



# St. Alfred

Catholic Church

Dear brother and sisters in Christ:

I am pleased to report that our Missionary Discipleship Commitment Sunday has yielded almost 200 completed commitment forms from our St. Alfred parish family thus far. Through prayerful discernment many have already taken those steps on our parish journey to discover more about what it means to respond to the Lord's call to an even greater commitment to discipleship.

I have published the names of those who have submitted their commitment forms to acknowledge their participation in this journey to help us grow in faith and love for God. **Now I ask that more of our St. Alfred family of faith step up and be counted.**

**If you have not yet done so, please complete the accompanying Commitment Form.** Review the Commitment Form and respond openly and generously to the Call to Pray, Call to Serve and Call to Share sections of the Commitment Form as your personal and family circumstances will allow. God will bless you for your response to your family of faith.

**Bring your completed Commitment Form to Mass.** Please bring your completed Commitment Form to one of the Commitment weekend Masses and join the rest of our parish family in celebrating our journey thus far and our deeper commitment to God.

**A Reminder about Prayer Requests** - There is a section on the Commitment Form that gives you the opportunity to make a "Prayer Request." We will bring your prayer request to the altar at Mass and as a parish family pray for your personal intentions.

Finally, please join me in praying for an outcome that will result in a transformed community. Let us pray that we will become a parish family that discovers a deep joy in a renewed discipleship.

May God bless you and your loved ones with much abundance during this season of Advent.

Your servant in Christ,

Fr. Charles Altermatt  
Pastor