



## “FROM THE DESK OF FATHER JONATHAN”

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**It's that time of year again.....the Cardinal's Appeal. It is our way of supporting the good works of charity and other services of the Archdiocese of New York. Cardinal Dolan gives each parish a monetary goal. This year ours is \$37,500. But let's not worry about the final number. Let's focus instead on how many of us will contribute.**

**Last year 229 parishioners made a pledge. I'm confident that if we reach 300 donors we will make our goal. And I think we can do this in ONE weekend. On the weekend of April 9-10, I will speak at all of the masses during the homily. We will pass out envelopes, and we will take two minutes to fill them out and collect them. You don't have to pay anything on that day; but you can if you like. The important thing is to make the pledge. My goal is to talk about this ONCE and then not talk about it again.**

**Yes, I believe we can make our goal in one weekend!! Why drag it out?! Let's do it and then get back to focusing on the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Amen? Amen!**

**Father Jonathan**

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