

Saint Mary Catholic Community

Pastoral Office Hours

Monday—Thursday:

9am to 4pm

Friday:

9am to 12noon

Fr. Tim's Office Hours

Tuesday—Friday:

10:00 AM—2:00 PM

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Livestream

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQR7D-gy6Z3TmeXSQ5Sk45w/featured>

[Click here to become a parishioner](#)

Adoration: Tuesday following 12:10 p.m. Mass until 2:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Wednesday:

4:00—5:00 p.m.

Saturday:

3:00—4:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass:

4:30 p.m.

Sunday Masses:

8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Tues, Wed & Thurs 12:10 p.m.

Friday Care Center Masses

August 9– 11:00 Touchmark

August 16– 10:30 Cooney

August 4, 2024

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst.”

John 6:35

August 11, 2024

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world.”

John 6:51



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Saint Mary Catholic Community is to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ through worship, service and community, taking seriously Jesus' command to "Do This in Memory of Me."

MASSES AT SAINT MARY

Sunday, August 4th—Eighteenth Sunday in

Ordinary Time

Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15; Ephesians 4:17, 20-24; John 6:24-35

8:00 AM Mass—for Lorraine Tucker†

rb: Jim Tucker

10:30 AM Mass—for the people of the Parish

Monday, August 5th—No Mass

Jeremiah 28:1-17/Matthew 14:13-21

Tuesday, August 6th

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; 2 Peter 1:16-19; Mark 9:2-10

12:10 PM Mass—for Charlotte Kelley†

rb: Margaret Souza

Wednesday, August 7th

Jeremiah 31:1-7/Matthew 15:21-28

12:10 PM Mass—in thanksgiving for the birth of Theodore

Becket Kreamer

rb: Jeffy and Darcy Kreamer

4:00-5:00pm Confessions

Thursday, August 8th

Jeremiah 31:31-34; Matthew 16:13-23

8:00am Mass—in thanksgiving for the birth of Xavier Eltz

rb: Darcy and Jeff Kreamer

Friday, August 9th

Nahum 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Matthew 16:24-28

11:00am Mass—at Touchmark for the intentions of the

People at Touchmark

Saturday, August 10th

2 Corinthians 9:6-10; John 12:24-26

3:00 PM—4:00 PM Confessions

4:30 PM Vigil—for the intentions of Fr. Tom O'Donnel

rb: Lori Murphy-Moulet

Sunday, August 11th—Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kings 19:4-8; Ephesians 4:30—5:2; John 6:41-51

8:00 AM Mass—for the intentions of the people of the Parish

10:30 AM Mass—for James Hammill†

rb: Lori Murphy-Moulett

Monday, August 12th—No Mass—

Ezekiel 1:2-5, 24-28; Matthew 17:22-27

Tuesday August 13th

Ezekiel 2:8—3:4; Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

12:10 PM Mass—for Millie Johnson†

rb: Peggy and David Mannix

Wednesday, August 14th

Ezekiel 9:1-7; 10:18-22; Matthew 18:15-20

5:30 PM Mass—for the people of the Parish

4:00 PM—5:00 PM Confessions

Thursday, August 15th

Jeremiah 18:1-6; Matthew 13:47-53

10:00 Mass—at Son Heaven for the intentions of the People at Son Heaven

12:10 PM Mass—for the people of the Parish

Friday, August 16th

Ezekiel 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Matthew 19:3-12

10:30AM Mass at Cooney for the intentions of the People at Cooney

Saturday, August 17th

Ezekiel 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Matthew 19:13-15

3:00 PM—4:00 PM Confessions

4:30 PM Mass—for Richard Montecucco†

rb: Joann Christnacht



Prayer
Ministry
Sacrifice

As praying stewards: We prayed for the sanctity and protection of all human life from conception until natural death in our state, in our nation and throughout the world

As ministering stewards: We hosted celebrations for retiring staff and a long time parishioner who moved away.

