WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF PLANNED GIVING TO THE DONOR?
Here are a few examples of the many benefits of planned giving to you:
- Your gift is a lasting statement of your good stewardship of your assets and of your faith in God.
- Your gift is a declaration to God, family, and friends of what you hold dear at the time of your death, and if the Cathedral is included in your giving, a declaration that you believe in and care about its mission of the church.
- If the Cathedral is included in your giving, you along with the other Cathedral planned giving donors will place in the area within the Cathedral campus honoring your gift.
- You may receive income tax benefits as a result of your gifts which may allow you to provide more funds to for your family, heirs, and the charities that you care about than would otherwise have been possible.

MAY I RESTRICT THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MY GIFT MAY BE USED?
Yes, but unrestricted gifts will give our successor congregations more flexibility in responding to the unique needs of the future.

CAN I MAKE A PLANNED GIFT WHILE I AM ALIVE?
Yes, there are many financial planning options that allow you to make gifts during your lifetime.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF PLANNED GIVING TO THE CATHEDRAL?
Listed below are a few examples of the many benefits of planned giving to the Cathedral and the communities that it serves:
- Your gift help reduce the Cathedral's debt.
- Your gift will assist in managing the Cathedral’s extensive maintenance needs.
- Your gift will also benefit your favorite programs and activities or encourage new missions.
- Your gift will provide for the future continuity and stability of the Cathedral, and support for its outreach into our wider community.
- Your gift will also help support Morning Glory Ministries and its mission to help those that are less fortunate in the downtown Kansas City community.

WHAT IS PLANNED GIVING?
Planned Giving generally refers to gifts that we make from our accumulated assets or other sources. These may include insurance proceeds or annuities, to support the missions and activities of charitable or religious organizations of the donor’s choice. It can also provide for the church that we have loved and served during our lifetime, so that it may remain vital in years to come.

Anyone can make a planned gift. Planned gifts can take many forms including: wills, trusts, life insurance, IRA and retirement accounts, gift annuities, real estate, and securities.

WHAT DOES A PLANNED GIFT LOOK LIKE?
Many types of gifts and methods of giving are available to you. Your lawyer or financial advisor can explain which method may be best suited for you. Some options are:
NEED MORE INFORMATION?
If you need more information, or would like to talk to someone about Planned Giving, please fill out this page and leave it at the parish office or drop in the collection basket. A Bequest Form/Codicil is available upon request or can be found on the Cathedral website. If you have any questions or need any further information about planned gift, please contact Deacon Jim Olsheski at jolshefski@kcgolddome.org

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☐ I would like more information about Planned Giving.
☐ I’ve included the Cathedral in my Estate plans.

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