

Dear parishioners and friends of St. Eulalia Parish,

How blessed are we to be able to worship and serve one another as members of Saint Eulalia's Church! No matter what is happening around us, St. Eulalia's continues to be an oasis of peace for all who gather here. It is the place where we can come together around the Eucharistic table to be strengthened and renewed.

It is also the place where we serve one another. **Here, united in God's love, we are a visible sign of the body of Christ and together we can accomplish amazing things.** Nourished by prayer and the sacraments, members of our parish community are journeying on the path of discipleship and growing in relationship with Jesus Christ each day. We value formation in the faith and sharing our faith with others through evangelization. We also know the importance of bringing the love of God to our neighbors through acts of charity and service. Through our many ministries, and our social and service-oriented outreach programs, we put into action the truth stated so eloquently by St. John the Apostle: "If God so loved us, we also must love one another" (1 John 4:11).

With this in mind, **I invite you to respond to St. Eulalia's new stewardship program: "Catholic. Missionary. Disciples."** Please review the contents of this brochure and prayerfully consider how you and your family can play an active role in continuing the work of Jesus Christ through our parish community. Our goal is to increase our Sunday offertory contributions **in order to continue our mission of loving God, serving others, and making disciples.** This is no easy task in today's climate, but I am confident that our dedicated parishioners are up to the challenge.

On February 11th and 12th, the parish will be holding a special Commitment Weekend, inviting members of our community to connect with one another and to make a financial commitment that will allow St. Eulalia's to continue its important work. **We are counting on you! Please participate in our "Catholic. Missionary. Disciples." Program** and help us respond to God's great gift of love by loving one another with the heart of His Son.

Thank you for your generosity, prayers, and commitment to St. Eulalia's!

In Christ,

Fr. Dave



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Making your Commitment

Fill out the enclosed Commitment Card and bring it to Mass next weekend
or
scan this QR code with your smartphone to fill out your Commitment Card online.



Fulfilling your New Commitment

Three simple and secure ways to do so:



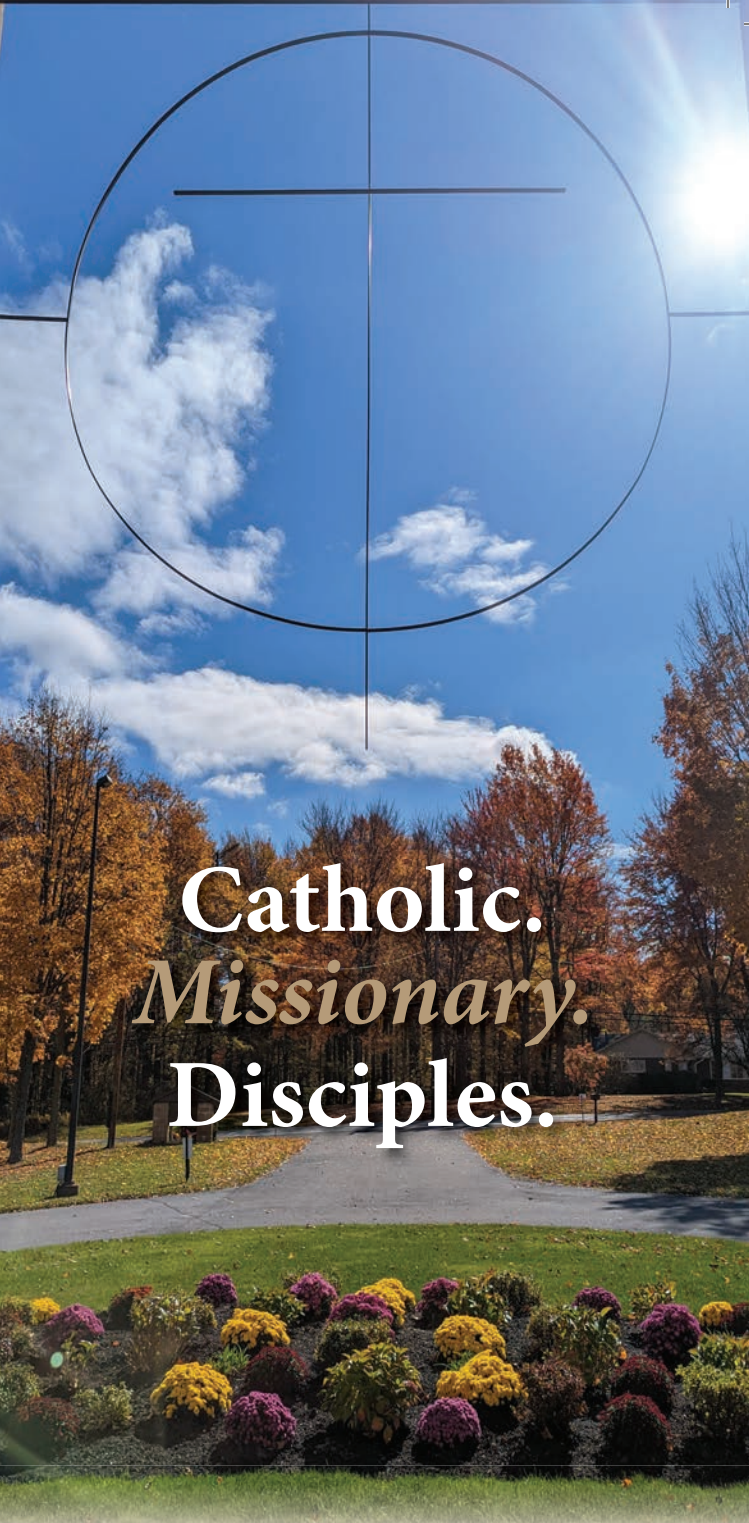
Sign up for **Electronic Giving** or update your current electronic gift amount by visiting www.sainteulalias.com/electronicgiving.