As Sacrificing Stewards:

	<u>7/7/24</u>	<u>7/14/24</u>	<u>7/21/24</u>	<u>7/28/24</u>
Pew/Mail:	\$6,085	\$3,649	\$2,549	\$5,299
Direct:	\$1,713	\$1,360	\$305	\$360
Online:	<u>\$2,176</u>	<u>\$1,906</u>	<u>\$2,891</u>	<u>\$911</u>
Total:	\$9,974	\$6,915	\$5,745	\$6,500

Stewardship Gifts:

FY 2024-25	7/1/24 – 7/31/24:	\$38,036
FY 2023-24	7/1/23 – 7/31/23:	<u>\$25,535</u>
Difference:		\$12,535

Total Monthly Giving (July): \$38,036

Average Monthly Expenses: \$60,800

Shortfall: (\$22,764)

Our fiscal year runs from July 1 to June 30

Praise God and Thank You for your prayers, your share in ministry, and your sacrificial giving!



Parish Staff and Parish Councils at your service

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Pastoral Council Members: Mary Lou Abbott, Jan Buyske, Rick Duane, Andy Galen, Ed Glowienka, John Larson, Casey Molloy, Cari Schwen and Jim Tucker, Sr.

Finance Council Members: Dave Brown, Jerry LaChere, Anna Miller, Lori Murphy-Moulet, and Maureen Stohl.

From Father Tim

Reflection – August 1, 2024

From a sermon by Saint Leo the Great, Pope

“Our Lord Jesus Christ, born true man without ever ceasing to be true God, began in his person a new creation and by the manner of his birth gave man a spiritual origin. What mind can grasp this mystery, what tongue can fittingly recount this gift of love? Guilt becomes innocence, old becomes new, strangers are adopted and outsiders are made heirs. Rouse yourself, man, and recognize the dignity of your nature. Remember that you were made in God’s image; though corrupted in Adam; that image has been restored in Christ. Use creatures as they should be used: the earth, the sea, the sky, the air, the springs and the rivers. Give praise and glory to their Creator for all that you find beautiful and wonderful in them. See with your bodily eyes the light that shines on earth, but embrace with your whole soul and all of your affections the true light which enlightens every man who came into this world. Speaking of this light the prophet said: Draw close to him and let his light shine upon you and your face will not blush with shame. If we are indeed the temple of God and if the Spirit of God lives in us, then what every believer has within himself is greater than what he admires in the skies.”

The love of God is beyond human understanding. The power of His love and mercy is, again, beyond human understanding. The Creator of the heavens and the earth and the beauty that is within them does not compare to the love God has for all of us!

God bless you!

Father Tim

Pope’s Intentions for August 2024

For political leaders

We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.



Faith Formation

A Journey for Life

Message from Pope Francis

I was struck by this powerful message from Pope Francis last week and I wanted to share it with all of you!

In order to be compassionate and respond best to the needs of others, it is necessary to take time out to relax and not be anxious about getting things done, Pope Francis said.

It is also a "social injustice" when working parents hardly see their children because of long hours away from home, he said, before praying the Angelus in St. Peter's Square July 21. "In families, fathers and mothers should have time to share with their children, to let love grow within their family and in order not to fall into the dictatorship of doing."

The pope reflected on the day's Gospel reading from St. Mark (6:30-34) about Jesus telling the apostles to rest after their return from their mission of preaching and healing. However, when Jesus saw the vast crowd that had gathered, "his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things," the verse says.

The pope said, "On the one hand, there is an invitation to rest, and on the other, Jesus' compassion for the crowd." Resting and being compassionate "may seem like two incompatible things, while they actually go together."

"Only if we learn how to rest can we have compassion. Indeed, it is only possible to have a compassionate gaze, which knows how to respond to the needs of others, if our heart is not consumed by the anxiety of doing, if we know how to stop and how to receive the grace of God, in the silence of adoration," he said.

Pope Francis delivers his blessing to visitors gathered in St. Peter's Square after praying the Angelus at the Vatican July 21, 2024.

There is a danger that "can threaten us when, for instance, our enthusiasm in carrying out our mission or our work, as well as the roles and tasks entrusted to us, make us fall victim to a kind of activism which is overly concerned with things to do and with results, and this is a bad thing," he said. "It then happens that we become agitated and lose sight of what is essential. We risk exhausting our energies and falling into bodily and spiritual fatigue," the pope said.

