



St. Anastasia
CATHOLIC CHURCH
WORSHIP • FAITH • COMMUNITY

2025 ANNUAL REPORT



Dear St. Anastasia Parishioners,

On behalf of our clergy, parish staff, and both the finance and pastoral councils, I am thrilled to present our annual Parish Report. I am happy to announce that our parish remains stable and continues to grow with optimism! Our faith formation programs are thriving, and we give thanks to God for the numerous blessings bestowed upon our parish community.



This past year has been a time of celebration, growth, and changes. We said goodbye to our Associate Pastor, Fr. Greg Rozborski, and we are deeply grateful for the three years he spent with us. We pray for him as he embarks on a new chapter as a University Professor. As we navigate these changes, we sincerely appreciate your unwavering support for St. Anastasia.



Within this report, you will find more examples of our parish's growth and the wonderful works that God is achieving through us. As we reflect on the future of our parish and the legacy we wish to create for future generations, I am thankful to God for each of you and your generous stewardship of time, talent, and treasure.

I am especially grateful for the gift of His presence in the Most Holy Eucharist. The real presence of Christ in the Eucharist is our greatest treasure and the most significant reason for our gratitude.

Let us continue to pray for one another as we strive to be the “living stones” and saints that God calls us to be.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Leszek Semik

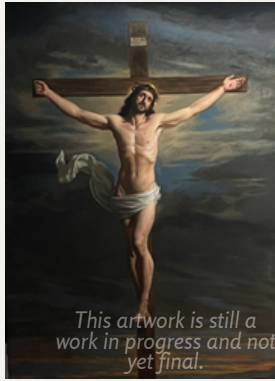
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Pastor, St. Anastasia Catholic Church



OUR CHURCH

Final touches are underway to complete the renovation of our church.



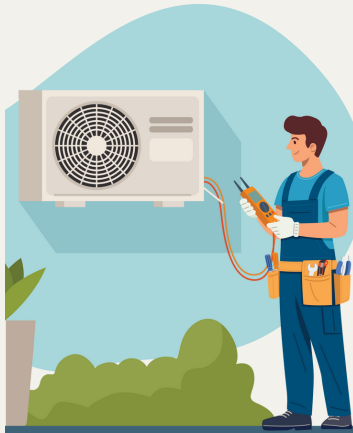
Our church has experienced significant changes over the past two years. The majority of the renovations are complete, and we are excited to continue the transformation with the final touches still to come. A brand-new baptismal font is on its way from Italy and is expected to be installed by the upcoming holiday season.

Additionally, we have commissioned an original painting of the “Cristo Vivo” (The Living Christ on the Cross), which will be showcased above the tabernacle in our custom retablo.

These finishing touches have been made possible through your generous contributions to our Building Fund, the Msgr. Royale Vadakin Arts and Education Fund, and other private donations.



MASTER PLAN UPDATES Building our Tomorrow, Together



Our Master Plan lays out an exciting future for our parish community, with full funding secured for Phase 1. This phase aims to establish a Catholic preschool catering to children aged 2.5 to 4 by Fall 2027, generously supported by Shea Family Charities.

Exciting Updates at St. Anastasia School

We are thrilled to announce the addition of HVAC to St. Anastasia School! The electrical systems have been upgraded, and the HVAC installation ensures a safe and comfortable learning environment, which is essential for our mission of academic excellence. Thanks to the Called to Renew campaign, the 2025 Parish Ball Gala, the Golf Tournament, and numerous generous donations, we have successfully completed Phase 1 of funding for our Master Plan.



SACRAMENTS & MINISTRY

987 Registered & Active Families

34 Baptisms

92 New Families

36 High School Confirmations

47 First Holy Communions

Over 250 Ministry Volunteers

OCIA
Confirmed: 4
Fully Initiated: 7
First Eucharist and Confirmation: 2

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

In a beautiful Mass in May, 36 children received their First Holy Communion, surrounded by family and our parish community. Dressed in their finest attire, the children marked this spiritual milestone with deep respect and prayer, as the church, adorned with colorful banners, celebrated their special day.



CONFIRMATION



We celebrated Confirmation at St. Anastasia with Regional Bishop Matthew Elshoff, who blessed 36 young adults in a joyful and reverent Mass. Families came together in support, and the Bishop's inspiring message highlighted the significance of faith and community.

PARISH SURVEY *Your Insight is Extremely Valuable*



We kindly ask for your assistance in our planning process by completing this brief survey. Your insights are essential as we envision the coming years of growth at St. Anastasia. By participating, you will help us better understand the needs and desires of our parish community. We strive to create a vibrant and welcoming environment that embodies the values and aspirations of all our members.

Your feedback will be crucial in guiding us toward informed decisions for the future.

