

Impact Report 2022



the
CARDINAL'S
ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

*Sharing God's Gifts Throughout
the Archdiocese of New York*

"Our Faith, Our Children, Our Future Church."

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Dear Friend:

Thank you for your steadfast support of the *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal*. Our ministries continue to expand their reach because of your generosity. Forming new priests, while caring for retired ones, assisting financially vulnerable parishes, and strengthening Catholic education are just some of the many ways you are making a difference throughout the archdiocese. It heartens me to see the growing group of people answering God's call year after year. From generation to generation, our faith propels us forward to a future rooted in the Lord's mission of serving others.

I had the opportunity to see the call to stewardship firsthand at New York Catholic Youth Day, held by our Department of Youth Faith Formation this past Spring. Teens between eighth and twelfth grade gathered for a day of worship, service, and fun. Opportunities to encounter Christ like this would not have been possible without your selfless contributions to the *Appeal*. Helping our young people understand how

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their faith shapes their everyday lives is critical to preparing them to live as bold disciples of Jesus for a lifetime.

Throughout this report, we will look back at the impact your influence had on the archdiocese last year. Your unwavering commitment to Christ's mission has made a positive difference in the lives of countless individuals and communities throughout our ten counties. It is my hope that the *Appeal* will continue to help our archdiocese live and proclaim the gospel for years to come.

With gratitude and prayerful wishes, I am,

Faithfully yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in red ink that reads "Timothy Michael Dolan".

† Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York

Mission

The Archdiocese of New York's mission is to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ, aware of the local area and the world, the spiritual and the material, the present and the future. The archdiocese is a large and diverse community serving millions of Catholics in the New York City boroughs of Manhattan, Staten Island, and the Bronx and Dutchess, Orange, Sullivan, Westchester, Ulster, Rockland, and Putnam counties. The *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal* is a direct appeal from His Eminence, Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan, Archbishop of New York and parish pastors to parishioners and friends of the archdiocese to raise funds to support the financial needs of its ministries, charitable works, struggling parishes and schools, seminary, and priest retirement residences.

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MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

Department of Youth Faith Formation: The Next Generation of Faith

Working with young people and their families from baptism to twelfth grade, the Department of Youth Faith Formation (DYFF) helps the next generation of Catholics foster and strengthen their beliefs. DYFF works with nearly all parishes in the archdiocese to coach their team on determining and establishing the best practices and methods for the implementation of their parish's faith formation programs. Boldness and creativity are their motto in carrying out Cardinal Dolan's vision for our youth and navigating the diverse realities of our parish communities. One notable effort is the Family Formation Program at St. Marianne Cope Parish in Cornwall-on-Hudson. Founded on the Church's prayer at the baptismal rite that

parents be the first and best teachers of their children in the faith, Family Formation at St. Marianne Cope Parish provides a monthly family-based curriculum that includes adult catechesis to make living the faith a way of life. Children learn with catechists; parents receive training for weekly lessons to bring the conversation about Christ to the home. The family becomes more and more the "domestic Church," so every child (and parent!) can experience the Presence of Jesus where two or three are gathered in His Name.

The Family Formation Program has helped introduce our children to Christ and his Church in a meaningful way. "Going through the program with their children allows

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Ela Milewska, Executive Director of the DYFF, noted that many people who help carry out their mission are volunteers who choose to spend time with the youth. They are motivated to take up such a task because they want young people to know Jesus. The volunteers are guided by Parish Faith Formation Coordinators. The archdiocese offers free services like catechist and youth ministry team formation and training. The operating support provided by the *Appeal* has given the DYFF the opportunity to invest in young people and their faith. Events

like these are annual examples of how the generosity of parishioners are making an incredible difference in the lives of our young people, ensuring that our Catholic faith and practice remain at the center of their development.

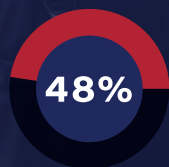
"Providing free services like catechist and youth ministry team formation would be unattainable without you." Events like the annual Catholic Youth Day and the Middle School Rally would also be challenging to hold due to production costs. "The *Appeal* has given DYFF the opportunity to invest in young people and their faith." The Department of Youth Faith Formation is your kindness at work.

Areas of Support

From the picturesque Hudson Valley to bustling New York City, the *Appeal* is ensuring the Lord's presence stays strong throughout the archdiocese. Each year, parishes respond to the call to support the financial needs of ministries, charitable works, schools, struggling parishes, seminary, and priest retirement residences. In a world that often feels lost and disconnected, parishioners come together as a united group to aid those in need. The funds raised by the *Appeal* allows the archdiocese to continue to flourish and share the word of Jesus Christ through its ministries and programs. The allocation of the financial contributions are detailed to the right.



