

# 2006 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>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2002 - 2006</u>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Registered Population	28,437	25,650	24,819	23,930	23,810	-4,627	-16%
Registered Households	8,831	8,687	8,609	8,795	8,796	-35	0%
Priests Assigned (A)	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.0	-1.0	-10%
Reg. Population/Priests	2,844 /1	2,565/1	2,482/1	2,393/1	2,646/1		
Reg. Households/Priests	883 /1	869 /1	861 /1	880 /1	977 /1		

## 2 - Selected Sacraments, Services, and Worship

	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2002 - 2006</u>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Infant Baptisms	267	281	243	217	218	-49	-18%
Marriages (B)	91	91	75	65	67	-24	-26%
Funerals	305	299	249	268	287	-18	-6%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	0.88	0.94	0.98	0.81	0.76		
Mass (October Count)							
Number of Masses	25	24	25	28	28	3	12%
Avg Wknd. Attendance	6,704	6,457	6,367	6,369	6,167	-537	-8%
% Attending	24%	25%	26%	27%	26%		

## 3 - Parish Religious Education Programs

	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2002 - 2006</u>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Preschool	109	36	60	38	75	-34	-31%
Elementary (K-6)	1,155	917	1,111	802	922	-233	-20%
Junior High (7-8)	85	45	73	113	212	127	149%
Senior High (9-12)	1	19	17	9	2	1	100%
Adults: (C)							
Catechumens	3	4	7	7	2	-1	-33%
Candidates	7	10	6	6	9	2	29%

## 4 - Parish School Enrollment

	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2002 - 2006</u>	
						<u>Change</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Total Enrollment (Pre K to 8)	1,243	1,174	1,108	1,099	1,027	-216	-17%
Non Catholic Enrollment	22	19	17	9	21	-1	-5%

(A) Includes priests "assigned to the pastoral ministry of the parish" as reported from the Office for Clergy, June 2007. 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.