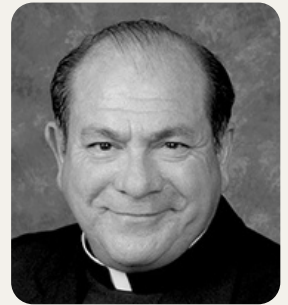
Thank you for being a vital part of our journey and for contributing to the flourishing of our parish family. Together, we can build a brighter tomorrow for St. Anastasia.

Please scan the QR code to complete your survey today!



MSGR. GONZALES FUND *Honoring Msgr. Gabe Gonzales' Legacy*

Msgr. Gabe Gonzales was deeply passionate about education and had a genuine heart for families in need. He frequently voiced his concerns regarding the escalating costs of Catholic education and the challenges it posed for those with limited resources. In tribute to his legacy of service, compassion, and dedication to accessible quality Catholic education, St. Anastasia Parish has established the Msgr. Gonzales Scholarship Fund.



This year, the Fund raised over \$4,000, and provided \$9,000 in tuition assistance to families experiencing financial difficulties, ensuring their children can access a Catholic education at St. Anastasia School. Additionally, the fund awarded one St. Anastasia student a \$1,000 scholarship to attend a Catholic High School.

The Msgr. Gonzales Fund is a restricted fund designated exclusively for tuition assistance and annual scholarships.

MSGR VADAKIN ARTS & EDUCATION FUND



The Arts & Education Fund was established in the fall of 2001 under the guidance of Msgr. Royale M. Vadakin. This initiative was created to honor the 50th "Golden Anniversary" of St. Anastasia and serves as a legacy fund aimed at expanding parish-wide activities in both arts and education for adults and students.

This year, the Fund collected over \$4,000 in donations and the Board of Trustees approved funding of \$21,803 in various parish needs, which includes:

- Commissioned artwork of St. Anastasia
- TACSC leadership conferences
- Parent Education Night
- The portrait of Christ's crucifixion
- Bible Study

The Msgr. Vadakin Arts and Education Fund is a restricted fund, guided by the appointed Board of Trustees and managed at the discretion of the Pastor.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS!

Catechetical Sunday & Pancake Breakfast - Sept. 21, 2025
St. Francis Blessing of the Animals - Oct. 4, 2025
Parish Picnic - Nov. 2, 2025
Thanksgiving Mass & Inaugural Turkey Trot - Nov. 27, 2025
Christmas Village - Dec. 7, 2025
Our Lady of Guadalupe - Dec. 12, 2025
School Christmas Show - Dec. 18, 2025

Catholic Schools Week - Jan. 25-31, 2026
School Musical - Feb. 6-7, 2026
Parish Ball Gala - Mar 7, 2026
First Holy Communion - May 2, 2026
Confirmation - May 2026
Golf Tournament - May 2026
Vacation Bible School - June 2026



FY 2025 ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

INCOME	FY '26 Budget	FY '25 Actuals	FY '24 Actuals
Collections	\$750,000	\$812,750	764,136
Sacramental Donations	\$10,000	\$16,673	16,668
Other Income	\$40,000	\$48,942	21,762
Restricted Donations**	\$85,000	\$114,773	79,222
Building Fund**	\$40,000	\$41,367	117,145
Restricted Income**	\$20,000	\$40,606	84,256
Called to Renew Income^	\$75,000	\$75,922	\$59,970
Investment Pools Withdrawal^	\$75,000	\$150,661	\$823,141
TOTAL INCOME	\$1,095,000	\$1,301,695	\$1,966,298
EXPENSES			
Payroll & Related	\$535,545	\$538,641	\$497,525
Professional Fees and Services	\$70,000	\$135,444	\$131,033
Fixed Costs	\$85,000	\$88,340	\$91,288
Residence and Parish Office	\$130,000	\$145,229	\$152,007
Church Expenses	\$50,000	\$75,180	\$65,838
Maintenance, Repairs and Improvements	\$25,000	\$67,914	\$72,611
Goodwill	\$20,000	\$39,623	\$23,396
Religious Education	\$20,000	\$34,129	\$38,562
Other Expenses	\$78,750	\$41,789	\$23,312
School Support	\$10,000	\$10,954	\$7,557
Arts & Education Disbursements	\$0	\$15,033	\$24,486
Renovation/Called to Renew Projects	\$75,000	\$80,711	\$837,166
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,099,295	\$1,272,987	\$1,964,781
Total Income	\$1,095,000	\$1,301,695	\$1,966,298
Total Expenses	\$1,099,295	\$1,272,987	\$1,964,781
Operating Income	-\$4,295	\$28,707	\$1,517

* Fiscal Year July 1 - June 30

** Restricted Funds can only be used for the intentions prescribed in the fund's foundational documents.

^ Renovations projects paid with funds from investment pool withdrawal and other restricted funds including the Building Fund and Arts and Education Fund.