

2003 Report to Pastor

Cluster: 19
Vicariate: Philadelphia - North

FS#: 1235
School Code: N044

Parish: St. Helena

1. Demographic Profile

						1999-2003	
	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Registered Population	4,723	4,383	4,351	4,180	4,290	- 433	- 9%
Registered Households	1,709	1,583	1,542	1,455	1,430	- 279	- 16%
Priests Assigned ^(A)	3	3	2	2	2	- 1	
Reg. Population/Priests	1574/1	1461/1	2176/1	2090/1	2145/1		
Reg. Households/Priests	570/1	528/1	771/1	728/1	715/1		

2. Selected Sacraments/Services and Worship

						1999-2003	
	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Infant Baptisms	50	53	56	69	50	+ 0	+ 0%
Marriages ^(B)	35	25	27	26	28	- 7	- 20%
Funerals	64	90	60	65	56	- 8	- 13%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	0.78	0.59	0.93	1.06	0.89		
Mass (October Count):							
Number of Masses	6	6	6	6	6	+ 0	
Avg. Wknd. Attendance	1,324	1,318	1,438	1,225	1,146	- 178	- 13%
% Attending	28%	30%	33%	29%	27%		

3. Parish Religious Education Programs

						1999-2003	
	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Preschool	-	-	25	20	-	+ 0	
Elementary (K-6)	75	90	90	75	45	- 30	- 40%
Junior High (7-8)	2	6	7	6	6	+ 4	+ 200%
Senior High (9-12)	-	3	-	6	3	+ 3	
Adults: ^(C)							
Catechumens (Never Baptized)	15	7	17	7	13	- 2	- 13%
Candidates (Profession of Faith)	-	1	7	3	1	+ 1	

4. Parish School Enrollment

						1999-2003	
	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>	<u>2003-04</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Total Enrollment (all grades)	430	371	364	351	337	- 93	- 22%

Notes:

(A) Includes priests "assigned to the pastoral ministry of the parish" as reported from the Office For Clergy June, 2004). Does not include extern priests.

(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.

(D) "N/A" indicates not available in the computer database. "N/R" indicates not reported.