

ST. JOHN'S PARISH

2024 FINANCIAL REPORT

THE GIFT OF GIVING

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion for God loves a cheerful giver - 2 Corinthians 9:7

A message from the *St. John's Parish Finance Council

The St. John's Finance Council is happy to present you with our annual Finance Report of 2024.

The "Gift of Giving" in our Catholic Faith is a gift of the special ability given to each of us by the Holy Spirit to generously contribute our charisms of time, talents and treasures to support God's work and to aid those in need motivated by love for God and others. The word that we can use to describe such giving is stewardship: joyfully giving with a spirit of generosity to support our parish we discover our vision and mission for the community. Each one of us plays an important role in supporting this vision through our ministry involvement, serving the needs of our community.

With the absence of the gift of giving, the Church is exposed to the risk of financial limitations, the reduction of resources to support ministries and the efforts to reach out to the community. With the gift of giving being present in the Church, we foster the spirit of generosity and sacrificial giving in our congregation, in turn inspiring others to also give. This creates a strong, supportive environment for funding the mission of the Church, the work of God. What are the Gifts of giving?

Financial Giving: Through contributions to the Church, through your weekly offering, support of our monthly building fund, and assistance to those in need through your offering to the Saint Vincent de Paul Society, ShareLife and other collections throughout the year.

Time & Talent: Volunteering of one's time, skills, and resources for various ministries and projects within the parish community.

Sacrificial Giving: To give beyond what would be expected through demonstration and a willingness to share one's resources for the greater well-being of the Church.

The Gift of giving spiritually, financially, time and talent, and sacrificially are powerful tools to advance God's kingdom to meet the needs of our parish community and the needs of others. We are forever grateful for the gifts you have shared and the generosity you have provided over the years.

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**2024 Members of the Finance Council:*

Thomas Milway, Leslie Broughton, Paul Ferris, Bernadette Clancy, Fr. Joshua Roldan, & Joan Breech (Advisory)

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IN 2024, WE HAD

Baptisms	23
Funerals	25
Weddings	2
First Communion	43
Confirmation	37
RCIA Candidates	5
Registered Families	4808
Average Weekly Mass Attendance	460

2024 GIVING

Envelopes	\$267,819.00
Loose (Anonymous)	\$1,136
Pre-Authorized Giving	\$54,028.67
General Offerings	\$70,530.43
Bequests & Legacies	\$1,000
Saint Vincent de Paul	\$33,486.90

TOTAL EXPENSES

2024

2023

Operating	\$404,772.86	\$382,689.07
Diocesan Collections	\$73,381.25	\$49,420.00
Cathedraticum Assessment	\$86,229.00	\$57,580.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$564,383.11	\$489,689.07

TOTAL INCOME

2024

2023

Sundry Offerings	\$333,048.71	\$331,301.60
Building Fund	\$34,362.00	\$26,049.00
Diocesan Collections	\$67,025.25	\$56,457.00
Christmas and Easter	\$25,178.00	\$21,735.00
All Other	\$121,638.88	\$120,614.28
TOTAL INCOME	\$581,252.84	\$556,156.88