

2003 Report to Pastor

Cluster: 67
Vicariate: Delaware

FS#: 2095
School Code: D167

Parish: Our Lady of Charity

1. Demographic Profile

	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	1999-2003	
						Change	%
Registered Population	7,406	7,308	7,214	5,737	5,631	- 1,775	- 24%
Registered Households	2,645	2,612	2,581	2,461	2,410	- 235	- 9%
Priests Assigned ^(A)	2	2	2	2	2	+ 0	
Reg. Population/Priests	3703/1	3654/1	3607/1	2869/1	2816/1		
Reg. Households/Priests	1323/1	1306/1	1291/1	1231/1	1205/1		

2. Selected Sacraments/Services and Worship

	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	1999-2003	
						Change	%
Infant Baptisms	67	72	82	56	63	- 4	- 6%
Marriages ^(B)	27	38	27	25	24	- 3	- 11%
Funerals	90	81	68	77	76	- 14	- 16%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	0.74	0.89	1.21	0.73	0.83		
Mass (October Count):							
Number of Masses	5	5	5	5	5	+ 0	
Avg. Wknd. Attendance	1,791	1,672	1,542	1,436	1,416	- 375	- 21%
% Attending	24%	23%	21%	25%	25%		

3. Parish Religious Education Programs

	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	1999-2003	
						Change	%
Preschool	8	15	9	30	5	- 3	- 38%
Elementary (K-6)	194	207	160	150	241	+ 47	+ 24%
Junior High (7-8)	8	10	15	33	-	- 8	- 100%
Senior High (9-12)	-	-	-	-	-	+ 0	
Adults: ^(C)							
Catechumens (Never Baptized)	5	2	5	2	1	- 4	- 80%
Candidates (Profession of Faith)	1	3	3	1	2	+ 1	+ 100%

4. Parish School Enrollment

	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>	<u>2003-04</u>	1999-2003	
						Change	%
Total Enrollment (all grades)	412	391	394	390	379	- 33	- 8%

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.