

2007 Report to Pastor

Holy Cross

FS: 2730 DP: 7105

Cluster 62

Vicariate: Delaware

1 - Demographic Profile

	<u>2003 - 2007</u>						
	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Registered Population	5,879	5,431	5,231	5,150	5,594	-285	-5%
Registered Households	2,431	2,148	2,143	2,150	2,210	-221	-9%
Priests Assigned (A)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	0%
Reg. Population/Priests	2,940/1	2,716/1	2,616/1	2,575 /1	2,797 /1		
Reg. Households/Priests	1,216/1	1,074/1	1,072/1	1,075/1	1,105/1		

2 - Selected Sacraments, Services, and Worship

	<u>2003 - 2007</u>						
	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Infant Baptisms	72	84	84	73	56	-16	-22%
Marriages (B)	32	37	35	21	26	-6	-19%
Funerals	95	102	95	80	84	-11	-12%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	0.76	0.82	0.88	0.91	0.67		
Mass (October Count)							
Number of Masses	5	5	5	5	5	0	0%
Avg Wknd. Attendance	1,469	1,547	1,387	1,354	1,291	-178	-12%
% Attending	25%	28%	27%	26%	23%		

3 - Parish Religious Education Programs

	<u>2003 - 2007</u>						
	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Preschool	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Elementary (K-6)	190	207	179	160	177	-13	-7%
Junior High (7-8)	14	16	41	62	66	52	371%
Senior High (9-12)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Adults: (C)							
Catechumens	0	4	12	1	16	16	0%
Candidates	4	0	1	2	0	-4	-100%

4 - Parish School Enrollment

		<u>2003 - 2007</u>						
SchCode		2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	Change	Percent
D206	Total Enrollment: (Pre K to 8)	436	447	431	411	403	-33	-8%

(A) Includes priests "assigned to the pastoral ministry of the parish" as reported from the Office for Clergy, June 2008. 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.