

# 2003 Report to Pastor

Cluster: 62  
Vicariate: Delaware

FS#: 2270  
School Code: D182

Parish: St. Dorothy

## 1. Demographic Profile

	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<b>1999-2003</b>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Registered Population	7,850	8,075	8,165	8,250	8,146	+ 296	+ 4%
Registered Households	2,484	2,520	2,550	2,575	2,766	+ 282	+ 11%
Priests Assigned <sup>(A)</sup>	2	2	2	2	2	+ 0	
Reg. Population/Priests	3925/1	4038/1	4083/1	4125/1	4073/1		
Reg. Households/Priests	1242/1	1260/1	1275/1	1288/1	1383/1		

## 2. Selected Sacraments/Services and Worship

	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<b>1999-2003</b>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Infant Baptisms	151	145	135	109	138	- 13	- 9%
Marriages <sup>(B)</sup>	44	45	59	45	42	- 2	- 5%
Funerals	79	90	87	98	89	+ 10	+ 13%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	1.91	1.61	1.55	1.11	1.55		
Mass (October Count):							
Number of Masses	5	5	5	5	5	+ 0	
Avg. Wknd. Attendance	2,902	3,004	2,914	2,814	2,395	- 507	- 17%
% Attending	37%	37%	36%	34%	29%		

## 3. Parish Religious Education Programs

	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<b>1999-2003</b>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Preschool	7	9	10	15	16	+ 9	+ 129%
Elementary (K-6)	355	356	340	350	251	- 104	- 29%
Junior High (7-8)	30	33	40	40	55	+ 25	+ 83%
Senior High (9-12)	-	-	-	-	-	+ 0	
Adults: <sup>(C)</sup>							
Catechumens (Never Baptized)	1	-	-	-	-	- 1	- 100%
Candidates (Profession of Faith)	9	10	10	9	1	- 8	- 89%

## 4. Parish School Enrollment

	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>	<u>2003-04</u>	<b>1999-2003</b>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>%</u>
Total Enrollment (all grades)	455	442	433	434	420	- 35	- 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.