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Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Teresa's Parish,

During the weekend of March 21 & 22, 2026, St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation (STMPC) - your corporation – provided information regarding the urgent need to replace the Complex's 60-year-old oil-fired furnace. We understand that the present furnace may not pass provincial inspection this summer. We therefore need to replace the heating and electrical systems on an **urgent basis** – between May and September 2026!

Your STMPC Directors, in discussions with consultants, are now focusing on this critical issue and proposals for various heating solutions. One such heating system being considered is radiant heating (electrical), which offers enhanced efficiency, lower operational costs, and greater environmental sustainability. This type of upgrade will allow for savings to the parish in fuel, insurance and maintenance costs.

STMPC's available funding for the heating and electrical systems upgrades is limited. We have attempted to obtain a bank loan without success. We are exploring funding and grants from all levels of government and reaching out to a variety of people, businesses, and organizations to assist us with our fund-raising efforts. The urgency of this matter compels us to be bold and, therefore, we are asking you to make a financial contribution to this worthy and urgent cause.

St. Teresa's Church is a gathering place for our faith community and is a hub for several Parish community outreach initiatives and service to others, such as our Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference and Knights of Columbus.

Time is of the essence! Please accept our sincere and humble thanks for considering this request. You may contribute directly by e-transfer to stteresascampaign@gmail.com, or you may use the attached pledge form to make your contribution over time. Please make cheques payable to *St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation*. In obtaining such funding, St. Teresa's Parish will continue to be a vibrant and growing Roman Catholic parish for the west end of St. John's. All donations received by St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation are used solely to maintain and enhance this large complex and tax receipts will be provided.

As you can sense, we are in a precarious situation and are working under a very tight timeline. We recognize the task before us is large, but we have hope!

Sincerely,

Richard Power, President, St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation
Business #: 73644 5701 RT0001

Attachment



Pledge for Furnace Replacement Campaign

Do you want to help with the replacement of the oil-fired furnace at St. Teresa's Church? If the answer is yes; we must raise funds to do so.

The Board of Directors of St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation (STMPC) is working hard to find the most cost-effective and suitable heating solution for you, consulting with experts throughout the process. Until the tendering process is finished and we know the exact amount needed, let us select a substantial figure to indicate that significant fundraising is required - \$600,000. What do you think? Can we raise enough money to pay for the purchase and installation of a new heating and electrical system for our beautiful Church?

Ask yourself, what can you, your family, and friends Pledge to our **Furnace Replacement Campaign**? Who do you know? We need your assistance. If you know someone you could ask, please do so. This Pledge Form will be available at the back of the Church, at the office, and online. Please Pledge to the **Furnace Replacement Campaign**. Return your signed Pledge to us **by Friday, May 1, 2026**.

Thank you for your support!

YES! I Pledge to the **Furnace Replacement Campaign**

Commit to pay \$ _____ By Fri., May 15, 2026

All Pledges will be kept confidential.

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Please print

Address: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____

Please return your completed form by Friday, May 1, 2026, in an envelope marked: **"Confidential – Furnace Replacement Campaign – St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation"** to the Parish Office at 120 Mundy Pond Road, St. John's, NL A1E 1V1. You may also send the completed form to stteresascampaign@gmail.com. This is also the email to use to send your e-transfers. Please make cheques payable to: **"St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation"**. Please feel free to contact us at 709-579-0065 and leave a message or by email at the address noted above.

If you have ideas on how to raise large amounts of money, please let us know.