How Your 2022 Gift Was Allocated



Assistance for Financially Vulnerable Parishes



Charitable Outreach and Pastoral Support



Evangelization, Communications, and Catholic Education



Formation of New Parish Priests

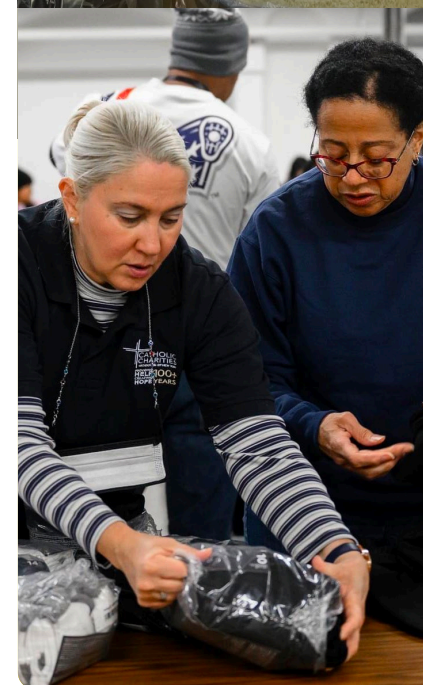


Care for Retired Parish Priests

Charitable Outreach

The *Appeal* allows the archdiocese the financial means to offer operational support to our charitable organizations to aid in the assistance they provide to New York's most vulnerable. The generous support of parishioners allows local parishes and organizations like Catholic Charities to secure the staff and resources needed to tackle the varying spiritual and material needs of our local communities. Services like food pantries, pop-up clinics, counseling services, and eldercare are a few examples of the Church's commitment to social justice.

“We are grateful for the *Appeal's* support to help our dedicated and faithful parishioners in times of difficulty.”





\$10M
48%

Assistance for Financially Vulnerable Parishes

Support from the *Appeal* makes it possible for parishes to carry out the mission of the Church at a local level. Cardinal Dolan understands the critical role pastors and their parishes play in developing and serving our vast archdiocese. Nearly half of the funds raised through the *Appeal* are made available to support parishes that are not financially independent. By providing them with the essential resources, guidance, and financial aid, we help them to fulfill their mission effectively.

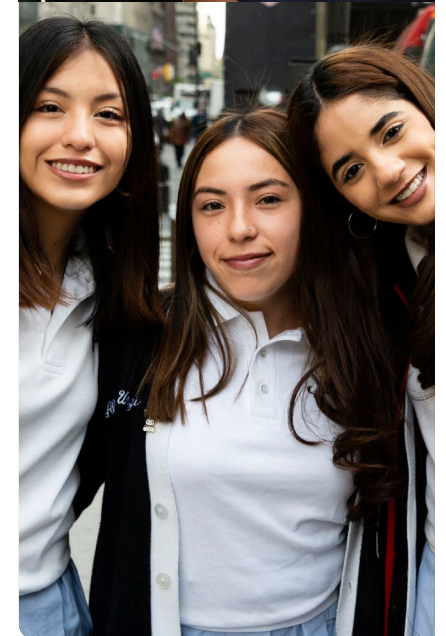
“I am eternally grateful for the positive impact my parish has had on my life. Over the years, my parish has become a sanctuary of hope that provides unwavering support.”

Evangelization and Catholic Education

Planning and preparing for the future of the Church necessitates an ongoing investment in religious education programs and a commitment to the lifelong process of faith formation. Our religious education and faith formation programs are available to young and old in every region of the archdiocese. The *Appeal* fully supports the operating needs of the ministries which implement programs. These programs all play a vital role in parish life.



\$3M
14%



“Catholic education grants me the opportunity to be challenged daily. I enjoy the morality and Catholic faith formation we are exposed to.”



Formation of New Parish Priests

In a world filled with rapid change, technological developments and a growing secular culture, the need for faithful and holy shepherds, modeled after the Good Shepherd Himself, remains steadfast. At *St. Joseph's Seminary and College*, the seminarians are taught how to be missionary disciples of Christ both in-person and digitally to their communities. Our seminarians are tomorrow's

priests, pastors, bishops, and cardinals. The *Appeal* helps fund their studies and preparation to ensure they are equipped with the proper tools and education to revitalize faith communities. In a complex world, our seminarians need their education to be extensive so they can serve the faithful throughout their lives.

