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Dear Friends,

Since arriving to South Jersey last year, I've noticed the incredible generosity of the faithful throughout the region. This generosity was exemplified through your overwhelming support of the 2024 South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal, *Through Him and for Him*. The theme of this campaign focused on the nationwide Eucharist Revival.

I am grateful to Bishop Emeritus, Dennis Sullivan, who provided leadership for this campaign, reminding us that through the Eucharist, we are strengthened by Christ in love for God and neighbor. This love is a great motivator to support those who need it the most.

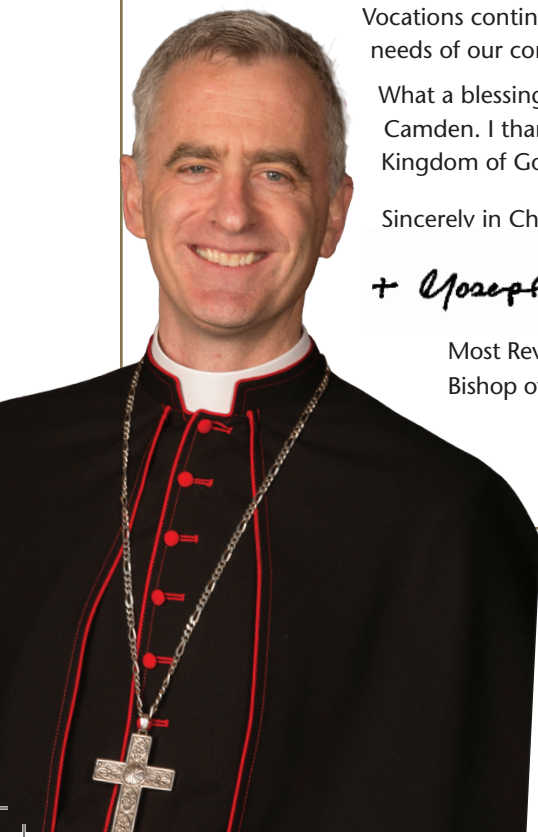
Thank you for responding to the motivation to love others by contributing to the Annual Appeal. Your support has ensured that programs including Catholic Charities, Vitality Catholic Healthcare Services' Hospital Chaplaincy Program, Hispanic Ministries, Faith Formation, Youth and Young Adult ministries, Catholic Education, and the Office of Vocations continue to meet the physical and spiritual needs of our community.

What a blessing you have provided to the Diocese of Camden. I thank you for all you do to build up the Kingdom of God in South Jersey.

Sincerely in Christ.

+ Joseph A. Williams

Most Reverend Joseph A. Williams, D.D.
Bishop of Camden



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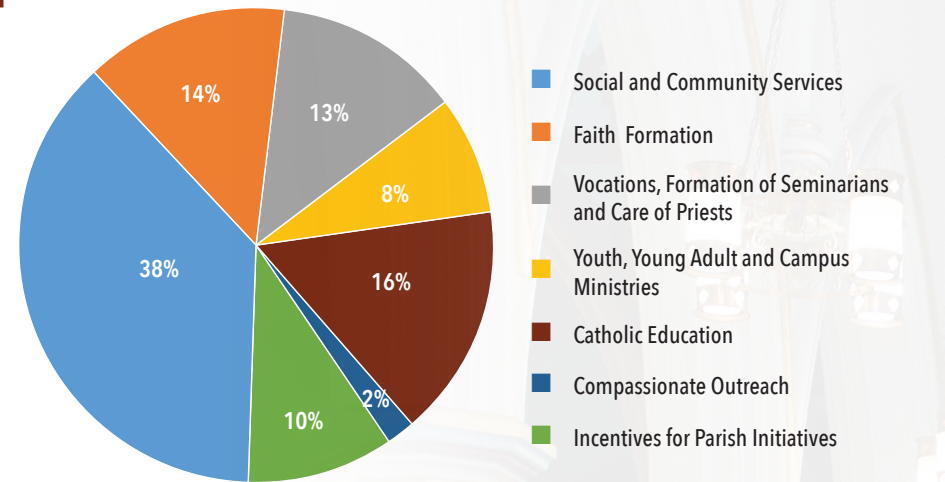
2024 ANNUAL REPORT

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The *South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal* provides ongoing financial support to the pastoral, charitable and social ministries of the Diocese of Camden. This report shows how your SJCMA donations were distributed among Diocesan ministries and programs in the last fiscal year (July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024).



SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICES | \$2,233,360 **38%**



Support for: A range of social services through Catholic Charities in each of our 6 counties; students and families of the Archbishop Damiano School; special education programs in 3 elementary schools and 2 high schools; health care programs and services like Hospital Chaplaincy that address the mind, body and spirit of the sick, the elderly and persons with disabilities.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES.....	\$1,500,000.00
SPECIAL EDUCATION.....	\$439,500.00
Archbishop Damiano	\$109,800.00
St. John of God Community Services.....	\$109,800.00
Elementary Schools.....	\$172,400.00
Secondary Schools.....	\$47,500.00
HEALTH SERVICES	
Holy Redeemer Visiting Nurses.....	\$20,000.00
VITALity Catholic Healthcare Services	\$273,860.00

CATHOLIC EDUCATION | \$932,618 **16%**



Support for: Schools in poverty-affected areas, as well as the Inter-Parochial Schools Fund which supports the operations of our South Jersey Catholic Schools.

INCENTIVES FOR PARISH INITIATIVES | \$580,187 **10%**

Support for parish local needs. Parishes that collected goal amount received a return equaling 10% of that amount for their local needs. In addition, in 2024 75% of the funds collected above the goal amount was also returned to the parishes that raised more than goal.

FAITH FORMATION | \$845,465 **14%**

HISPANIC MINISTRY AND OFFICE FOR BLACK MINISTRY.....	\$302,410.00
EVANGELIZATION & ADULT FAITH FORMATION.....	\$191,502.00
FAITH AND FAMILY LIFE FORMATION.....	\$55,354.00
LAY LEADERSHIP.....	\$296,199.00

Support for: Intercultural ministries such as Hispanic Ministry and the Office of Black Catholic Ministry; formation of our laity through university study, in-house courses, retreats and workshops; adult and family faith formation; Diocesan evangelization activities.

VOCATIONS & FORMATION OF SEMINARIANS & CARE OF PRIESTS | \$797,291 **13%**



Support for: Tuition and benefits for our seminarians; vocational discernment and formation programs for the priesthood and permanent diaconate; care of elderly and infirm priests.

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS.....	\$83,935.00
PERMANENT DIACONATE.....	\$26,319.00
SACRED HEART RESIDENCES.....	\$687,037.00

YOUTH, YOUNG ADULT AND CAMPUS MINISTRIES | \$449,266 **8%**



Support for: Resources like leadership development, training, on-call consultations, and more for parish- & faith community-based ministry with younger and older adolescents and young adults; programmatic support includes Summer in the City, Diocesan Youth Congress, Catholic Scouting, Theology on Tap, and campus ministry to Stockton, Rutgers-Camden and Rowan University students.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES	\$331,920.00
CAMPUS MINISTRIES AND NEWMAN CENTER AT ROWAN	\$117,346.00

COMPASSIONATE OUTREACH | \$100,000 **2%**

Support for: Special needs like the St. John of God Early Intervention Program (autism), Good Counsel Homes (crisis pregnancies), Joseph's House (homelessness), and special services in poverty-affected areas.

100% of your *South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal* donations went directly toward the support of the ministries listed here. Your gift did not fund the administration or the fund raising activities of the *SJCMA*.



Visit the *South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal* online. View our current Appeal video and learn more about the ministries and programs your SJCMA donations support at www.camdendiocese.org/SJCMA.