FIRM IN FAITH, ACTIVE IN CHARITY





IMPACT REPORT



Bishop Lucia congratulates Mr. and Mrs. Larry and Kathryn Argiro on 57 years of marriage during the World Marriage Day Mass. Photo by The Catholic Sun

THANK YOU FOR ENABLING US TO PUT OUR FAITH INTO ACTION:

- + 10 colleges have active Campus Ministry programs
- + 1,197 children received First Eucharist and Penance
- 1,061 teenagers received Confirmation
- 694 students from 61 parishes attended Totus Tuus
- Catholic Charities served 1,436,656 meals
- Mass was livestreamed to 23,200 households
- + 3,464 students were enrolled in our Catholic schools
- 230 couples completed the marriage prep program
- 9 seminarians continued their formation

AND MORE!

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Hope is an active, transformative force rooted in our faith in Jesus Christ. We have witnessed the tangible signs of hope throughout our diocese this year made possible by your generosity.

Over 16,000 individuals and families have come together to enable our diocesan ministries to put faith into action.

I will remember you and your intentions in my prayers and Masses. I ask you to please remember in your prayers the people we are blessed to serve and me in my unworthy service to the people of this great diocese.



In the Name of Jesus,

+ Hunglas J. Kucia Most Reverend Douglas J. Lucia Bishop of Syracuse

"The youth that I served brought Christ to me in so many beautiful ways! Totus Tuus instilled in me a radical sense of service for others, while reminding me that my hard work is all for the greater glory of God."

-Joe Gill, St. Anthony-St. Ambrose Parish, Endicott



HOW YOUR GIFT TO THE 2024 HOPE APPEAL WAS USED:

The 2024 HOPE Appeal raised \$4,934,498 to provide support for immediate needs across the Diocese of Syracuse. \$3,789,428 supported ministries and programs, \$950,715 was given to parishes through Parish Sharing and campaign expenses totaled \$194,356.

Advancing Social Justice

Total:	\$684,805 (14%)
\$4,613	Cathedral Emergency Services
\$15,377	Jail Ministry
\$29,796	Social Action Ministry
\$66,511	Catholic Deaf Ministry
\$194,841	Asian & Spanish Ministries
\$373,667	Catholic Charities

Cultivating Catholic Leadership

\$161,122	Formation for Ministry
\$68,917	Lay Leadership
\$157,161	Marriage Tribunal
\$158,000	Seminarian, Clergy, Deacon Education
\$232,687	Family/Respect Life
\$283,732	Adolescent Catechesis & Discipleship
\$291,556	Campus Ministry
\$402,219	Educating Youth in Catholic Faith (Child & Family Catechesis)
\$480,539	Tuition Assistance

Total: \$2,235,933 (45%)

Empowering Parish Communities

\$283,264 Catholic Sun, Catholic TV, Communications
\$164,160 Hospital Ministry
\$25,000 Cathedral Support
\$170,135 Pastoral & Religious Support (Diocesan Pastoral Council, Priest Personnel, Vicar Religious, Permanent Diaconate, Vicars Forane)
\$80,372 Vicar for Parishes
\$38,412 Universal Church Initiatives (National Assessments)
\$44,157 Program Support Services
\$52,690 Liturgy & Worship
\$5,000 Catholic Cemeteries
\$3,500 Charismatic Renewal
\$2,000 Commission on Women
Total: \$868,690 (18%)

Total Programs & Ministries: \$3,789,428 (77%) Parish Sharing: \$950,715 (19%) Campaign expenses: \$194,356 (4%) Total: \$4,934,498

100% of funds raised from the HOPE Appeal are restricted funds that were only used for HOPE Appeal programs, services and ministries as listed above. no funds were used for costs associated with Chapter 11 or mediation legal fees. Financial information reflects income and expenses through May 11, 2025.



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