

ST HELEN PARISH MERCHANT CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

This program is an ongoing fund raiser that benefits the Church and our parishioners through the sale of gift cards. St Helen purchases the cards at a discount (see below) rate and passes 50% of the profits on to the parishioner and the other 50% to St Helen. The parishioner has several options on what to do with their profits. They can choose to apply it the tuition program, apply it to a Ministry, donate it back to St Helen or may receive a CASH REBATE. The rebate program is new this past July 1st. Whatever method you choose, your profits are returned twice a year, May and November. Listed below is a sample of a few of the 40 merchant cards in stock along with the profits from these cards.

<u>MERCHANT</u>	<u>PROFIT</u>	<u>PARISHIONER CREDIT</u>	<u>CHURCH CREDIT</u>
\$100 Giant Eagle	4%	\$2.00	\$2.00
\$100 Heinen's	4%	\$2.00	\$2.00
\$100 Wal-mart	2.5%	\$1.25	\$1.25
\$100 Kohl's	3%	\$1.50	\$1.50
\$25 Dick's Sporting	7%	\$.88	\$.87
\$25 Amazon.com	3%	\$.38	\$.37
\$20 Mangia Mangia	10%	\$1.00	\$1.00
\$25 Olive Garden	7%	\$.88	\$.87
\$10 Bob Evans	10%	\$.50	\$.50
\$10 Zeppe's	11%	\$.55	\$.55
\$25 Texas Roadhouse	9%	\$1.13	\$1.12
\$100 Marathon Gas	3%	\$1.50	\$1.50
\$100 Speedway Gas	3%	\$1.50	\$1.50
\$25 Sheetz Gas	3%	\$.38	\$.37

The gift card orders are filled everyday through the school office by sending the order form in an envelope marked "Merchant Certificate." Checks made Payable to St Helen and must accompany the order. We also sell them after Sunday Masses in the cafeteria. We have the ability to place large orders and also can order \$500 giant eagle cards along with \$500 Marathon gas cards. We welcome business orders especially around the holidays but allow time for delivery of cards.

Giant Eagle cards may be used at the gas pumps and you may also purchase more merchant cards at Giant Eagle with this Giant Eagle card. You receive no discount perks when you purchase a Giant Eagle card at Giant Eagle, so why not get those cards at St Helen! Merchant order forms may be found on our website, www.sthelen.com click school, then forms. Any questions concerning this program, feel free to contact Mary Beth Lyons at 440-487-6360 or mbcoachlyons@msn.com

WHY NOT GIVE THE PROGRAM A TRY FOR 6 MONTHS!