A person's life, society in general and even the church in its pastoral work may often be "held prisoner by haste," he said. "Brothers and sisters, let us beware of the dictatorship of doing!"

This can also happen out of necessity in families, he added, when one or both parents have to earn a living and sacrifice time that could have been spent with the family, for example, having to leave before the kids are awake and getting home after they are asleep. "This is a social injustice," he said. "Let us think about what we can do to help people who are forced to live in this way."

Pope Francis encouraged Catholics to ask themselves: "Am I able to stop during my day? Am I capable of taking a moment to be with myself and with the Lord, or am I always in a hurry, in a constant hurry for things to do?" He asked the faithful to find an "inner" place of rest even in the midst of a busy day and to be compassionate towards others.

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YOUTH MINISTRY AT SAINT MARY

Important Dates for Youth Group

Wednesday, August 7th: Watch the Chosen from 6 to 8:30pm

Wednesday, August 14th: NO CHOSEN GROUP THIS WEEK

August 21st: Watch the Chosen from 6 to 8:30pm

CYC Board

The Catholic Youth Coalition Board is a group of high school student leaders for the diocese of Helena. The CYC Board plans the junior high rally and the CYC Convention. The Board meets 4 times during the year to plan these events. Please take some time to pray and discern if you might be called to serve on the CYC Board. It is a wonderful opportunity to grow in your faith and make lasting friendships with youth all over the diocese of Helena!

Contact Dawn for more information!



CYC BOARD



REGISTER NOW:
[DIOCESEHELENA.ORG/CYCBOARD](https://diocesehelena.org/cycboard)

Our mission is to form young disciples to serve in their parishes, schools, and diocese. CYC Board is for high school youth in grades 9–12 who want to grow in their faith, form solid friendships, and help lead diocesan youth ministry.

2024–2025 Meeting Dates:

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| 1. Aug. 23–25 (Legendary Lodge) | 3. Dec. 6–8 (Deer Lodge) |
| 2. Oct. 4–6 (East Helena) | 4. Feb. 7–9 (Butte) |

Liturgical Life

God Sends Us Forth

Dr. Wendy Yuen

The book *Too Small a World: The Life of Mother Frances Cabrini* by Theodore Maynard is a delightful read, skillfully portraying her life and mission. Mother Cabrini accepted the mission to serve dispersed Italians in the USA, though her childhood dream was to be a missionary in China. When Bishop Scalabrini of Piacenza suggested she serve poor Italian immigrants in New York, she replied, "But New York is too small a place for me." He then suggested the USA, but she said, "No... For me, the whole world is too small." It was Pope Leo XIII who directed her, saying, "Not to the East, my daughter, but to the West." Cabrini finally gave in, recognizing it was God who sent her to the USA to serve. She went on to build schools, orphanages, and hospitals in New York, Chicago, Denver, Seattle, and many other places, serving the poor and sick with her petite figure and accomplishing God's mission on a massive scale.

Tony E. Alonso (b. 1980) wrote both the text and the tune for *God Sends Us Forth*. The first verse of the hymn emphasizes the mission of us to go out into the world with the purpose of loving, serving, and spreading the teachings of God. It calls for living in a way that mirrors God's love and grace, with the ultimate goal of everyone coming to know and see the Savior.

The second verse speaks to us being spiritually nourished by Christ, driven by love, and guided by the Holy Spirit. It highlights the importance of addressing the needs of the world by making God known through both words and actions, reflecting the comprehensive nature of Christian mission.

The third verse focuses on reaching out to the marginalized of society, such as the hungry, thirsty, weak, and poor. It emphasizes bearing the presence of Christ, who offers healing and comfort to those suffering and burdened by shame.

The fourth verse calls believers to follow the path led by the cross, to go forth with peace, and to spread the message of God's saving love to all corners of the earth. This verse encapsulates the essence of the Great Commission, urging believers to share the redemptive and transformative love of God with everyone they encounter.

