

## AUTHORIZATION FORM

I hereby authorize the Pastor of Sacred Heart Church to debit my account on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each **month** as my/our offertory donation (not including special collections), and to allocate it as noted below:

My/our total **monthly** donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Sacred Heart Parish.

Name(s) of Donator(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Bank/Trust Company/Credit Union: \_\_\_\_\_

Branch : \_\_\_\_\_

Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please attach a void cheque

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Contributor(s): \_\_\_\_\_

For Office Use Only

Parish Code \_\_\_\_\_

## WHY DIRECT DEBIT?

We are implementing this Pre-Authorization Giving Plan at the request of several of our Parishioners who have talked to their friends, who use it elsewhere, and who find it meets their needs and lifestyle. This plan is not for everyone, but we want to make it available to those who would use it.

We respect that giving is a very personal thing, but we hope that through the implementation of this plan, and the convenience and efficiency that it brings, will encourage the parishioners of Sacred Heart to support it. We look forward to your participation, and if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact **Joanne Bozzo at the Rectory Office (905-833-1161).**

## CONFIDENTIALITY & SECURITY

We are committed to keeping your personal information confidential and secure, and have taken measures to protect the security of your personal information. To guarantee security and confidentiality please make certain that you place your enrollment form and void cheque in a sealed envelope and either place it in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office, Attn: Joanne Bozzo, Administrative Assistant.

# Pre-Authorized Giving Plan

*Good Stewards of  
all that God has  
given us.*

## Sacred Heart Church

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*"I pre-authorize my giving  
because my church is one of  
my priorities."*

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## WHAT IS THE PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN?

The Archdiocese of Toronto is establishing a Pre-Authorized Giving Plan to assist you in your support of the work of Sacred Heart Parish through your regular parish offerings (**this does not include special collections**).

The work of our parish is made possible through the giving hearts of our parishioners. In response to changing lifestyles and demands on time and energy, the Archdiocese of Toronto seeks, through Pre-Authorized giving, to assist you in your giving.

Pre-Authorized Giving may be a good choice for you.

Pre-Authorized Giving creates a win/win situation for you and Sacred Heart Parish. It's a very simple procedure.

When you participate in Pre-Authorized Giving, your offering will be withdrawn from your account on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of the month. This amount will then be deposited to the parish's account.

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## WHY SHOULD I PARTICIPATE?

### Advantages for the donor:

- Convenience. Your offering is received automatically every month.
- Continual support of your parish when you are away.

### Advantages for the Parish:

- Regular, dependable flow of contributions to the parish.
- Reduction of paperwork and bookkeeping.

## HOW DO I ENROLL?

This is how you make your gift through the Pre-Authorized giving Plan:

- Decide the amount of your gift to Sacred Heart Church to be withdrawn from your account each month.
  - Fill out the form in this brochure and attach a cheque from your account marked "void".
  - Put the form and void cheque in a sealed envelope, and place it in the collection basket OR mail to the Parish Office, Attn: Joanne Bozzo, Administrative Assistant.
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## WHO LOOKS AFTER THE PLAN?

The Office of Stewardship and Development of the Archdiocese of Toronto administers the Pre-Authorized Giving Plan for the parish. Please note that our parish office will issue tax receipts for all offertory gifts.

## HOW WILL PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING REPLACE MY CURRENT GIVING?

Those that already have offertory envelopes and have joined the Pre-Authorized Giving program can simply put 'P.A.G.' (Pre-Authorized Giving) in the space on the back of the envelope. e.g. "My sacrifice to God for His Gift to me \$.....

P. A.G...." as seen below.

