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KANSAS CITY-ST. JOSEPH

403(b) Plan Overview

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WHO IS CREATIVE PLANNING?

OVER \$354 BILLION IN ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT & ADVISEMENT*

\$354+

NATIONAL RESOURCES

CFA Analysts

Actuaries

ERISA

- Investment advisory services ERISA 3(21) or 3(38)
- Employee engagement, financial wellness and advice
- Assist in formalizing committee structure through drafting of charter, by-laws, and other formative documents
- Vendor search and management
- Fee benchmarking
- Fiduciary process management

BARRON'S

Top RIA Firms 2019-2024

Awarded each September based on data from a 12-month period through June 30.

Invest in Others

Charitable Champion 2023-2024

Awarded each July based on activities from a 12-month period through December 31.

FA FINANCIAL ADVISOR MAGAZINE

Top RIA Firms 2024

Awarded each July based on data from a 12-month period through December 31.

*As of December 31, 2024, Creative Planning and its affiliate have more than \$354 billion in assets under management or advisement for nonprofits, retirement plans, and individuals in all 50 states and abroad. Advisors is an affiliate of Creative Planning.

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THE CREATIVE PLANNING DIFFERENCE



- ✓ **One of the Largest Independent RIAs**
 - **In Business for Almost 40 Years**
 - **Based in Overland Park, Kansas**
- ✓ **Completely Independent**
 - **No Affiliation with Banks, Brokerages or Fund C**
 - **No Commission Products**
 - **Eliminates Conflict of Interest Situations**
- ✓ **Fiduciary**
 - **Not a Broker**
 - **Obligation to “Put Your Interests Above Our Own”**
- ✓ **Licensed Advisors**
 - **One-on-One Meetings**
 - **Personalized Advice**



CREATIVE PLANNING – ADDITIONAL SERVICES





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Discover login answers and support.



Access forms and claims

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Find a dentist

Search by your location.



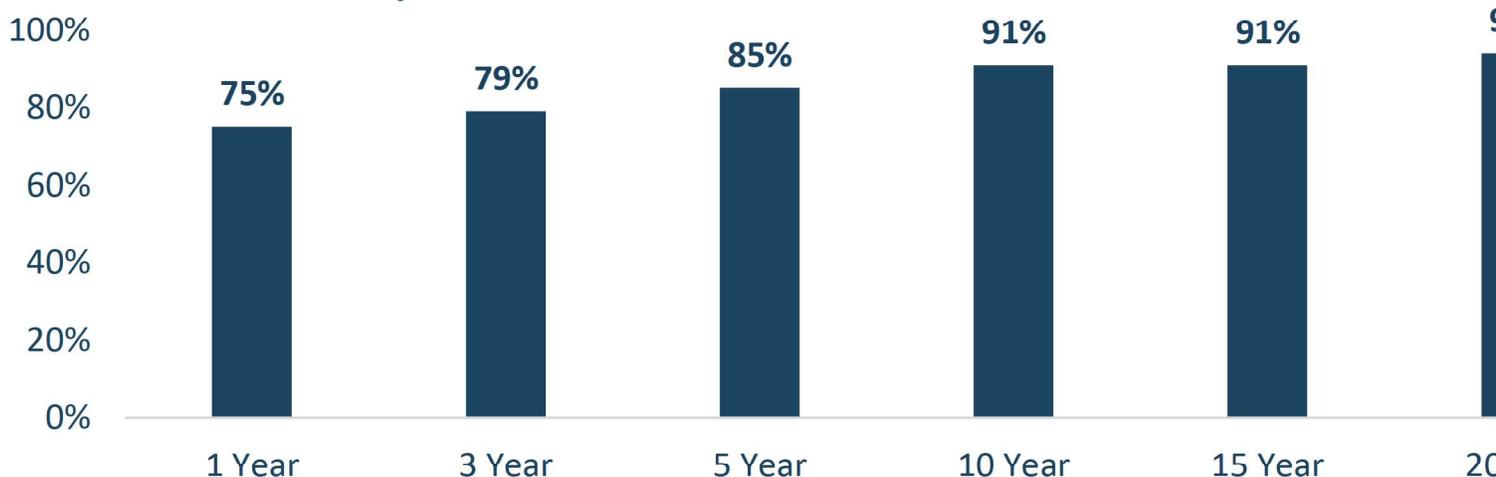
INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY – ACTIVE VS. PASSIVE

SPIVA U.S. SCORECARD FOR ALL U.S. FUNDS AS OF DECEMBER 2023

Can Active Managers Beat the Benchmark?

