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FOUNDATION

FOR DIOCESE OF SALINA

bring
**YOUR
GIFT** TO THE
altar

-MATTHEW 5:23



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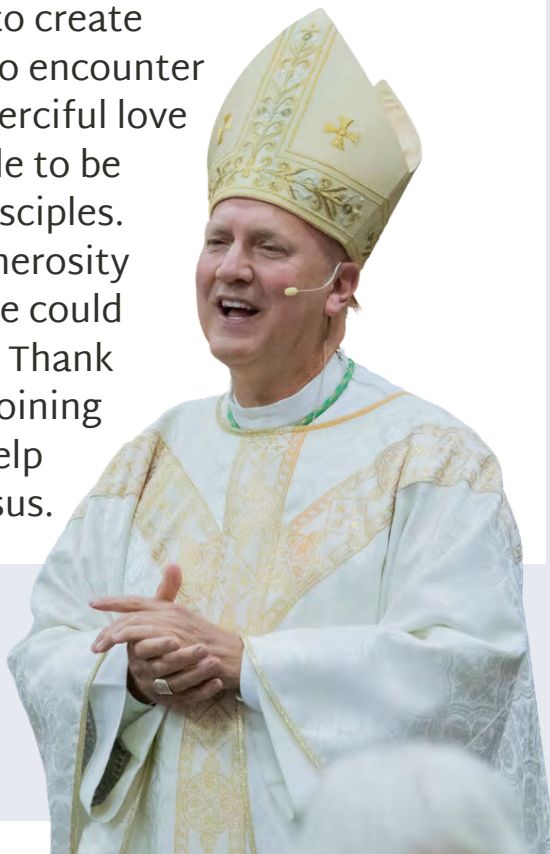
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2023 IMPACT REPORT



FROM BISHOP VINCKE

I wanted to take a moment to say thank you for your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal – Call to Share. Because of your generosity, our diocese was able to create the space for people to encounter the saving, abiding, merciful love of Christ. We were able to be disciples who make disciples. Your kindness and generosity made this possible. We could not do it without you. Thank you for your “yes” in joining us in our mission to help every person know Jesus.

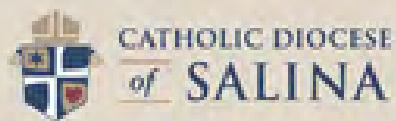


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YOUR GIFT HAS A LASTING IMPACT. BECAUSE OF YOUR GENEROSITY, OUR DIOCESE WAS ABLE TO EXPAND AND GROW ITS MISSION, TOUCHING THE LIVES OF THOUSANDS OF CATHOLICS AND INSPIRING DEEPER RELATIONSHIPS WITH CHRIST. YOU MADE ENCOUNTERS WITH CHRIST POSSIBLE.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INCREDIBLE GENEROSITY.

TOTAL DOLLARS: \$2,053,375 | TOTAL DONORS: 3,334
AVERAGE GIFT: \$617.68



“...BRING YOUR GIFT *to the altar...*”

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38,894
CATHOLICS



5,618
STUDENTS
IN RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION



5 CATHOLIC
HIGH SCHOOLS
11 CATHOLIC
GRADE SCHOOLS



1
DIOCESE



26,685
SQUARE
MILES



67 PRIESTS
10 SEMINARIANS
21 DEACONS
7 DEACON CANDIDATES



86
PARISHES



CALL TO *share* GIFTS IN ACTION

“I have served the people of this diocese for 23 years. I’ve baptized 241 babies, 337 funerals, and 74 marriages. Thank you for giving to the appeal. Because of you, I have been able to retire with peace of mind. I still help out when I can though! A priest is never done with his work. So, you are all in my prayers.”

Fr. Larry Letourneau
Retired Priest



INSPIRING STORIES FROM THOSE TOUCHED BY YOUR GENEROSITY

“The topic of discussion at OCIA was ‘Who is Jesus.’ Fr. Andy told us that there would be Adoration after class and that we were more than welcome to come. The entire class while learning about Jesus, I had a thought in the back of my head telling me that I need to attend. When I first met Jesus that night, I was able to experience how much love and mercy Jesus has for me. Looking back, I know that thought in my head was Jesus telling me that it’s time to follow him and put my trust in him. OCIA and the Eucharist truly changed my life for the better and I hope that anyone considering joining the church make that commitment and put all your trust in him.”

Ian Sackett
OCIA Participant, Hays, KS



“My favorite thing about working in a Catholic school is that faith is an integral part of everything we do. It is so beautiful to see children growing in their faith and developing a relationship with God as they learn academics. Helping students learn about God’s plan for their lives is also very rewarding.”

Christina Whitehair
Principal at St. Andrew Elementary, Abilene



Your gift
makes the
Sacraments
possible.



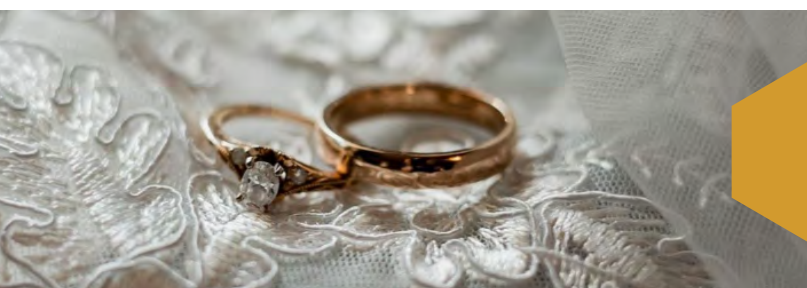
655
Confirmations



730
First Communions



674
Baptisms



202
Marriages



**Your gift
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Vocations
possible.**



10
Seminarians



7
Seminarist Visits



65
Health Care for Clergy



13
Retired Clergy



Your gift
makes
Ministries
possible.

290

Men's Conference
Attendees



2000+

Totus Tuus Students



101

Anniversary Mass
Attendees



6102

Faith Formation throughout
parishes and schools





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