

# 1997 Cluster Report

Cluster: <b>65</b>	<b>FS#</b>	<b>Parish</b>	<b>School Code</b>
Vicariate: <b>Delaware</b>	2290	St. Rose of Lima	D202
	2300	St. Margaret Mary Alacoque	(none)
	2495	Our Lady of Peace	D197
	2505	Our Lady of Perpetual Help	D198
	2670	St. Madeline	D202
	2750	Notre Dame de Lourdes	D208

## 1. Demographic Profile

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1991</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1994</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<b>1990-1997</b>	
									<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Registered Population	28,278	28,070	28,184	28,312	28,309	29,377	28,794	25,863	- 2,415	- 9%
Registered Households	8,988	8,474	8,528	8,562	8,721	9,022	8,947	8,915	- 73	- 1%
Priest Assigned <sup>(A)</sup>	11	11	10	10	10	10	10	11	+ 0	
Reg. Population/Priests	2571/1	2552/1	2818/1	2831/1	2831/1	2938/1	2879/1	2351/1		
Reg. Households/Priests	817/1	770/1	853/1	856/1	872/1	902/1	895/1	810/1		

## 2. Selected Sacraments/Services and Worship

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1991</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1994</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<b>1990-1997</b>	
									<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Infant Baptisms <sup>(D)</sup>	419	431	387	396	364	320	339	310	- 109	- 26%
Marriages <sup>(B)</sup>	229	182	170	130	131	135	112	107	- 122	- 53%
Funerals	239	253	291	255	280	236	307	269	+ 30	+ 13%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	1.75	1.70	1.33	1.55	1.30	1.36	1.10	1.15		
Mass Attendance (October Count):										
Avg. Wknd. Attendance	8,678	8,403	8,247	8,263	7,862	7,964	8,646	7,803	- 875	- 10%
% Attending	31%	30%	29%	29%	28%	27%	30%	30%		

## 3. Parish Religious Education Programs

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1991</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1994</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<b>1990-1997</b>	
									<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Preschool	165	57	78	72	79	115	118	130	- 35	- 21%
Elementary (K-6)	833	932	1,061	1,013	1,049	1,138	1,106	835	+ 2	+ 0%
Junior High (7-8)	66	75	69	49	99	59	41	58	- 8	- 12%
Senior High (9-12)	46	32	32	82	80	89	91	125	+ 79	+ 172%
Adults: <sup>(C)</sup>										
Catechumens (Never Baptized)	13	10	16	18	10	3	5	6	- 7	
Candidates (Profession of Faith)	15	19	19	21	12	4	8	26	+ 11	

## 4. Parish School Enrollment

	<u>1990-91</u>	<u>1991-92</u>	<u>1992-93</u>	<u>1993-94</u>	<u>1994-95</u>	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<b>1990-1997</b>	
									<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Total Enrollment (all grades)	1,502	1,456	1,395	1,321	1,332	1,344	1,383	1,422	- 80	- 5%
Non-Catholic Enrollment	N/A	N/A	6	5	6	16	23	18		

### Notes:

(A) Includes priests "assigned to the pastoral ministry of the parish" as reported from the Office For Clergy as of June 1998.

(B) Marriages include all those witnessed by a priest and convalidation by renewal of consent.

(C) Includes only baptisms for catechumens and only confirmations for candidates.