

Dear Parishioner,

The electronic age is indeed upon us. To make good use of this reality and to support St. Joseph Co-Cathedral, we have added an electronic payment option. This offers you the opportunity to make automatic financial contributions from your bank account to our parish. To your benefit, it makes giving more convenient--contributes directly from your checking account. It will eliminate the need to write checks and keep track of envelopes.

Direct Debit Benefits to Parishioners

- *It saves time – no check to write*
- *Helps you to fulfill your commitment in a convenient and timely manner – even if you forget your envelope or you're on vacation or out of town.*
- *Confidential. Safe. Secure. Free.*

You would continue receiving your monthly packet of Church envelopes if you would like to contribute to any special collections or holydays. You may put your empty church envelope in the collection as symbolic to St. Joseph of your contribution.

You will have the option to choose your contribution drafted once a week or once a month. The weekly funds will be drafted out of your account on Thursdays. The monthly funds will be drafted out of your account on the 15th of the month or next business day.

If you would like to take advantage of Electronic Drafting, please fill out the Authorization Form below to provide your account information and choose a contribution schedule.

Authorization for Electronic Direct Draft

I authorize St. Joseph Co-Cathedral and the financial institution named below to initiate entries to my checking account in the amount of \$ _____.00, **Weekly** **Monthly** (circle either).

My envelope number is _____. This authority will remain in effect until I notify you in writing to cancel it in such time as to afford the financial institution a reasonable opportunity to act on it. I can also stop payment of any entry by notifying my financial institution 6 days before my account is charged.

(Name – Please Print)

(Address – Please Print)

E-Mail address:

(Signature)

(Date)

(Name of Financial Institution)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

Account No. _____

Financial Institution Routing Number _____

(Between these symbols: |; on the bottom left of your check)

You must also attach a **voided check** from your checking account. Please mail to St. Joseph Co-Cathedral, Attn: Glen Raffray, P.O. Box 966, Thibodaux, LA 70302 or you may drop in the collection. If you have any questions, call Glen Raffray at the church office at (985) 446-1387.

We recommend you have a copy made of this agreement for your records.