

Giving & Receiving

Archdiocese of
Canberra and
Goulburn



Giving is characteristic of the Christian community. We feel the need to give because we have received so much.

We give as a response to Christ's gift of himself to us.

It is good to give.

Our financial giving is symbolic of our gift to the Lord and those we love. Giving also symbolises our place in the Church, guaranteed by our baptism into Christ.

Importantly, our giving helps our parish community to carry out its mission to serve others.

Our giving helps nurture and develop what past generations have bequeathed to us.

COLLECTION OF MONEY

The Archdiocese is transitioning to *cashless collection of money*. Recent events have quickened the pace of change. There are two collections at Mass.

- **The First Collection** contributes to the clergy of the Archdiocese. They receive a set, modest 'stipend' and 'living allowance' for their ministry.
- **The Second Collection** contributes to the mission and maintenance of the parish.



**FROM SUNDAY 21 JUNE
2020**

- No more collection plates at Mass.
- The Archdiocese will move to a simpler form of collecting money for both Parish and Clergy.

Parishioners will have four options:

1 Direct Debit

2 The QKR app

3 Tap & Go

4 Cash Collection Point