The tune, written in a minor key, displays a sense of simplicity and reverence, complementing the hymn's profound message. Just as God sent Mother Cabrini on her mission, He sends us today to different places to extend His kingdom. Let us embrace this call and be ready to be sent wherever and whenever we are needed. Are you ready?

SAINT MARY CARE FOR CREATION MINISTRY

“O Lord, seize us with your power and light, help us to protect all life, to prepare for a better future, for the coming of your kingdom of justice, peace, love and beauty. Praise be to you!”

Pope Francis, Laudato Si – A Christian Prayer in Union with Creation

This smoky weekend I began reading Bill Gates’ new book, How to Avoid a Climate Disaster – the solutions we have and the breakthroughs we need. Gates articulates the facts and examples that have helped him grasp what is happening to our world’s atmosphere and the impact it is having on our weather systems and thus to our lives and our world. He begins the book:

“There are **two numbers** to know about climate change. The first is 51 billion. The other is zero. **Fifty-one billion** is how many **tons of greenhouse gases** the world typically adds to the atmosphere **every year...Zero** is **what we need to aim for. To stop the warming and avoid the worst effects of climate change** ... humans need to stop adding greenhouse gases to the atmosphere.”

Throughout the book Gates focuses on what can be done by individuals, governments, companies, entrepreneurs, and research and development teams. He exudes **hope** and believes humans are up to the challenge. He challenges and **encourages people to advocate for change and to evoke change in their own lives**. This is not a problem just for a few to solve but for the entire world to address.

The drought across the west continues to suck moisture from the soil, the trees, and the vegetation priming them for fuel for massive wildfires. The cycle of drought, drying and fires has dramatically extended the wildfire season across the west with hundreds of fires burning at the present.

The month of **July has emphatically revealed to Montanans the incredible impact we humans are having on our Eden**. Our beautiful world cries in pain as she fights to come into a balance that is familiar. Helena’s smoke-filled dawn is greeted with a bright red sun whose normal hues are filtered out by the smoke from the wildfires, some near and some far. The gauze of smoke filling the sky diminishes the moon’s glow and shrouds the distant hills.



Our beautiful Montana summers have been caught in the grasp of burning forests. No longer do I just check the temperature to see what the day will hold, but I look at the air quality to decide if the particulates in the air are too hazardous for an outdoor walk. The beautiful forests, mountains and prairies always opened their arms to all, but this summer this is no longer a given as the month of July has dealt with fires, record breaking heat and smoke.

Throughout the world more and more catastrophes caused by the changing climate arrive and then depart. Air clears, temperatures cool, and life returns to normal. The visits are longer each year, but when they leave our lives often return to normal and we tell ourselves this isn’t so bad. Dare we forget and continue life as before or **do we heed these wake-up calls – a call for change and action in our lives. Do something today to make a difference for creation and for our children**, and then encourage our youth, our friends, and our community to be stewards of our incredible world.

Gates ends his book with this thought, “We should spend the next decade focusing on the technologies, policies, and market structures that will put us on the path to **eliminating greenhouse gases by 2050.**”

“Pope Francis has been clear about the interconnected nature and complexity of the challenges we face, and the need to address them **in unity**, ever mindful that it is **in God we trust**,” Cardinal Cupick

For wisdom, strength and love in our efforts to protect God’s own home, for fire fighters who valiantly protect our lives and forests and for all of those suffering due to the fires and smoke we pray to the Lord.