Net of fees, 94% of active managers underperformed benchmarks over a 20-year period.

Underperformance of all domestic funds on absolute basis:



Sources: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, CRSP. Data as of Dec. 31, 2023. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Table is provided for illustrative purposes.



INVESTMENT SCREENING – USCCB

Creative Planning and the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph 401(k) Committee have utilized investment research tools and criteria provided by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) to select and monitor the investment options for the plan.

From a Catholic perspective, ethical and socially responsible investing as the strategy has come to be known, requires us to evaluate specific investments in terms of how those companies or entities protect human dignity, promote human dignity, act justly, enhance the common good, and provide care for the environment.

*Socially Responsible Investment Guidelines for the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops were developed by the Committee on Budget and Finance of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). They were approved by the full body of the USCCB at its November 2021 General Meeting

INVESTMENT SCREENING – USCCB

Fidelity Mid Cap Value Index Fund

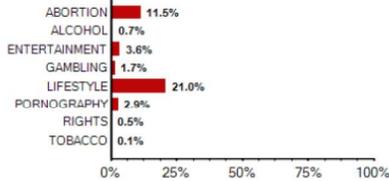
FIMVX

82 Devonshire Street, Boston, MA, United States 2109

Total Offensive Dollars (all share classes):

\$256,525,000

Mid-Cap Value



28.7% of this fund is invested in objectionable companies.

0.0% of this fund is invested in cash equivalents or other unverified holdings. The values ranking for this fund could be understated or may change as portfolios fluctuate.

VIOLATION SUMMARY

TOTAL VIOLATIONS

TOP VIOLATING HOLDINGS

Violating Companies	Ticker	% OF NET	ABORTION	PORNOGRAPHY	ENTERTAINMENT	LIFESTYLE	RIGHTS	ALCOHOL	TOBACCO	GAMBLING
Bank of New York Mellon Corp	BK	0.63%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
L3Harris Technologies Inc	LHX	0.53%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Cummins Inc	CMI	0.51%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Prudential Financial Inc	PRU	0.50%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
PG&E Corp	PCG	0.49%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Corteva Inc	CTVA	0.48%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Allstate Corp	ALL	0.47%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Simon Property Group Inc	SPG	0.46%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Electronic Arts Inc	EA	0.45%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
CBRE Group Inc Class A	CBRE	0.45%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Exelon Corp	EXC	0.44%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
General Mills Inc	GIS	0.43%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Xcel Energy Inc	XEL	0.42%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Discover Financial Services	DFS	0.42%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
The Kroger Co	KR	0.42%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■

- ABORTION
- PORNOGRAPHY
- ENTERTAINMENT
- LIFESTYLE
- RIGHTS
- ALCOHOL
- TOBACCO
- GAMBLING

¹ The pie chart represents each security and its percentage of net assets within the fund's portfolio. Totals may add up to over 100% due to rounding.

² The bar graph represents the collective corporate involvement in each individual screen. Screens are calculated independently and not based on assets, therefore totals will not add to 100%.

³ Mutual funds are actively managed and the portfolio holdings are subject to change.

Investors are encouraged to consider the investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses of an investment company carefully before investing in that company. A prospectus is available from mutual funds that contains that and other more complete, important information. Please carefully read the prospectus for any fund you are considering. You may receive a prospectus from the fund or from your financial representative.

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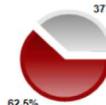
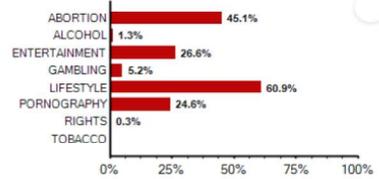
CRQSX

OAKS PA 19456, OAKS, PA, United States 19456

Total Offensive Dollars (all share classes):

\$2,519,108,000

Large Blend



62.5% of this fund is invested in objectionable companies.

0.1% of this fund is invested in cash equivalents or other unverified holdings. The values ranking for this fund could be understated or may change as portfolios fluctuate.

