

PARISH PAY TRANSITION TO WESHARE

Parish Pay has migrated to a new platform called WeShare

Liturgical Publications (LPI) has acquired the Parish Pay online giving donations system (that we use) and transitioned all Parish Pay accounts into their 'WeShare' online giving system. St Mary's was informed several days ago that this migration was completed on October 12th and that we now need to go through the 'WeShare' system to access our online giving accounts. The good news is that donations set up under Parish Pay for regular donations (first collection) should continue to work as before in "WeShare", that the "WeShare" system is easy to use and works very much like the Parish Pay system and that our new system is used by most Catholic churches across the world.

Summary

All current Parish Pay users need to:

- 1) Reverify your accounts and set up passwords in the new "WeShare" system in order to access these accounts. (See the process below for how to do it)
- 2) Review your automatic recurring donations and ensure they are set up as expected.

How do you do it?

- 1) There are two ways to get to the St Mary's WeShare Transition Landing Page on your computer
 - a. Go to our St. Mary of the Hills website at this link <http://www.saintmaryofthehills.com> , select the Parish Pay sub menu, scroll down and press the "WeShare Transition Landing Page" link button. Or,
 - b. Go directly to the St Mary's WeShare Transition Landing Page at <https://www.parishpay.com/nonprofit/login.html?pc=miiummy72>
- 2) On the St Mary's WeShare Transition Landing Page there are three options:
 - a. **I've used Parish Pay.** Select this option to reverify your identity for login to the new system.
 - i. What you need:
 1. The email address on which you receive Parish Pay donation reminders
 2. The last 4 digits of your funding source (credit card or back account)
 - ii. If you have issues reverifying your account call 800-950-9952 and choose option 1. Customer Support at LPI will provide assistance.
 - b. **I've already Verified my Account.** Select this option for direct access to the WeShare Log In page.
 1. Login with your email address and new password
 - c. **This is my first online donation.** This is for those who need to create an account. Don't try to Log In. After you select your donation the system will lead you through the account creation process including the establishment of a funding source and password.

Thank you for providing your time and attention to the WeShare transition and using Online Giving for your contributions to St. Mary of the Hills. This is a big and growing area of support to our parish. At this time of year this is also a valuable alternative to using mailing envelopes for our Parish Drive. As more and more of our families use internet banking for its benefits we also expect that these families may like to use an Online Giving alternative at church.

Whether you are an online giver or donate using mailing envelopes I thank you for considering support for this year's Parish Drive and the goals that this drive supports for Saint Mary of the Hills.

Fr. Manny

