

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL GOAL
ALLOCATION \$2,522,357

Ministry/Office Funded

Office of Advocacy & Justice	\$ 96,590
Bishop Emeritus	\$ 56,848
Campus Ministry	\$ 179,550
Catholic Charities	\$ 250,000
Chancellor	\$ 53,819
Continuing Education-Clergy	\$ 42,034
Office for Catholic Schools	\$ 194,202
Office of Christian Formation	\$ 85,411
Office of Youth	\$ 93,992
Office of Development	\$ 106,852
Office of Evangelization	\$ 18,140
Office of Family Life	\$ 95,729
Hispanic Apostolate	\$ 52,342
Human Resources	\$ 166,454
Information Technology	\$ 150,997
Office of the Bishop	\$ 166,590
Office of Black Catholics	\$ 5,000
Office of Communications	\$ 183,445
Office of Seminarians	\$ 285,205
Permanent Deacon Council	\$ 11,514
Permanent Diaconate Formation	\$ 25,937
Priest Retirement	\$ 144,000
Tribunal	\$ 38,000
Vocations	\$ 19,706



SALT AND LIGHT —
YOUR FAITH IN ACTION

When considering your pledge, please consider a plan that is best for your household.

2023 Appeal Plans

Total Gift	10 Monthly Payments
\$250	\$25.00
\$200	\$20.00
\$100	\$10.00
\$ 75	\$ 7.50
\$ 50	\$ 5.00

You may make a pledge or gift by check or credit card. Checks may be payable to the annual Catholic Sharing Appeal and mailed to:
11 N. B Street, Pensacola, FL 32502.
A credit card gift can be completed securely online 24/7, where you can also manage your transaction activity. Visit ptdiocese.org and click "GIVE" on the top banner.

Give online now by scanning the QR code.



THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE
of
PENSACOLA-TALLAHASSEE

Shining Christ's Light
"You are the Light of the World"
Mt 5:14

2023 ANNUAL CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL



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Dear Brothers and Sister,

Following the beatitudes in the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus tells his disciples that people who receive these blessings are loved and cherished by God. He said, "You are the light of the world ... let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father."

At our baptism, we are enlightened by Christ to bring the Gospel into our homes, places of work and our community. The light we reflect is not our own but is of God.

Each of us has been chosen by God from the moment we are born to do good works throughout our lives and pass on our Catholic faith to the next generation.

One of the greatest gifts we can pass on to our children and grandchildren is our Catholic faith. Furthermore, simple acts of kindness through time, talent and treasure can leave a lasting impression on Christians or those of other faiths or of no faith at all. By participating in the sacraments and various ministries in our parish or helping a neighbor in need, we are shining the light of Christ on others.

Our annual Catholic Sharing Appeal (CSA) allows our diocese to evangelize and serve in many ways. Through your contributions, we are able to build up our local church and pass on the Gospel from generation to generation.

Thank you for your continued support of CSA.

May God bless you and the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee.

In Christ,

William A. Wack

Most Reverend William A. Wack, CSC
Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee



CATHOLIC CHARITIES — BRINGING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST TO THE LESS FORTUNATE

Answering Christ's call to care for the "least among us," Catholic Charities of Northwest Florida carries out the corporal works of mercy of the Catholic Church by serving and advocating for vulnerable families and individuals.

Funding from the annual Catholic Sharing Appeal assists with disaster relief, feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless, providing pregnancy and adoption services, assisting newly-arrived immigrants and more.



CATHOLIC EDUCATION — PREPARING STUDENTS TO BE A LIGHT TO THE WORLD

The Catholic Sharing Appeal supports seven elementary schools, three high schools and four stand-alone pre-schools within the diocese. We immerse our students in the Catholic faith in all aspects of their education, helping them to know Jesus and apply his teaching to their lives.



FAITH FORMATION (ADULTS, YOUTH AND MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE) — PROCLAIMING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Religious faith formation serves as the foundation for spreading the Gospel of Christ in the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee.

Parishes are provided support with sacramental catechesis for baptism, first reconciliation, first holy communion, confirmation, marriage and the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, including adaption for children.

Parishes, especially parish catechetical leaders, are provided with resources and programs for curriculum, textbooks and other materials for the faith formation of all ages.

The diocese provides opportunities for young people to encounter Christ and live as disciples through the annual Diocesan Youth Conference, high school and middle school retreats and Christian Leadership Institute.

Marriage preparation, along with the annual Diocesan Marriage Retreat, Jubilee celebrations honoring couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries and Natural Family Planning courses all support the domestic Church.



FOSTERING VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE — "YES" TO THE CALL

Our 18 seminarians receive continuous support in their discernment to heed the call to serve God and the Church. Through your generous donations from the Catholic Sharing Appeal, each seminarian obtains a comprehensive education, guidance and spiritual formation.

The dedication of our religious sisters who serve in our parishes, schools and other ministries in the diocese is also a blessing.



CONTINUING CLERGY & RELIGIOUS FORMATION — MAY THEIR LIGHT SHINE BEFORE OTHERS

Ongoing personal, spiritual and ministerial formation and professional development with our priests, deacons and religious sisters assist them in carrying out their vocations.



ADVOCACY & JUSTICE — CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING

Funding from the annual Catholic Sharing Appeal provides resources and programs to raise awareness and educate the faithful on Catholic social teachings and the dignity of life from conception to natural death. It also promotes the social mission of the Church through ongoing education and legislative advocacy efforts.



CANDIDATES FOR THE PERMANENT DIACONATE — A SERVANT'S HEART

The Permanent Deacon Formation Program accompanies laymen discerning a vocation to the Permanent Diaconate. The five-year discernment/formation program prepares the men according to the four pillars of Church vocational formation: theological studies, human development, spiritual formation and pastoral practice.