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Apple Inc	AAPL	7.33%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Microsoft Corp	MSFT	6.94%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Amazon.com Inc	AMZN	3.58%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Meta Platforms Inc Class A	META	2.56%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Alphabet Inc Class A	GOOGL	2.05%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Berkshire Hathaway Inc Class B	BRK.B	1.93%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Alphabet Inc Class C	GOOG	1.70%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
JPMorgan Chase & Co	JPM	1.23%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Walmart Inc	WMT	1.14%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Exxon Mobil Corp	XOM	1.11%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Coca-Cola Co	KO	1.07%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Visa Inc Class A	V	0.99%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Mastercard Inc Class A	MA	0.90%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
The Home Depot Inc	HD	0.82%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
PepsiCo Inc	PEP	0.81%	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■

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INVESTMENT OPTIONS – MUTUAL FUNDS

Fixed Income / Bond Funds	Ticker	Expense
Principal Guaranteed Fixed Income	N/A	N/A
DFA Inflation Protected Securities	DIPSX	0.11
Vanguard Intermediate Term Bond Index	VBILX	0.06
Dodge & Cox Income	DOXIX	0.33

Global / International Funds	Ticker	Expense
Calvert International Responsibility Index	CDHRX	0.26
Vanguard Developed Markets Index	VTMGX	0.05
DFA International Small Company	DFISX	0.39
Vanguard Emerging Markets Stock Index	VTMGX	0.13

Specialty Funds	Ticker	Expense
Vanguard REIT Index	VGSLX	0.13

Equity Funds	Ticker
Fidelity Large Cap Value Index	FLD
Catholic Responsible Investing Equity Index	CR
Fidelity 500 Index	FX
Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index	FS
Fidelity Mid Cap Value Index	FM
Vanguard Mid Cap Index	VIM
Fidelity Mid Cap Growth Index	FM
Fidelity Small Cap Value Index	FIS
Vanguard Small Cap Index	VSM
Fidelity Small Cap Growth	FE



INVESTMENT OPTIONS – TARGET DATE FUNDS

Target Date Options
T. Rowe Price Retirement Balance
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2025
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2030
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2035
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2040
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2045
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2050
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2055
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2060
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2065

T. Rowe Price Target Date Funds are the QDIA (automatic investment option) for participants who do not take action to select an investment allocation on their own.

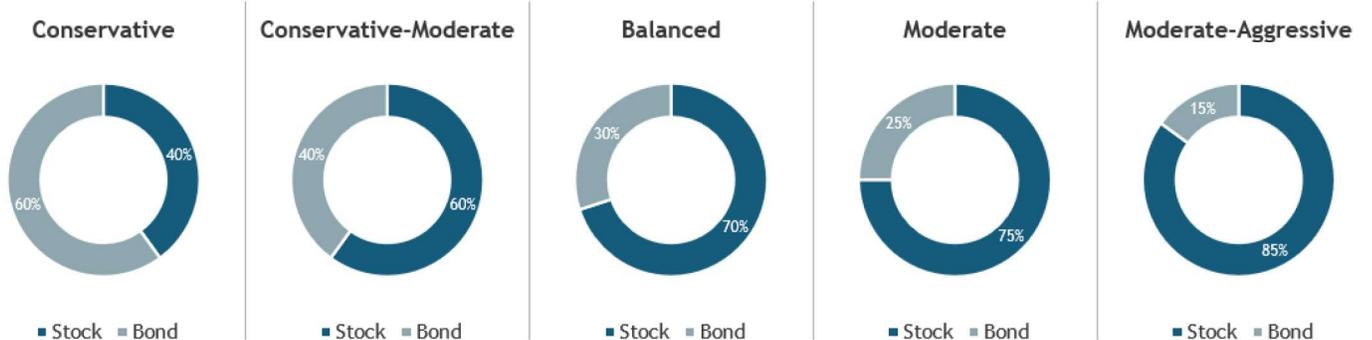
Key Features

- Age-Based (Target Date)
- Diversified
- Auto Rebalancing
- Investment Glide Path



INVESTMENT OPTIONS – MANAGED MODELS

- ✓ **“Do-it-for-me” investment approach** based on your situation and risk tolerance
- ✓ Utilizes the same **low-cost mutual fund investment options** available in the plan
- ✓ **Reallocation and rebalancing** of your portfolio occurs automatically
- ✓ **Low portfolio management cost** – 0.40% per year (*0.10% quarterly*)
- ✓ **No long-term commitment** – You can elect to switch models or create your own any time without incurring transaction costs or additional fees





PRE-TAX VS. ROTH

Pre-Tax

- ✓ Pay Taxes Later
- ✓ *Example: Employee earns \$50,000 and contributes \$5,000 (10%).*
Taxable Income = \$45,000
- ✓ Contributions/earnings grow tax-deferred, but are taxed as ordinary income at retirement.



