

Please join us for the

*St. John's Parish
Capital Campaign
Kick-off Dinner*

**Friday May 4, 2007
7-9 p.m.**

Cafe Escadrille
26 Cambridge St.
Burlington, MA
781-273-1916

*All adult parishoners
and guests are welcome.*



Growing In Grace

**Introducing the St. John's
2007-2010 Capital Campaign**



St. John's has launched a Capital Campaign designed to address the projected needs of our parish over the next three years.

To support our recent growth, provide for exciting new service projects, and be responsible caretakers of our sacred property, we anticipate new expenditure needs above the operating expenses that we all met in such spectacular fashion during our recent pledge drive.

Please support Campaign co-chairs Barbara Seyon and David Wilcox as they shepherd this campaign over the next three years, beginning with the kickoff dinner on May 4 at Cafe Escadrille in Burlington.

The Four Primary Goals of the Capital Campaign

Church School . . .
. . . recognizing that children are the future by supporting the phenomenal growth of the Church School - attendance has grown more than 65 percent over the past year.



Rev. Ramsey joins the children at the 2006 holiday Children's Service.

Going Green . . . to do our part as stewards of the Earth by replacing outdated appliances and windows and becoming



Repair and better utilization of the stage and Parish Hall are among the major goals of the Capital Campaign.

more energy efficient in our physical space.

Saving Sacred Music and Sacred Spaces . . .
. . . to address our largest and most urgent need by preserving the M. P. Moller organ which was built in 1934 and has never been refurbished.

Growing in Mission . . .
. . . to recognize that our community is not an island and to turn our grace into action by carrying out local, national, and international outreach projects.

More information on these plans will be shared at our festive parish-wide Kick-off Dinner. Please plan to attend, meet old parish friends and make new ones. If your invitation did not arrive in the mail, please RSVP to the Parish Office at (781) 648-4819.



Building and organ decay was recently documented by our own Don Griffin. Please see the bulletin board in the parish hall for more photos, as well as the website: [www. saintjohns-arlington.org](http://www.saintjohns-arlington.org).