Use your **offering envelope** and bring it to Mass each Sunday or mail it to the parish office.



Explore using **tax advantaged charitable gifts** such as IRA Distributions, Gifts of Stock, or remembering the parish in your will. For more information, contact the parish office at **(570) 842-7656**.



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Saint Eulalia
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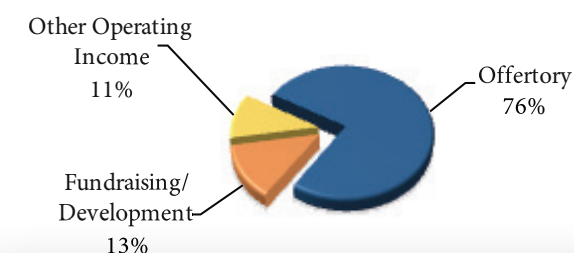


Financial Snapshot: 2022 Fiscal Year

Operating Income

Offertory	\$513,345.00
Fundraising/Development	\$87,063.00
Other Operating Income	\$73,560.00

Total Operating Income \$673,968.00

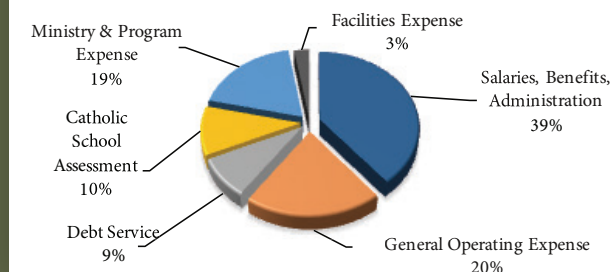


Operating Expenses

Salaries, Benefits & Administration	\$279,957.00
General Operating Expense	\$145,804.00
Debt Service	\$61,122.00
Catholic School Assessment	\$74,256.00
Ministry & Program Expense	\$133,490.00
Facilities Expense	\$18,852.00

Total Operating Expense \$713,481.00

Net Operating Surplus/ (Deficit) **(\$39,513.00)**



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1,060

families in our parish

25

Baptisms

24

First Communion

35

Confirmations

14

Weddings

22

Funerals

228

children in Religious Ed

Serving Others

As we strive to love one another, good stewardship plays a key role. Stewardship isn't a code word for financial support. Stewardship is about doing the work of Christ and engaging our many resources to further the ministry and mission of Our Lord. Remembering that everything we have is a gift from our creator.

- St. Eulalia Sleigh and Angel Tree
- Easter Baskets for the poor
- Free Hot Meal program
- North Pocono Food and Dry Goods Pantry
- Welcoming Collections for refugees
- Outreach to the homebound and hospitalized
- 800+ service hours by students

...and so much more!

Making Disciples



Loving God