Roth

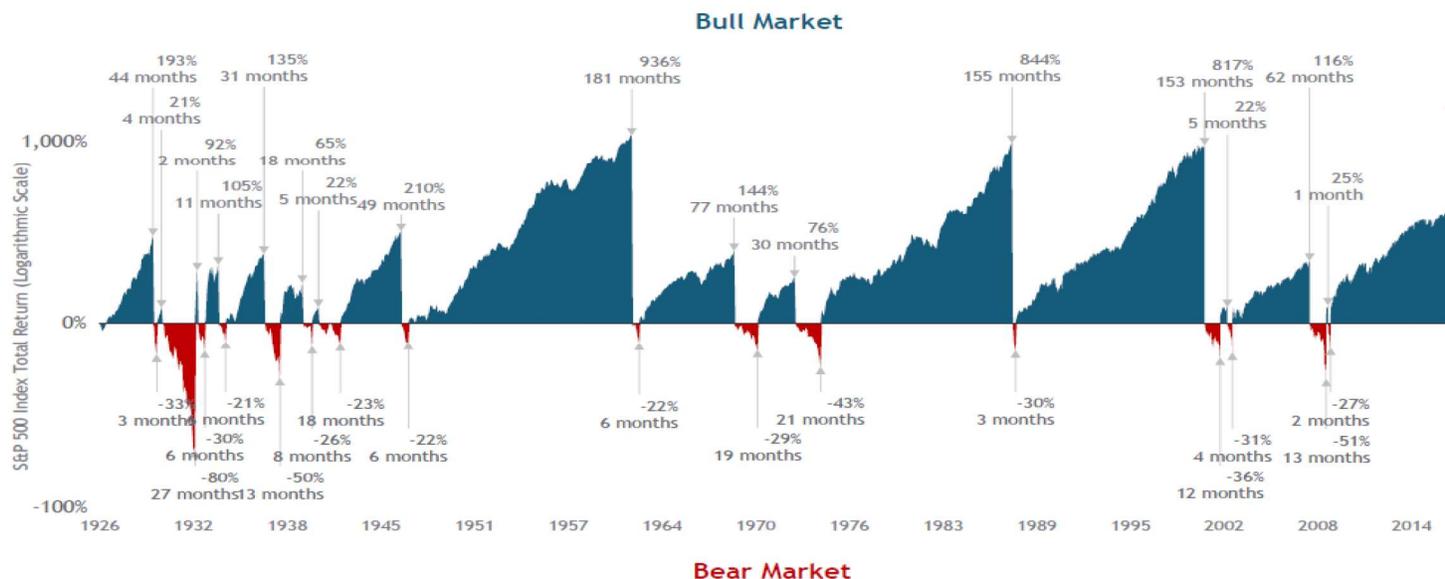
- ✓ Pay taxes Now
- ✓ *Example: Employee earns \$50,000 and contributes \$5,000 (10%).*
Taxable Income = \$50,000
- ✓ No taxes when withdrawn at retirement.*

*Tax free withdrawals in a qualified distribution. Qualified distributions from a Roth must meet two conditions: withdrawal occurs at least 5 tax years after the initial Roth contribution AND the account owner is at least 59 ½ or upon death or disability of account owner.



MARKETS HAVE A SEVERE UPWARD BIAS OVER TIME

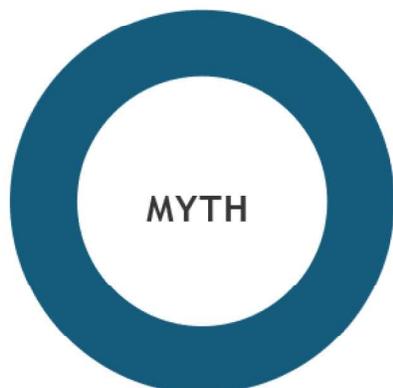
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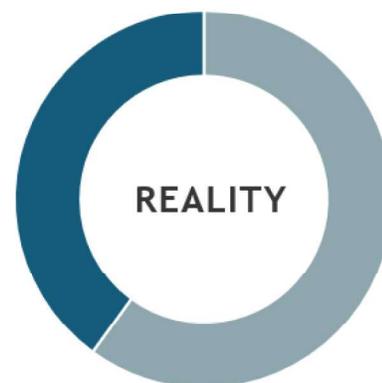
Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Indices are not available for direct investment; therefore, their performance does not reflect the expenses associated with the management of an actual portfolio. Chart end date is 12/31/2021, the last peak to trough return of 119% represents the return through December 2021. Due to availability of data, monthly returns are used January 1926 through December 1989; daily returns from January 1990 through present. Periods in which cumulative return from peak is -20% or lower and a recovery of 20% from trough has not yet occurred are considered bear markets. Bull markets are subsequent rises following bear market trough through the next recovery of at least 20%. The chart shows bear markets and bull markets, the number of months they lasted and the associated cumulative performance for each market period. Results for different time periods could differ from the results shown. Source: S&P data © 2022 S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, a division of S&P Global. All rights reserved.