Saint Mary Catholic Community

Fiscal Year End June 30, 2024

INCOME STATEMENT

BALANCE SHEET

<u>OPERATING REVENUE</u>	<u>ACTUAL</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>ASSETS</u>	
Stewardship	\$488,808	\$480,000	Checking Accounts	\$18,298
Loose Collections	\$34,960	\$21,000	Regular Savings	\$117,112
Special Collections/Holy Days	\$28,680	\$28,800	Savings - Maintenance & Repair	\$70,887
Maintenance & Repair	\$20,813	\$21,000	Other Savings - CD	\$10,616
Designated Donations	\$13,237	\$9,000	Saint Mary Endowed Account (held at DoH Foundation)	\$71,793
Stipends & Stole Fees	\$11,481	\$8,000	Fixed Assets - Property & Equipment	\$2,261,716
Social Concerns	\$23,747	\$28,500	Accumulated Depreciation	<u>-\$1,627,435</u>
Bulletin Sponsorships	\$8,010	\$6,400	<u>TOTAL ASSETS</u>	\$922,987
Christian Formation/Tuition	\$6,573	\$5,100		
Memorials & Bequests	\$137,333	\$7,500		
New Charitable Trust Income	\$16,644	\$16,400		
Investment Income	\$23,387	\$21,000		
Grants & Rebates	\$5,000	\$5,000		
Rental Income	\$3,285	\$4,500		
Other Income	<u>\$25,272</u>	<u>\$4,000</u>		
<u>TOTAL REVENUE</u>	\$847,230	\$666,200		
<u>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</u>			<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Clergy Salary & Benefits	\$56,194	\$52,950	Accounts Payable	\$58,632
Lay Personnel Salaries & Benefits	\$371,540	\$349,255	(includes remainder monies to finish boiler project)	
Payroll Taxes	\$24,814	\$24,307	Other Current Liab. - Special Collections	\$2,785
Work Comp		\$4,500	Payroll Liabilities	\$4,741
Liturgy & Music	\$11,825	\$8,500		
Aid to Needy, Scholarships, etc.	\$18,284	\$19,850		
Insurance	\$31,311	\$31,311		
Printing & Postage	\$7,251	\$13,500		
Supplies/Office Expense	\$22,971	\$18,000		
Diocesan Assessment	\$71,350	\$64,800		
Utilities	\$35,165	\$32,400		
Buildings, Grounds, Maintenance	\$28,271	\$18,000	<u>TOTAL LIABILITIES</u>	\$66,158
Property Taxes	\$18,875	\$19,820		
Rental Expense (equip/space)	\$12,829	\$2,000		
Travel, Airfare, Meals	\$5,116	\$2,200		
Contracted Services	\$55,600	\$13,000		
Capital Expenditures	\$0	\$0		
Retreats/Workshops	\$2,454	\$1,000		
Misc./Other	<u>\$38,188</u>	<u>\$36,571</u>	<u>NET EQUITY</u>	\$856,829
<u>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</u>	\$812,038	\$711,964	<u>TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY</u>	\$922,987
<u>NET INCOME(LOSS)</u>	\$35,192	(-\$45,764)		

Bingo Prizes

We will collect Bingo prizes for both adults and children! If you are interested in donating items (***new or used but in good condition***), please bring them to the Parish Office during office hours **by August 21st.**

Thank you!

Helpers Needed for Parish Picnic

We need your help with the following: *Cake donations* for the cake walk, *set-up* (tents, tables, chairs, etc.), *clean-up*, *games* and *food* (such as salads, sandwiches, chips, desserts). We

will provide details about arrival time, where and when to drop off items, etc. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at the parish office!

If you are able to help, please sign up via Flocknote here:

<https://saintmarycatholiccommuni.flocknote.com/signup/172374>

or on the kiosk in the gathering space.

Thank you!



Blessing Box

Thank you so very much for your response to our parish's Blessing Box (*previously called Homeless Pantry*).

Through your generosity, we were able to keep the pantry stocked through the winter!

The Blessing Box continues to be a huge success with lots of individuals in need using it.

Now summer is here! We will still accept donations of food and toiletries, but we also need bug spray, visors, baseball caps, bottles of water and sunscreen.

Thank you for your generosity!

