



Saint Andrew Parish

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LIVE GENEROUSLY

Stewardship 2019 & Annual Financial Statement



“The jar of flour shall not go empty,
nor the jug of oil run dry.” *1 Kings 17:14*

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday (Vigil) 4:00pm
Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, & 5:30pm

DAILY MASSES

Monday through Friday
9:00am in the chapel.

RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard in the Church on Saturday from 3:00pm to 3:45pm or by appointment. Call the rectory. 773-525-3016.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Hospitals no longer inform parishes about a patient's religious preferences. Please call the rectory directly for the Anointing of the Sick or Communion for the homebound. 773-525.3016.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are held on the first and third Sunday of the month after the 10:00am Mass. Call the rectory to schedule your child's baptism. 773-525-3016.

WEDDINGS

Wedding planning should begin more than 6 months prior to the proposed date. Call the rectory to begin the process. 773-525-3016.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions for the living and the dead can be offered at your request. Please come to the rectory to offer a Mass stipend.



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Learn

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Love

Our mission is fulfilled when we enter the world and in the presence of our families, friends, co-workers, and communities we are more capable of loving one another, as we have been loved.



Pastoral Letter

by Fr. Sergio Romo, Pastor

The image shows two overlapping documents. The top document is the 'Stewardship Commitment Form 2019' with fields for Name, Address, Age, Primary Phone, and Primary Email. It includes checkboxes for various commitment levels under three categories: Stewardship of Time, Stewardship of Talent, and Stewardship of Treasure. The bottom document is a 'Stewardship 2019 - Live Generously - Discernment Guide and Navigator'. It features the Saint Andrew Parish logo and the motto 'GATHER • LEARN • LOVE'. The central text reads: 'STEWARDSHIP 2019 - Live Generously - Discernment Guide and Navigator. You are invited to discover how your gifts can make a difference through living generously. Make your commitment to live generously in 2019.'

Dear Parish Family,

This Sunday we continue with the second two weekends at Saint Andrew Parish in which we invite you to consider your investment to the mission of Saint Andrew in our Annual Stewardship Commitment.

We are blessed to be a community of talented individuals from all over the country and city and even the world who make Lake View our common home. Our mission is to create a space in this neighborhood which gathers us together to impart the knowledge of God and God's saving love for all people so that the world can be transformed.

How will we do that in the year to come?

Our response to that question is really what stewardship is all about. We have the responsibility for utilizing our gifts to realize God's mission for us here in this community.

I ask that you complete the *Stewardship Commitment Cards* with me and use it as your guide in advancing the mission of Saint Andrew. Together, we will offer up our *Stewardship Commitment Card* during Mass. If you are not able to join us in this act of dedication, I invite you to return the cards to the rectory, in the offertory, or complete the commitment online at www.standrew.org/commitment. Thank you!

In Christ,
Fr. Sergio Romo, Pastor

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November Family Mass

Who: All Parishioners
 When: November 18, 2018, All Masses
 What: Monthly Family Mass—Children’s Choir
 Donuts and Coffee after Mass will be held in Gymnasium.
 Where: Main Church & Gymnasium

Generosity Sunday

Who: All Parishioners
 When: November 17 & 18, 2018
 What: Collections for those near and far.
 During Mass, a second collection will be taken for our sister parish in Uganda as we hear from Fr. Matthias. Also, our annual food drive will invite us to collect food for our local food pantries.

PARISH CALENDAR

Nov 11	8:00am 8:45a 10:00am 5:30pm 6:30pm	Mass Parent Session RE Mass Mass Young Adult Hangout <i>Commitment Weekend</i>	Nov 15	9:00am 3:00pm 3:00pm 6:30pm 7:00pm	Mass Irish Dance Fall Drama Webelos Scouts RE Parent Make Up
Nov 12	9:00am 3:00pm 3:00pm 6:30pm	Mass Puppy Players Violin Lessons VIRTUS Training	Nov 16	9:00am 2:00pm 3:00pm	Mass 2nd Grade Brownies 3rd Grade Brownies
Nov 13	9:00am 9:00am 3:00pm 7:00pm 7:00pm 7:00pm	Mass School Tour Encore Guitar Group Boy Scouts REBOOT	Nov 17	4:00pm 7:00pm	Mass ECE Cocktail Party
Nov 14	9:00am 2:00pm 7:00pm	Mass Daisy RCIA Meeting	Nov 18	8:00am 10:00am 4:00pm 5:30pm 6:30pm	Mass Mass Youth Group Mass Young Adult Hangout
			Nov 19	9:00am 3:00pm 3:00pm 6:30pm	Mass Puppy Players Violin Lessons Bears Scouts



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Transparency...

