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Archdiocese of Los Angeles
Most Reverend Jose H. Gomez
3424 Wilshire Blvd
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Dear Archbishop Gomez,

This year marks the 25th anniversary of the Oregon Catholic Press (OCP) Parish Grants Program. Since 2001, OCP Parish Grants have provided more than \$3.8 million to parishes seeking to enhance their worship experience. As we celebrate 25 years of giving, we hope you will continue to encourage parishes in your diocese to benefit from OCP's support.

Eligibility

The Parish Grants Program is open to all Roman Catholic parishes and campus ministries in the United States and U.S. territories. Applicants do not need to use an OCP worship program to qualify. The only parishes ineligible to apply are those that received a 2025 Parish Grant.

Grant Use

Awarded grants must be used for liturgical and/or musical purposes that strengthen parish worship. Typical uses include purchasing new music and worship resources; repairing or replacing musical instruments; supporting the formation of musicians and liturgical ministers through attending or hosting conferences and workshops; and enhancing multicultural ministries through training and the purchase of bilingual or multilingual resources. Funds may also be applied to other music-related needs that directly support the liturgy.

2026 Applications

Applications for 2026 OCP Parish Grants are now being accepted through May 30, 2026. To apply, a parish representative simply completes the online application at ocp.org/parish-grants. Grant recipients will be announced in August.

For additional information, please visit ocp.org/parish-grants. For your convenience, we have also provided a document containing the information from this letter at ocp.org/2026letter, which may be easily copied and shared with parishes in your diocese. Thank you for helping to spread the word about the ways OCP supports parishes and ministers throughout your diocese.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Wade Wisler
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