission of the Diocese of Colorado Springs in Central Colorado. None of the monies raised in this Appeal go outside our local church. (Not USCCB or the Vatican.)

Thank you for your prayerful consideration and support of these important ministries that support our diocese AND our local parish.