Every week in our bulletin there is something provided to help you, the reader, LEARN more.

This week, our “learning” material is the *Annual Parish Finance Statement*. We do this first and foremost so that we are transparent in the fiscal operations of the parish. The financial resources we have are sacrificial gifts from our fellow parishioners intended for the work of God through the Church.

At first, it looks like a series of numbers and columns which our financial and business leaders in the community will delve into with great ease. The rest of us may banter around the columns and look at the positives and negatives.

But for all of us, the most important thing to see in our financial report is the connection it has to our mission. When we see the resources that are spent on staff salaries, on upkeep of facilities, material resources, and the many other categories of expenses, hopefully we are reminded that financial support is a core part of our mission effectiveness. It is the contributions of hundreds of individuals and families that make Saint Andrew possible and yes, it costs money.

We submit this report on the same weekend that we are asked to make our *Annual Stewardship Commitment* to invest our TIME, TALENT, and TREASURE for the year ahead. We hope that the transparency provided through the help of the Finance Council will continue to forge the trust needed for all parishioners to know that their gifts generously given to the parish are used wisely, responsibly, and for the purpose of sharing God’s love and God’s salvation to all people.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK TO READ & PRAY AT HOME		
NOVEMBER		
Sunday 11	First Reading Second Reading Gospel Mass Intention 4:00pm (<i>Sat Vigil</i>) 8:00am 10:00am 5:30pm	1 Kgs 17:10-16 Heb 9:24-28 Mk 10:46-52 +Fernando Vinzons, Jr. +Theresa May Lim All deceased of the parish +Guido Espinosa +Teresita Salazar +Raul Salgado +Fanny Vela All deceased of the parish
Monday 12	First Reading Gospel Mass Intention	Ti 1:1-9 Lk 17:1-6 All deceased of the parish
Tuesday 13	First Reading Gospel Mass Intention	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14 Lk 17:7-10 All deceased of the parish
Wednesday 14	First Reading Gospel Mass Intention	Ti 3:1-7 Lk 17:11-19 All deceased of the parish
Thursday 15	First Reading Gospel Mass Intention	Phmn 7-20 Lk 17:20-25 All deceased of the parish
Friday 16	First Reading Gospel Mass Intention	2 Jn 4-9 Lk 17:26-37 All deceased of the parish
Saturday 17	First Reading Gospel Mass Intention (Saturday Vigil)	3 Jn 5-8 Lk 18:1-8 All deceased of the parish
Sunday 18	First Reading Second Reading Gospel Mass Intention 8am 10am 5:30pm	Dn 12:1-3 Heb 10:11-14, 18 Mk 13:24-32 All deceased of the parish +Philip Cooney +Mary Hoeven All deceased of the parish
<i>For daily readings, please visit www.usccb.org</i>		

ANNUAL PARISH FINANCIAL STATEMENT - Ending June, 30, 2018

SCHOOL	<u>School Revenue</u>	<u>6/30/2018</u>	<u>6/30/2017</u>
	Tuition & Registration		3,963,412
Less - Tuition Family Discount		(452,405)	(536,615)
Less - Tuition Assistance		(227,419)	(143,198)
Tuition Reinvestment Allocation		80,000	80,000
School Extra Activities		415,783	419,896
Fund Raising & Outside Funding		124,574	159,917
Total School Revenue		3,903,945	3,751,201
	<u>School Expenses</u>		
Salaries & Benefits		2,624,479	2,592,659
Educational (<i>Instructional & Programs</i>)		172,929	157,023
Tuition Reinvestment		80,000	80,000
School Extra Activities		361,673	349,169
Fund Raising & Outside Funding		104,929	136,771
Building & Utilities		215,945	240,670
Operational (<i>Office, Administrative</i>)		138,745	123,529
Total School Expense		3,698,700	3,679,821
School Operating Income (Loss) *explanation of this number at end of report		205,245	71,380

GYM	<u>Gym Revenue</u>	<u>6/30/2018</u>	<u>6/30/2017</u>
	Fees & Others		11,701
Rental		35,510	32,040
Total Gym Revenue		47,211	45,299
	<u>Gym Expenses</u>		
Operational		5,780	15,759
Building & Utilities		38,132	46,106
Total Gym Expense		43,912	61,865
Total Gym Operating Income (Loss)		3,299	(16,566)

