Walk humbly with your GOD

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

2018

ANNUAL REPORT

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I am truly overwhelmed by the success of the 2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal. Your gifts exceeded 4.8 million dollars. I am astounded by the ever-increasing generosity of the faithful of our Diocese each year, and the fruit that it produces.

This fruit consists of the 18 seminarians and 2 discerners who are being educated in various stages of formation, the tens of thousands of individuals served through the efforts of Catholic Charities, our Catholic schools serving as fertile ground for young ones, evangelization and faith formation initiatives to make disciples of all nations, and so much more.

Thank you for sharing so generously. Your eagerness to offer your prayers and financial blessings with others is so encouraging. Be assured that your sacrifices have a great impact on those supported through the Appeal.

Let us rejoice in thanksgiving for the blessings received from above and for the generous hearts who share their blessings with God's people.

In the Lord's peace,

+ Robert E. Guglielmone

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmone
Bishop of Charleston

2018 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL RESULTS

GOAL	$4,000,000
TOTAL RAISED	$4,814,280
PERCENT OF GOAL	120%
TOTAL DONORS	17,862
PARTICIPATION RATE	26.8%

the Crozier Society

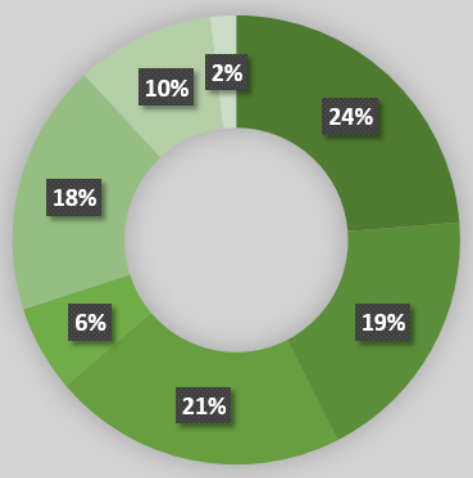
With an annual gift of $1,000 or above to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, Crozier Society members take on a leadership role in helping the Bishop carry out the mission of the Diocese of Charleston – to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to support those in need within our diocese.

2018 BAA CROZIER SOCIETY

	OVERALL	CROZIER SOCIETY
FUNDS	$4,814,280	$2,253,229
DONORS	17,862	1,154

- **6.5%** of the families who participated in the 2018 BAA were members of the *Crozier Society*.
- Members of the *Crozier Society* contributed **46.8%** of total funds raised in support of the 2018 BAA.

2018 MINISTRY ALLOCATIONS



- Catholic Charities | $950,000
- Vocations | $750,000
- Ministry & Outreach | $850,000
- Youth & Young Adult Ministries | $250,000
- Catholic Schools | $725,000
- College Campus Ministry | $400,000
- Retired Priest Care | $75,000

EIGHTY-ONE PARISHES AND MISSIONS
EXCEEDED TARGET GOAL
and will receive back 50% of funds raised over goal for parish initiatives

