



# 1975-1976 Diocesan Financial Review

## Diocese of Rochester

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*My dear People:*

I wish to take this opportunity to express my personal thanks to you for your continued generosity to the Church of Rochester during the past fiscal year. Your financial contributions have enabled our Church to reach out in our various ministries to aid, reconcile and draw people closer to God.

The accompanying financial reports of the Diocese of Rochester for the year ending June 30, 1976 indicate an excess of income over expenses. This is due to a close scrutiny and a wise management of the monies that have been entrusted to us for the various operations in the Diocese.

During the current fiscal year a new diocesan health plan has been adopted which has given us a certain percentage of savings over the former plan, and resulted in enriched benefits to the parishes. In addition, a reduction of the assessment rate on parish receipts was put into effect on July 1, 1976.

Please accept my sincere thanks for your faithful generosity to your Church. May it always be said that you are willing to share the blessings you receive with others.

With every best wish, I remain

Gratefully yours in Christ,

+ *Joseph L. Hogan*

+ Most Reverend Joseph L. Hogan, D.D.  
Bishop of Rochester