A Place of Prayer and Reflection to Celebrate Diversity

Events Celebrating The Life and Legacy of Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini

Mark your calendars:

† August 18th 5:30 **Spaghetti dinner, "Cabrini" film** in the social center

† September 5th: 6:30 **Desserts and beverages, "Cabrini" film** in the social center

*We are many parts; we are all one body.
Romans 12:4-8*



SEMINARIANS

FOR THE DIOCESE OF HELENA

2023-2024

Dillon Armstrong	John Cooney
Kaleb Mitchell	Riley Helgoe
Brett Rotz	Anthony Olmes
James Semling	Jamie Severson
Carter Anderson	Shae Bills
Lane Buus	Matt Keck

- Please continue to pray for our Seminarians -

We Pray for all those serving in the Military

Natasha Walker	Nathan Mill
Marcus Peter	Christopher Casne
Andrew Welch	Tyler Eierdam
Ed Eve, Jr	Colby Smith
Jack Cotter	Cody Gleich
David Beatty	Andrew McGuffey
Jackson Haddon	Nicholas T Nelson
Stephen Ceo	Tristan Anne Driessen
Lucas Robson	Daniel Mattingly

By the grace of God may peace reside in every human heart and in all the world. If you would like to add or remove a name, please call the Parish Office on 406-442-5268.

Prayers for the Deceased

James Duffy

Reginald Malebranche

*Eternal rest grant unto them,
O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them.
Please remember in your prayers those who have
recently died.*

When a member of your family dies and the funeral is somewhere other than Saint Mary, please call the Pastoral Office and let us know.

We currently have openings on the Pastoral Council

- Pastoral Council is made up of 8 to 12 parishioners and is the primary consultative (advisory) group to the Pastor. A valuable team for St. Mary.
- Council members serve a three-year term that can be renewed one time for a total of six years.
- Five of our council members are 'terming out' in September
- Pastoral Council meets on the second Wednesday each month at 5:30
 - ◇ Meetings are held in October, November, February, March, April and May.
 - ◇ Council serves and supports our Parish Mission Statement.
 - ◇ Pastoral Council Statutes are posted on the website.
 - ◇ If you are interested in learning more, there are information packets available on a table in the gathering Space, please take one.
 - ◇ You can also contact Father Tim or reach out to one of the Council members listed in the bulletin.



Mark Your Calendars!

- ◆ Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays: 12:10 PM Mass
- ◆ Fridays: Mass *at rotating sites in local care centers.*
Coming up: August 9 Touchmark; August 16 Cooney
- ◆ Wednesdays: Confessions 4:00 PM—5:00 PM
- ◆ Tuesdays: Eucharistic Adoration after the 12:10 PM Mass until 2:00 PM
- ◆ Saturdays: 3:00—4:00 PM Confessions; 4:30 PM Vigil
- ◆ Sundays: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM Masses
Livestream Masses available [here](#)

- ◆ Monday August 5th: 9:45am Prayer Group in St. Ann's
- ◆ Tuesday August 6th: 12:10 Mass followed by Adoration
- ◆ Wednesday August 7th: 12:10 Mass Confessions from 4 to 5pm
- ◆ Thursday August 8th: 8:00am Mass; SMCC Zoom Community at 7pm
- ◆ Saturday August 10th: 3:00 PM—4:00 PM Confessions; 4:30pm Mass
- ◆ Monday August 12th: 9:45 AM Monday Morning Prayer Group in St. Ann's
- ◆ Tuesday August 13th: 12:10 Mass followed by Adoration
- ◆ Wednesday August 14th: 12:10 Mass; 4:00 to 5:00 PM Confessions
- ◆ Thursday August 15th: 12:10 Mass; Parish Office closed
- ◆ Friday August 16th: 3:00 Pastoral Council Discernment
- ◆ Saturday August 17th: 3:00 PM—4:00 PM Confessions; 4:30pm Mass

***To ensure a safe environment, parents must accompany children to and from the rest rooms at all times.
Thank you.***



Help Others Discover Christ

Together we have raised

\$493, 965

59% of our \$838,000 goal

Embracing anew the Great Commission of Jesus to "go and make disciples" **Because He First Loved Us** will provide \$4.5 million to create an endowment fund to provide ongoing support for our shared work of evangelization, so that we can more effectively reach out to all of God's people.

The number of active Catholics in the Diocese has dropped from 66,000 in 2000 to just 46,000 in 2022. Knowing this, how will we help others encounter Christ? Every disciple is baptized into the mission of evangelization.

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