FUND RAISING	<u>Fund Raising</u>	<u>6/30/2018</u>	<u>6/30/2017</u>
	Wearin' the Green (WTG) (Net)		162,070
A Date at the Lake/Golf Outing (Net)		26,635	34,337
Garage Sale (Net)		8,032	9,759
Lenten Fish Fry (Net)		3,953	3,535
Additional (<i>Drew's Dollar Net & 5k Run-Fr. Matthias Portion Net</i>)		5,549	9,161
Operational Expenses		(8,827)	(11,070)
Fund Raising Used for Parish Operating Income (Loss)		197,412	235,764

NON OPERATING

<u>Missionary Support</u>	<u>6/30/2018</u>	<u>6/30/2017</u>
Archdiocese 2nd Collections	11,357	12,596
Archdiocese 2nd Collections - Disbursements	(11,357)	(12,596)
Fr. Matthias-Sharing Contributions	15,681	17,530
Fr Mathias and Arch - Disbursements	(15,681)	(17,530)
5K Run to Fr. Matthias Kakooza Program	(5,635)	(6,030)
SPRED & Others Disbursements	-	(1,919)
Missionary Support Net	(5,635)	(7,949)
<u>Capital Items</u>		
Estates, Bequests	-	8,344
Casualty Insurance	-	(1,000)
"To Teach Who Christ Is" (<i>Capital Campaign</i>) (FY'18 Includes Interest)	466,947	724,468
"To Teach Who Christ Is" (<i>Capital Campaign</i>) - Disbursements	(273,000)	(121,238)
Auditorium Phase I - (<i>Cubs Charities Matching Grant</i>)	-	25,000
Auditorium Phase I (<i>Fund A Need</i>)	-	59,890
Auditorium Phase I - Disbursements	(118,392)	(84,890)
Auditorium Phase II (<i>Fund A Need</i>)	32,375	-
Auditorium Phase II (<i>Cubs Charities Matching Grant</i>)	25,000	-
Tuition Reinvestment Allocation	80,000	80,000
Tuition Reinvestment Allocation Disbursements (<i>\$80,000 for FY'18 has been allocated to Auditorium Phase II and will be disbursed in FY'19</i>)	-	(80,000)
Prior Years' Tuition Reinvestment	132,919	-
Capital Items Net	345,849	610,574

* The operating income of \$205,245 from the school was allocated after the books were closed for FY 17/18 on June 30.

Expenditures have been reinvested from the operating income for the following projects:

Bill from previous year	\$51,039
Auditorium Project Phase I Renovations	\$17,384
Auditorium Project Phase II Windows	\$59,700
Incidentals Fees	\$11,418
Cash June 30	\$65,704
Gymnasium Chimney Repair	\$14,200
School Parapet Wall	\$39,500
Net Operating Income	\$12,004

Many thanks to our dedicated Finance Council who worked numerous hours to provide oversight and clarity to this report.

Questions regarding the Annual Financial Statement?

Please consult Finance Committee Chair, Joan Carrigan joanmarie62@msn.com



BIRTHDAYS

Ann Ray Adkisson
Kaila Angeles
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Colleen Bansley
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Kristine Callahan
Catherine Casper
Violet Castiglioni
Audriane Caviolo
Tomas Cruz
Robert Davern

Christine Dmyterko
Penelope Downey
Brendan Geoghegan
Maureen Gilligan
Linda Holowinski
Mark Hytros
James Ingraffia
Michael Kelly
Susan Kelly
Lynn Kelly
Michelle Kouba
Michael Lawler
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Roberto Rodriguez
Casandra Ruhlow

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Patrick Shanahan
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Jax Soriano
Meghan Sullivan
Delaney Thuet
Matthew Tierney
Anna Tresnowski
Mary Villena
Jaimie Vogenthaler
Katherine Weinacht
Catherine Welsh
Stephanie Westergaard
Danielle Wrigley

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Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive



Thanksgiving Dinner for many in the Chicagoland area is marked by the joy of having family together with a great meal.

Unfortunately for many, that tradition is in jeopardy because of food insecurity. You can help!

Bring non-perishable food items for our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. We will collect items in the back of church the weekend of Sunday, November 18, 2018. All donations will be brought to the St. Thomas of Canterbury Food Pantry.



Second Collection - Uganda



Fr. Matthias Kakooza is in need of financial support for the administrative support of our sister parish in Uganda. During all Masses the weekend of Sunday, November 18, 2018, he will speak about the incredible work the parish is doing lifting people out of poverty and sharing with them the love of God. During the Mass we will hold a second collection to support this important ministry. Please be generous.



Get Involved

THANK YOU VETERANS!

This past week we held one of the great honors we have as Americans... to vote in a free and democratic election to determine our country's leaders.

