For the weeks following February 28th

To keep the parishioners engaged and informed as to your parish progress with ABCD, I encourage you to do the following:

* Post the names of the donors with a “thank you” in the bulletin, social media, or on the parish website (Please note do not publish the name(s) of the donors who elect to remain anonymous; and
* Announce in your bulletin the parish’s results for ABCD that is like the below:

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFT!**

ABCD supports the many ministries of the Catholic Church in the three counties of our Archdiocese – these ministries represent concrete ways in which we perform what are called the spiritual and corporal works of mercy. The Archbishop’s Charities and Development Drive (ABCD) exists because of the generosity of people like yourselves, people who in good times and in bad times keep their support of the Church on their list of major priorities.

 As of today, (number responding) \* of our (number of parish families) have responded to the call for help. Thanks to the generosity of many, the ABCD can bring hope by serving others in their time of need, help our students continue upon their journey of learning and prepare them for the future and raise a unified voice for peace and dignity of all human life. Together, we are One in Faith, One in Hope and One in Charity.

If you have yet to make a gift to the ABCD, we need your help to reach our parish goal of (parish goal). Please make your pledge and return it to the church office or in the collection basket. We are confident that, with God’s help and yours, we will unite as a Catholic community to and spread the love of Christ beyond our parish doors.

\*Important note: please insert the information in the sections as needed. If you prefer to replace it with the dollars raised rather than base it on participation, please adjust accordingly.