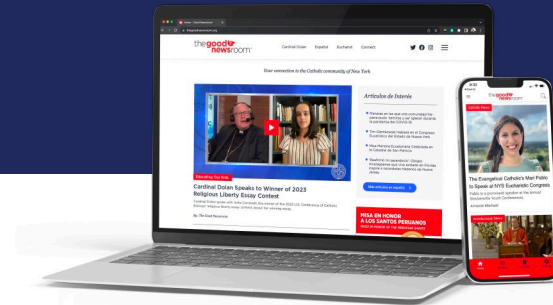
Care for Retired Parish Priests



The *Saint John Vianney Clergy Residence* provides a comfortable and safe home for retired clergy who have devoted their lives to serving parishes and schools throughout

the archdiocese. The residence ensures that priests live each day with dignity, independence, and the ability to practice their Catholic faith in a brotherly community.

New Endeavors in 2022



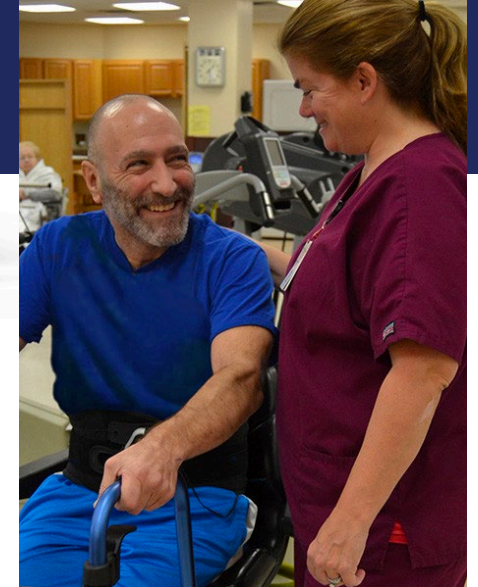
The Good Newsroom

The Good Newsroom is the exclusive, award-winning media outlet of the Archdiocese of New York. Launched in November of 2022, the goal of the entity is to strengthen the community of Catholics in New York with uplifting stories, news and information, and homilies.

The Good Newsroom publishes articles and videos daily in English and Spanish highlighting all areas of the archdiocese including pastoral, charitable, educational, and healthcare ministries. Stories are published through a website that is mobile friendly, an app, and social media channels. There is also a weekly e-newsletter with 'best of the week.'

Spearheaded by Cardinal Dolan through the *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal*, the archdiocese seeks to raise funds to continue to provide news to our audiences through this platform.

Please scan the QR Code to visit the platform and download our app:



ArchCare

ArchCare helps and cares for people of all ages and faiths where they are most comfortable and best able to receive it – at home, in the community, and in nursing homes. As the Continuing Care Community of the Archdiocese of New York, it strives to enhance the lives of those who need extra help to stay healthy and live life to its fullest. The mission of ArchCare is to foster and administer faith-based holistic care for frail and vulnerable people unable to fully care for themselves. ArchCare seeks to improve the quality of the lives of those individuals and their families.

Ministry Offices and Programs

The mission of the *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal* could not have been carried out to these vital areas without the support of our over 2.5M dedicated parishioners.

- **Adult Faith Formation**
- **ArchCare**
- **Archdiocese of New York Administrative Offices**
- **Black Ministry**
- **Care for Retired Parish Priests**
- **Catholic Charities Administration**
- **Catholic schools**
- **Family Life**
- **Financially Vulnerable Parishes**
- **Formation of New Parish Priests**
- **The Good Newsroom**
- **Hispanic Ministry**
- **Respect Life**
- **The Sheen Center for Thought & Culture**
- **Young Adult Outreach**
- **Youth Faith Formation**

Please scan the QR code to see this year's archdiocesan financial report and impact reports from the past:



Ways to Support the Appeal

Please make checks payable to *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal* and write your parish name in the memo section. **Mail your check to:**

Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal
1011 First Avenue, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10022

Donate by Phone

If you have any questions or prefer to contribute by phone, please call **646.794.3300** or e-mail us at cardinals.appeal@archny.org.

Planned Giving

When you include your parish and the Archdiocese of New York in your estate plan, you help us continue to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout our communities. For more information on planned giving, please e-mail us at planned.giving@archny.org.

Stock Donations

If you would like to make a stock contribution, please call **646.794.3300** or e-mail us at cardinals.appeal@archny.org.

Matching Gifts

Many corporations have matching gift programs that will allow you to leverage your support and increase your charitable gift. If your company has a matching gift program, be sure to include an appropriate form with your contribution. Learn more at archny.org/doubleyourimpact.

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Contributions between \$1,000–\$4,999 make you part of the **Friends of the Cardinal's Appeal** giving society.

Contributions that are \$5,000+ make you part of the **Assembly of Stewards** giving society.

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