Parish, City	% of Goal
Our Lady of Peace Mission, Bonneau	617.73%
St. Theresa Mission, Springfield	563.16%
St. Theresa, Winnsboro	479.51%
St. Ann, Kingstree	399.15%
St. Joseph, Chester	315.85%
St. Joseph Mission, Darlington	281.46%
St. Andrew, Barnwell	249.11%
St. James the Greater Mission, Walterboro	239.12%
St. William, Ward	239.11%
Sacred Heart, Abbeville	236.01%
St. Paul the Apostle, Seneca	232.37%
Holy Cross, Pickens	221.45%
St. Mary Mission, Allendale	218.64%
St. Patrick Mission, Johnsonville	217.39%
St. Louis, Dillon	208.42%
St. Michael Mission, Great Falls	200.11%
St. Anthony, Ridgeland	199.84%
St. Gregory the Great, Bluffton	193.16%
Corpus Christi, Lexington	186.08%
St. Denis Mission, Bennettsville	185.59%
St. Ann, Santee	179.33%
St. Augustine, Union	176.77%
St. Joseph, Columbia	174.43%
St. Mary the Virgin Mother, Hartsville	173.14%
St. John, North Charleston	172.07%
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Camden	169.88%
Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, Charleston	167.54%
St. Mary, Georgetown	159.87%
St. Andrew, Myrtle Beach	154.03%
St. Anthony Mission, Hardeeville	150.43%
St. Anne, Florence	149.91%
Our Lady of the Lake, Chapin	149.76%
Blessed Trinity, Greer	148.27%
St. Francis Mission, Walhalla	145.72%
Our Lady of Peace, North Augusta	144.76%
St. Anne/St. Jude, Sumter	143.94%
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Mauldin	143.38%
Transfiguration, Blythewood	142.02%
Holy Spirit, Johns Island	141.44%
St. Mary of the Annunciation, Charleston	139.66%
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Parish, City	% of Goal
St. Anthony, Florence	139.34%
St. Luke Mission, Easley	138.13%
Our Lady Star of the Sea, North Myrtle Beach	137.97%
Immaculate Conception, Goose Creek	137.48%
St. James, Conway	133.95%
St. Mary Our Lady of Hope, Summerton	131.44%
St. John the Beloved, Summerville	130.65%
St. Philip the Apostle, Lake City	130.24%
Holy Family, Hilton Head	129.91%
St. Joseph, Anderson	129.44%
Our Lady of The Valley, Gloverville	128.81%
Our Lady of the Hills, Columbia	128.08%
St. Anthony of Padua, Greenville	126.49%
Holy Spirit Mission, Laurens	126.11%
St. Peter, Cheraw	125.38%
Holy Trinity, Orangeburg	125.26%
St. Mary, Greenville	124.93%
Church of the Infant Jesus, Marion	123.58%
St. Andrew, Clemson	123.36%
Good Shepherd, McCormick	119.87%
Precious Blood of Christ, Pawleys Island	119.42%
St. Francis by the Sea, Hilton Head	118.94%
St. John Neumann, Columbia	117.02%
Christ Our King, Mount Pleasant	114.87%
St. Patrick, Charleston	114.48%
St. Mary Help of Christians, Aiken	113.79%
Our Lady of Grace, Indian Land	111.40%
Jesus Our Risen Savior, Spartanburg	110.89%
Nativity, Charleston	110.03%
St. Thomas More, Columbia	109.40%
St. Peter, Columbia	108.31%
St. Joseph, Charleston	107.95%
Our Lady of Good Counsel, Folly Beach	107.12%
St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, Edgefield	107.04%
St. Boniface, Joanna	106.21%
St. Cyprian, Georgetown	105.83%
St. Philip Neri, Fort Mill	105.15%
San Sebastian Mission, Greenville	103.54%
All Saints, Lake Wylie	103.52%
St. Mary Magdalene, Simpsonville	103.49%
Sacred Heart Church, Gaffney	100.00%

TOP TWENTY PARISHES AND MISSIONS
FAMILY PARTICIPATION

St. Anthony, Ridgeland	57.99%
St. John, North Charleston	56.16%
Good Shepherd, McCormick	55.00%
St. Anthony Mission, Hardeeville	54.76%
St. Michael Mission, Great Falls	51.72%
St. Mary, Yonges Island	51.14%
St. Mary, Georgetown	50.41%
St. Andrew, Clemson	50.27%
St. John of the Cross, Batesburg	50.00%
St. Andrew, Myrtle Beach	49.83%

St. Catherine of Siena, Lancaster	49.44%
St. Mary, Greenville	44.48%
Our Lady of Peace, North Augusta	42.92%
St. Anne, Florence	42.46%
St. Ann, Santee	42.40%
Sts. Frederick & Stephen, Edisto Island	42.22%
St. Mary Our Lady of Hope, Summerton	42.19%
St. Mary, Rock Hill	42.12%
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Camden	41.83%
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Mauldin	41.72%