

September 30, 2024 – Create Your Profile Page



With your leadership team in place and your goals set, you're now ready to create your organization's profile page. Your profile page is the outward-facing messaging that all will see, so take the opportunity to make it something eye-catching and informative for potential donors!

Before you begin, we strongly recommend that the person responsible for the administration of your organization's profile page take the time to watch the **"Creating an Impactful Profile"** training video put out by #iGiveCatholic. The video presents a step-by-step process for creating a great profile and offers you some best practices for bringing your story to life. You can find the video in the training library at <https://www.igivecatholic.org/info/trainings>.

Key takeaways from the training video:

- Focus on a unique, easy-to-understand project.
- Use captivating photos, videos, and images to tell your story.
- Consider using donations levels to make it clear to donors how they can make an impact.
- Offer other engagement/volunteer opportunities with your organization for those that may want to become further involved.
- Incorporate peer-to-peer fundraising and matching gifts.
 - *Additional details about peer-to-peer fundraising and matching gifts will come in Weeks #5 and #6...stay tuned.*
- Highlight the joy of giving and have fun!

There is also a [Giving Day Profile Cheat Sheet](#) for those looking for a quick basic overview on customizing your profile.

NOTE: Your organization's profile page resides *within* the archdiocesan landing page (stl.igivecatholic.org), but you also have a **direct URL link** that you will want to push out to donors, families, and friends once your page is complete. The URL for your profile page is located at the bottom right of your Giving Day profile under "Share Your Page".

Once you have completed your profile page, you'll want to see how it looks to others. Search for your own organization from the archdiocesan landing page (stl.igivecatholic.org) to see what potential donors will see when they look for you on the Giving Day.



Should you have any technical questions as you create your profile, Bonterra/GiveGab support is available via chat by clicking on the blue chat bubble in the lower right.

Thank you all for your efforts, enthusiasm, dedication, and commitment.

Until next Monday,
Your Archdiocese of St. Louis #iGiveCatholic Team

P.S. Miss an email? The Weekly Email Series is also available behind the **Plan for Success** button on our website - <https://www.archstl.org/igivecatholic>

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