



Bishop's Office

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My dear Sisters and Brothers:

I am deeply grateful for the generous contributions of so many to our Fifth Annual Catholic Thanks Giving Appeal. Listed below you will find a record of the gifts received from the people in each parish of our Diocese.

Some parishes did very well, exceeding their quota by a significant margin. Other parishes experienced some difficulties in striving to reach their quotas for one reason or another. In all cases, however, I want you to know how much I appreciate your efforts. Success or failure is not necessarily measured by whether one wins or loses -- it is measured by the spirit and by the good will with which one undertakes the task.

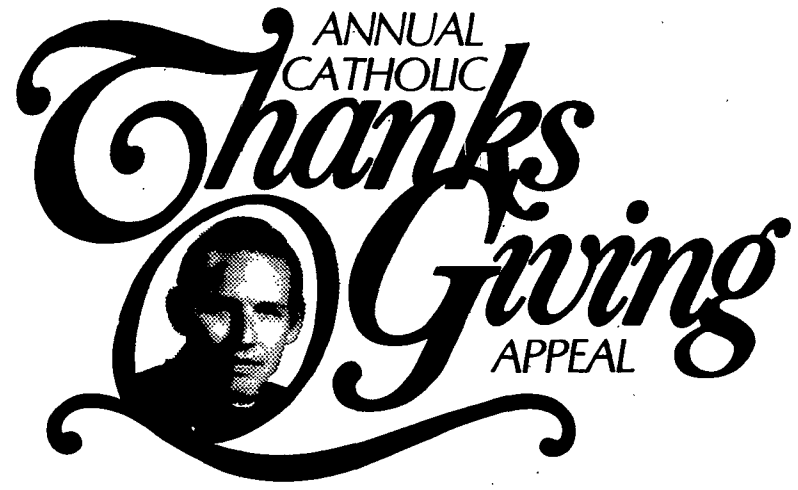
Please join me in prayer that God will continue to bless the work that we are doing as a local Church and help us as we strive to grow together.

With every best wish and a blessing, I am

Your brother in Christ,

Matthew H. Clark
Bishop of Rochester

His Love Endures Forever



Diocesan Goal \$3,562,000
Total Pledged \$3,221,444

The amount of monies received this year fell short of our diocesan goal. This has necessitated the elimination of some programs and services provided by diocesan departments and agencies. In addition, each year the payments we receive do fall short of the pledged amounts by 6% to 8%. We realize that some people cannot pay their pledges because of tragic or difficult circumstances and through no fault of their own. Others, however, may become careless or forgetful.

This year, more than ever before, we are hopeful that you will give careful attention to the completion of your pledge payments.
Thank you

| PARISH | PARISH GOAL | TOTAL PLEDGED | PARISH | PARISH GOAL | TOTAL PLEDGED |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| Sacred Heart Cathedral | \$44,932 | \$54,815 | St. Augustine | 14,429 | 15,178 |
| Blessed Sacrament | 26,480 | 32,681 | St. Boniface | 17,129 | 19,060 |
| Christ the King | 36,527 | 41,577 | St. Bridget Church | 402 | 670 |
| Annunciation | 21,791 | 21,464 | St. Cecilia | 34,509 | 41,233 |
| Corpus Christi | 10,740 | 10,555 | St. Charles Borromeo | 51,734 | 58,794 |
| Guardian Angels | 17,329 | 17,875 | St. Francis of Assisi | 4,115 | 2,284 |
| Holy Apostles | 11,402 | 11,571 | St. Francis Xavier | 2,708 | 2,565 |
| Holy Cross | 29,864 | 28,569 | St. George | 5,356 | 6,262 |
| Holy Family | 14,954 | 15,666 | St. Helen | 39,603 | 41,407 |
| Holy Ghost | 33,000 | 29,373 | St. James | 26,288 | 24,132 |
| Holy Name of Jesus | 31,411 | 33,715 | St. John the Evangelist | 32,897 | 34,121 |
| Holy Redeemer | 3,536 | 1,955 | St. John the Evangelist (Greece) | 55,873 | 61,327 |
| Holy Rosary | 19,391 | 19,000 | St. Lawrence | 39,710 | 41,882 |
| Immaculate Conception | 5,590 | 8,340 | St. Margaret Mary | 49,775 | 55,856 |
| Most Precious Blood | 9,360 | 9,359 | St. Mark | 15,502 | 18,688 |
| Our Lady of Good Counsel | 19,613 | 20,106 | St. Mary | 11,276 | 19,386 |
| Our Lady of Lourdes | 35,239 | 45,383 | St. Michael | 3,720 | 5,307 |
| Our Lady of Mercy | 21,105 | 26,330 | St. Monica | 12,211 | 13,422 |
| Our Lady of Mt. Carmel | 903 | 1,515 | Ss. Peter and Paul | 2,916 | 4,082 |
| Our Lady Perpetual Help | 12,846 | 13,153 | St. Philip Neri | 13,433 | 11,549 |
| Our Lady Queen of Peace | 19,807 | 21,190 | St. Pius X | 50,613 | 47,306 |
| Our Lady of Victory | 7,695 | 7,163 | St. Salome | 26,329 | 27,008 |
| Our Mother of Sorrows | 66,131 | 55,060 | St. Stanislaus | 24,607 | 21,775 |
| St. Ambrose | 62,151 | 68,368 | St. Theodore | 44,161 | 45,106 |
| St. Andrew | 19,109 | 17,714 | St. Theresa | 4,089 | 2,480 |
| St. Anne | 33,793 | 40,017 | St. Thomas the Apostle | 44,751 | 47,334 |
| St. Anthony of Padua | 8,778 | 9,743 | St. Thomas More | 42,327 | 59,179 |