

Dear Parishioners,

I am happy to present you with this year's Parish Annual Report titled "*thanks*GIVING for God's Blessings." I am so thankful for the blessings that the Lord has bestowed upon this faith community, and you will see many of those blessings in this publication.

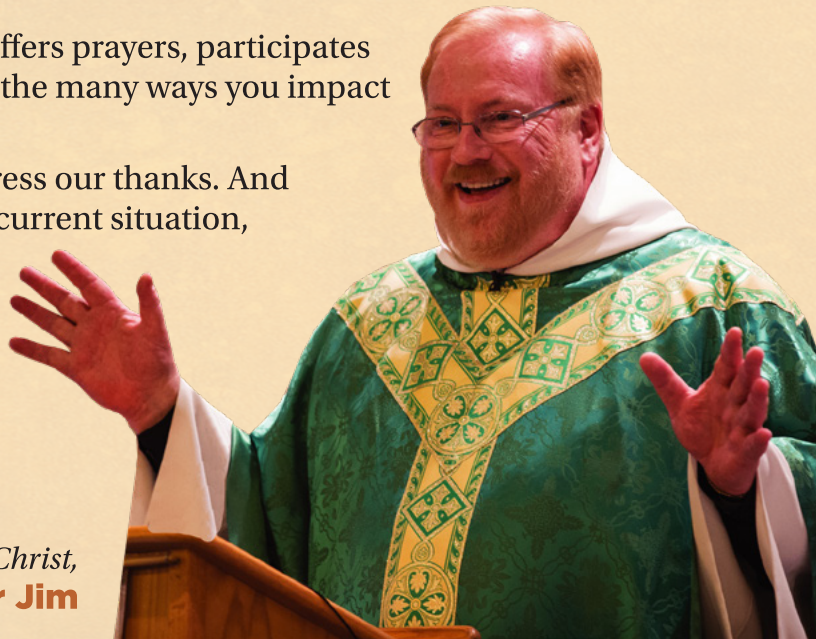
With gratitude to our volunteers, be sure to take a look at the many ways our parishioners are dedicating their time and talents to strengthening our faith community, like our ministry to the homebound that provides hope and spiritual healing. This report also includes a complete ministry listing that I pray will prompt you to get involved!

With gratitude to our parish staff, take notice of the work they have been doing to light a fire for Christ in the hearts and minds of our parishioners. You may have heard that a National Eucharistic Revival is underway, which means our staff members are part of a grassroots effort to share the gift of the Eucharist. They are helping to build the foundation for the future of our Church!

With gratitude to each of you who attends Mass, offers prayers, participates in events and donates to the parish, take a look at the many ways you impact the culture and vitality of our parish.

Living a life rooted in gratitude requires us to express our thanks. And so I ask you, with prayerful consideration to your current situation, to make a year-end gift to our parish to show your gratitude for the good work being done here. Or if you are able, perhaps you will increase your weekly or monthly offertory as a show of thanks for the blessings God has bestowed upon you.

Yours in Christ,
Father Jim



Become an Intentional Disciple

Enter into a deeper relationship with Christ and your brothers and sisters of the parish by attending one of these upcoming events:

- **October 17** – Mass at **The Grove at Latrobe** nursing home, 9:30 AM
- **October 21** – Burger Bash, 11 AM-2 PM, Saint Cecilia Parish
- **October 29** – Children’s Mass (monthly), 10:30 AM, Sacred Heart Church
- **November 2** – Mass of Remembrance for Relatives, Friends and Benefactors, 5:15 PM, Saint Cecilia Parish
- **November 15** – Grandparents Raising Grandchildren ecumenical social outreach, 5:30 PM, Saint Cecilia Parish
- **November 19** – Children’s Mass (monthly), 8 AM, Saint Cecilia Church
- **November 20** – Healing Mass with the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, 6 PM, Saint Cecilia Parish



Our Parish by the Numbers:



Registered Households

2023: 414
2022: 414
2021: 417

Current Single Member Households

164



Baptisms

2023: 2
2022: 6
2021: 5

Weddings

2023: 1
2022: 0
2021: 0



Funerals

2023: 13
2022: 17
2021: 15

Parish Financials

2022-23 2021-22 2020-21

Offerory	\$ 178,050	\$ 168,226	\$ 156,869
Other Ordinary Income <i>(monthly collections, votive candles)</i>	1,511	1,511	1,010
Extraordinary Income <i>(bequests, donations, fundraising, interest, rental income)</i>	63,106	1,135	5,914
Diocesan Lenten Appeal Refund	40,607	39,111	75,947
Other Non-Assessable Income <i>(The Catholic Accent, sale of property, insurance reimbursements and PPP Loan)</i>	2,758	79,308	41,914
Special Collections	20,081	22,105	52,301
Total Income	\$ 306,113	\$ 311,396	\$ 333,955
Expenses			
<i>Administration</i>	\$ 67,312	\$ 67,026	\$ 68,049
<i>Church</i>	19,724	20,849	33,154
<i>Rectory</i>	7,790	6,094	6,385
<i>Education and Ministry</i>	37,165	36,015	33,526
<i>General Expenses</i>	103,325	107,302	96,926
<i>Special Collections</i>	20,081	22,085	52,301
<i>Extraordinary Expenses</i>	53,507	39,430	55,794
Total Expenditures	308,904	298,801	346,135
Net Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (2,791)	\$ 12,595	\$ (12,180)



Giving With Gratitude

We are excited to showcase our new Giving QR Code. Please scan it to make a year-end gift or to increase your offertory.



BY MAIL:
Sacred Heart Parish
P.O. Box 328, 421 Main Street
Youngstown, PA 15696



IN PERSON:
Monday - Thursday
8:00 AM - 3:00 PM



ONLINE:
sacredheart-online.com



Our Ministries:

- Altar Server
- Pastoral Council
- Finance Council
- Communion Ministers to the Homebound
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Cantors
- Lectors
- Money Counters
- Sacristans
- Catechists
- Faith Study
- 200 Club
- Rosary Altar Society
- Social Events Committee
- Grandparents Raising Grandchildren

We really do need volunteers to support our parish, specifically servers, lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, ushers, greeters and catechists. Please call the parish office today at 724-537-7358 so we can walk you through the process of becoming a volunteer.

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