



2026 Catholic Ministry Appeal Fall Timeline

Date	Item/Event	Role	Details
August 19, 2026	2027 Parish In-Pew Webinar	Diocese & Parishes	Zoom training on the commitment weekend process
August 28, 2026	Letter 5: Pastor Letter Copy Due	Diocese & Parishes	Pastors to return their letter version, signature, and letterhead to the Development Office
September 16, 2026	Letter 4: Bishop Follow-Up	Diocese	Autumn Bishop Follow-Up mailing
September 20, 2026	Fall Announcement Weekend	Parishes	Appeal Announcement by celebrant at all Masses; Show video
September 27, 2026	Fall Commitment Weekend	Parishes	Robust in-pew for parishes striving to meet goal
October 5, 2026	Letter 5: Pastor Follow-Up	Diocese & Pastors	Fall Pastor Follow-Up Mailing for parishes striving to meet goal (<i>from pastors on parish letterhead</i>)
October 20, 2026	2027 Catholic Ministry Appeal Seminar for All Parishes	Diocese & Parishes	In-Person & Zoom at the Pastoral Center
November 6, 2026	Letter 6: Thanksgiving Mailing	Diocese	Appreciation mailing w/ prayer intention card to 2026 appeal donors