

⁴⁴ I am incredibly appreciative of how Catholics across the Archdiocese participate in the thriving life of our Church and renew their trust in Christ. I am grateful for all the parishioners, including you, who continue to support our work to provide Christ's assistance and hope to the people in our communities.⁹⁹

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2023 ANNUAL APPEAL

80% OF PARISHES reached their Annual Appeal Goal

OVER \$2.1 MILLION went back to parishes in Rebates, Assessment Rate Reductions and Grants

We are grateful to the thousands of families
in our Archdiocese who supported the
2023 Annual Appeal
Total Number of Donors
First-time Donors 2,506

Lapsed Donors 1,815

To make a gift to the Annual Appeal, please visit rcan.org/sharing or scan the QR code below.



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2023 AT A GLANCE

THE 2023 ANNUAL APPEAL RAISED A HISTORIC \$10 MILLION!



PROCLAIMING THE GOSPEL \$1,000,000

1.3 Million Catholics

Mass is Celebrated in **22** Languages

1,413 Marriages

PASSING ON THE FAITH \$2,000,000

8,391 Baptisms

5,952 1st Communions

5,450 Confirmations

23,000 Students in Catholic Schools

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL GENEROSITY



FORMING FUTURE PRIESTS AND SUPPORTING RETIRED CLERGY \$2,500,000

40+ Seminarians

187 Retired Priests



CARING FOR THE POOR AND VULNERABLE \$3,500,000

CATHOLIC CHARITIES PROVIDED:

70,000

nights of shelter to more than **1,800** homeless individuals and families.

MERCY HOUSE OPENED ITS THIRD LOCATION (NEWARK, JERSEY CITY, ELIZABETH) DISTRIBUTED:

> 160,000 Pounds of Food

400,000 Diapers and Wipes to Moms

> **1,600** Toys to Children