WHY SAVE FOR RETIREMENT?



■ 100% - Social Security



■ 60% - Employer-Sponsored Retirement Plan and Personal Savings

■ 40% - Social Security

- Average retiree **individual** received \$2,005 per month or **\$24,060 annually.****
- Average **spouses** of retired workers received \$953 per month or **\$11,436 annually.****
- As a general rule, the average individual should try to save a **minimum of 10-15%** of their income.
- **“Debt.org - Bankruptcy Statistics”** - 4.5% of individual bankruptcy filings in 2001 were age 65 or older, but that number rose to 18.7% by 2022!***

*Data as of January 2025 <https://www.ssa.gov/pubs/EN-05-10024.pdf>

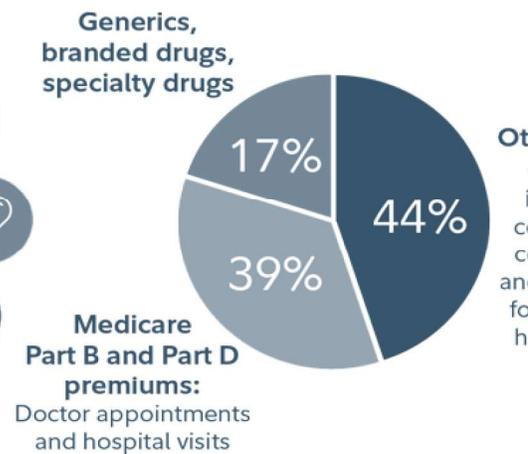
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WHY SAVE FOR RETIREMENT?

MANY PEOPLE INCORRECTLY ASSUME MEDICARE WILL COVER ALL HEALTHCARE COSTS IN RETIREMENT. COSTS TYPICALLY NOT COVERED:

- Dental
- Vision
- Hearing Aids
- Long-term Care
- Hospital Stay Deductibles
- Doctor Visit Co-Pays
- Prescription Drug Co-pays



What is the average amount a couple retiring at age 65 would need to cover out-of-pocket healthcare expenses in retirement?

\$330,000

❖ Source: Fidelity Retiree Healthcare Cost Estimate - 2024
 ❖ <https://www.fidelity.com/learning-center/wealth-management-insights/how-to-prepare-for-health-care-costs-in-retirement>



WHY START NOW?

Assumptions:

- ✓ Bi-Weekly Pay Periods
- ✓ Contributions until Age 67
- ✓ 7% Annual Rate of Return*



<i>"The Road to \$500k"</i>	
Beginning Age	Contribution per Payche
25	\$81
30	\$116
35	\$168
40	\$249
45	\$378
50	\$600
55	\$1,033
60	\$2,131

*The \$500,000 amount used in this illustration is for hypothetical purposes only to show the significance of delaying contribution recommendation or guarantee of adequate retirement savings. Assumptions were based on bi-weekly paychecks and deferrals, continuing with a 7% annual rate of return (compounded annually). The assumed rate of return is hypothetical and does not guarantee any future represent the return of any specific investment option.



YOU'LL NEVER MISS IT...

What could an extra \$50 a month do for your retirement savings?

Time Period	Result*
20 Years	\$25,714
30 Years	\$59,184
40 Years	\$125,025

What is one thing you could change each month to make that happen?



❖ *Assumptions: Monthly deposits with 7% return compounded annually. The assumed rate of return is hypothetical and does not guarantee any future returns nor the return of any specific investment option.



IMPORTANT DATES

- **September 24 & 25** – 403(b) Change Communicated to Business Managers
- **Late October to Mid November** – 403(b) Enrollment Meetings (On-site and Virtual)
- **December 1** – First Payroll Deferrals Sent to Principal instead of Corebridge
- **December 3** – Blackout of Account Information at Corebridge Begins
- **December 19** – Funds are Wired from Corebridge to Principal



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FINAL THOUGHTS...

Do Not Save
What Is Left
After Spending.

Spend
What
Is Left
After
Saving.



-Warren Buffet



FINAL THOUGHTS

Some years you win.
Some years you build character.
— Steve Jobs



THANK YOU