

# 2008 Cluster Report

Cluster: 65

Vicariate: Delaware

FS #	Parish
2290	St. Rose of Lima
2300	St. Margaret Mary Alacoque
2495	Our Lady of Peace
2505	Our Lady of Perpetual Help
2670	St. Madeline
2750	Notre Dame de Lourdes

## 1 - Demographic Profile

						<u>2004 - 2008</u>	
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Registered Population	24,819	23,930	23,810	23,733	23,941	-878	-4%
Registered Households	8,609	8,795	8,796	8,478	8,724	115	1%
Priests Assigned (A)	10.0	10.0	9.0	8.0	7.0	-3.0	-30%
Reg. Population/Priests	2,482 /1	2,393/1	2,646/1	2,967/1	3,420/1		
Reg. Households/Priests	861 /1	880 /1	977 /1	1,060/1	1,246/1		

## 2 - Selected Sacraments, Services, and Worship

						<u>2004 - 2008</u>	
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Infant Baptisms	243	217	218	188	209	-34	-14%
Marriages (B)	75	65	67	71	76	1	1%
Funerals	249	268	287	255	255	6	2%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	0.98	0.81	0.76	0.74	0.82		
Mass (October Count)							
Number of Masses	25	28	28	27	27	2	8%
Avg Wknd. Attendance	6,367	6,369	6,167	6,117	6,281	-86	-1%
% Attending	26%	27%	26%	26%	26%		

## 3 - Parish Religious Education Programs

						<u>2004 - 2008</u>	
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Preschool	60	38	75	64	72	12	20%
Elementary (K-6)	1,111	802	922	925	812	-299	-27%
Junior High (7-8)	73	113	212	92	90	17	23%
Senior High (9-12)	17	9	2	16	17	0	0%
Adults: (C)							
Catechumens	7	7	2	14	5	-2	-29%
Candidates	6	6	9	4	1	-5	-83%

## 4 - Parish School Enrollment

	<u>2004 - 2008</u>						
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Total Enrollment (Pre K to 8)	1,108	1,099	1,027	938	887	-221	-20%
Non Catholic Enrollment	9	21	27	33	50	41	456%

(A) Includes priests "assigned to the pastoral ministry of the parish" as reported from the Office for Clergy, June 2009. Does not include externs.

(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.