## **How to Support Our Lady of Grace and St. Joseph**

Our parish relies on the support of parishioners and friends, so your help is especially critical at this time. If you are experiencing financial insecurity as a result of this crisis, please take care of yourself and your family. If you are able to contribute, we welcome you to do so in one of the following ways:

- Drop off your donations in the secure mailboxes in front of the OLG office at 411 Clinton St. or the St. Joseph Rectory at 61 Monroe St.
- Mail your donations to either church: OLG at 400 Willow Ave. or St. Joseph Church at 61 Monroe St.
- Contact your bank or financial institution and designate a set amount each week or month that will be mailed as a check to either church: OLG at 400 Willow Ave. or St. Joseph Church at 61 Monroe St.
- New! We can now accept donations through Zelle, the mobile/online money transfer service. If you're not familiar with Zelle, you can find out more about the service here: www.zellepay.com Here's how to donate using Zelle:
  - o If your bank uses Zelle, log in to your bank account through your bank's mobile app or website and access Zelle from there. If your bank doesn't use Zelle, download the Zelle app on your mobile phone or other mobile device and create an account. If you're not sure whether your bank uses Zelle, you can check here: www.zellepay.com/get-started
  - Set up the parish as a new contact in Zelle, using our email address: olgrace@optonline.net (Please do NOT use the church's phone number since landlines do not work.)

- o Enter the amount of your donation and select the date/frequency. Please note that you can configure recurring donations if desired.
- o If there is a "memo" field for the transfer, please enter the following: "Donation from [YOUR NAME]."
- o Follow the instructions to submit the transfer.
- o Note regarding fees: Zelle does not charge any fees to you or the parish for making a transfer. Our bank does not charge us any fee to receive transfers, and most banks do not charge fees to send transfers (you can confirm this with your own bank).

Note regarding tax letters: To ensure that the parish can properly record your donation and issue you an annual tax letter if desired, please be sure that you have registered as a parishioner. You can find the forms here:

<u>www.olghoboken.com/index.php/connect-with-us/parish-registrat</u> ion-forms

We deeply appreciate your support and generosity as our parish community weathers this crisis. God bless!