Parishioner Reimbursement Process (January 2024)

- 1. <u>Before</u> incurring expense, parishioner must get approval from the appropriate Staff/Ministry Lead
- 2. Appropriate Staff/Ministry lead must provide the parishioner with the expense account coding
 - a. Proper expense account coding is <u>not</u> the responsibility of the Exec Admin, Bookkeeper, or Treasurer
- 3. Parishioner to keep paper receipt(s), annotate with expense account coding and create a .pdf file of the receipt(s)

If the parishioner is already set-up as a vendor in Bill.com, (St. Catherine's accounts payable system) and knows how to login, upload receipts and create an invoice:

4. Parishioner logs into their Bill.com account, creates an invoice using the expense account coding and uploads/attaches the .pdf file they created with their receipts

The remainder of the reimbursement process is handled by the Bookkeeper (using the created invoice w/attachments in the In-box, sets-up the payment and assigns for approval), Rector/Warden approves invoice in Bill.com, and the Treasurer releases all approved payments (in Bill.com).

If the parishioner is already set-up as a vendor in Bill.com, but does not know how to upload receipts and create an invoice:

5. Parishioner to send .pdf file to Exec Admin for filing in the "Invoice" folder in Google Drive

The remainder of the reimbursement process is handled by the Bookkeeper, Rector/Warden and Treasurer in Bill.com the same as in step 4 above.

If the parishioner is **not** already set-up as a vendor in Bill.com

- 6. Parishioner to send .pdf file to Exec Admin for filing in the "Invoice" folder in Google Drive
- 7. Along with the .pdf file with expense account coding, the parishioner would need to provide the following personal information necessary to make a payment to them.
- 8. A. Personal info needed to receive payment via check in the mail (this is the slower, more expensive, and less reliable payment methodology)
 - a. Full name
 - b. Mailing address for check
 - B. Personal info needed to receive payment directly into their bank account ("direct deposit") (this is the fastest, least expense, most efficient methodology):
 - a. Full name
 - b. Full name on bank account
 - c. Bank's 9-digit routing number
 - d. Bank account number
- 9. In addition to filing the .pdf file in the Invoices folder (step 6), the Exec Admin will forward the Step 8 personal information to the Treasurer and bookkeeper for setting up the new vendor in Bill.com

The remainder of the reimbursement process is handled by the Bookkeeper, Rector/Warden and Treasurer in Bill.com the same as in step 4 above.