

## **“Choir Corner”**

### **Week 3**

This week we look at the question: ***How have our choir members experienced personal and spiritual growth?***

- “Singing at mass connects me to our faith more than I have felt in many years.”
- “Singing for the glory of God and for our fellow parishioners are intangibles that no one can take away from you, in contrast to the losses or changes in our everyday lives that can hurt us or make us feel down.”
- “Participating in music ministry at Christ the King is the only thing that settles my soul. Sometimes I find quiet contentment. At other times I am filled with raw and overwhelming joy. At no other time am I able to completely surrender to something beyond my understanding.”
- “I continue to learn about church liturgy, the art of music itself, all the while nurturing my faith.”
- “What I get from singing at church is spiritual fulfillment. And I honestly feel like I’m supposed to be doing it, like God wants me to do it.”
- “I get more out of the Mass when I’m engaged and giving back through the music.”
- “For a long time my participation was about the music, not the ministry. Somewhere, somehow that quietly changed. After my divorce, I needed a place of prayer. The choir gave me that. The music and ministry bond grew through my journey...”

Next week: Diversity and Varied Experience — Who are we and where have we come from?