This week we recall that this privilege is protected by men and women who have served our country through their personal sacrifice.

**Sunday, November 11, 2018
is Veteran's Day**

We thank all the veterans of our community and of our nation and ask for God's blessing upon you now and always. Thank you for your service.

Be sure to thank a veteran!

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Greeters - We want our community to be a welcoming community to all people! Help us make sure everyone is warmly welcomed into the Church by joining our greeters and Welcome Committee. Contact Megan@standrew.org to express interest.

Coaches - We are still looking for coaches to support our school athletic program in several sports (volleyball, basketball, etc). Contact matthewpope@gosaintandrew.com to express interest.

Family Mass Coffee and Donuts - Help to set up and clean up for Coffee and Donuts after the 10:00am Family Mass on Sunday, November 18, 2018. Contact Julie@standrew.org to volunteer.

Or goto www.standrew.org/volunteer

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Enrich - Expand - Grow

Through August '18

Income	1,299,187
Interest on Income	12,542
Total Income	1,311,729
Consulting Operating Expense	180,000
Archdiocesan Contribution	98,400
Church Lighting (Actual)	223,200
Church Lighting (Consultant)	10,480
Church Windows (Actual)	104,400
Total Expense	616,480
Balance	695,249

PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

October Offertory

Registered Households	1893
Envelopes Collection	9,790
Households Using Envelopes	149
Automated Giving	14,394
Individuals Giving Electronically	146
Loose Checks/Cash	4070
Total Offertory	28,254
Monthly Budgeted Expenses	38,500

2018 Annual Catholic Appeal

Parish Goal	27,648
Amount Pledged	61,134
Amount Paid	51,696
Participants	187



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Baptism:	Chris@standrew.org
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Priesthood / Lay Ministry Vocation	vocations.archchicago.org

FAITH FORMATION COMMISSION

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REBOOT For Adults:	David@standrew.org
Parish Mission:	Marcia Vinzons
One Book One Parish:	Clark McCain
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Theology on Tap:	Liam Hickey
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WORSHIP COMMISSION

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First Friday Adoration:	Vida Vinzons
Anointing of the Sick:	FrSergio@standrew.org
Communion for Homebound:	Eric@standrew.org

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NEW TO THE PARISH?

Welcome! We're glad you are with us! Whether you are just visiting or are settling down in Chicago and looking for your spiritual home, we are glad you are with us! Let us know how we can serve you!



Register with our parish online at www.standrew.org, call us at 773-525-3016. Or scan the QR code to the left.

STEWARDSHIP COMMISSION

Welcome Committee:	Missi Mannion
Annual Stewardship Appeal:	George Ghattas
Annual Catholic Appeal:	Chris@standrew.org
Capital Campaign Committee:	Julie@standrew.org
Facilities Committee:	Jose & Athena Medero
Parish Fundraising:	Julie@standrew.org
5k Race	Dede Soriano
Date at the Lake	Ben Whipple
Wearing the Green	— Help Needed —
Children's Garage Sale:	Carlyn McGreal
Fish Fry:	Nicci Fagan

To contact any of the individuals above or volunteer for the events, please email Julie at Julie@standrew.org.

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMISSION

Greater Chicago Food Depository	Nancy Holland
Meals with a Heart	Stephanie Mewborn
Job Ministry	jgsmith62@gmail.com
International Sister School/Parish —	
One Heart Uganda:	Kimberly Arndt
Parish to Parish	Fr. Matthias Kakooza
Local Sister School/Parish —	
St. Thomas of Canterbury/	Betty Grassi

CONNECT WITH US

Saint Andrew keeps in touch with our friends and parishioners through *Flocknote*. Receive our weekly e-bulletin and chose to receive periodic emails from groups within the parish that you want.

Please note that enlisting in Flocknote is different than being registered in the parish.

Text **Andrew** to 038408, go to www.flocknote.com/StAndrewChicago or use the following QR code.



Thank You to our Sponsors of Date at the Lake



The Giving Tree

EARLY Season's Greetings!

Saint Andrew Parish and School will again be partnering with St. Mary of the Lake and St. Thomas of Canterbury, located in the Uptown neighborhood, with a Christmas service project through a Giving Tree. Last year's project was incredibly successful and we helped over 550 students ranging from Pre-K – 8th grade stay warm over the cold, winter, Chicago months. We are getting a jump on the project and wanted to announce a few important, upcoming dates.

Starting **Sunday, November 18th**, following Family Mass, join us in the gym so our children can help cut out ornaments for our Giving Trees. The Giving Trees will be located in the back of the Church and in the school and be up and ready at the start of Advent on **Sunday, December 2nd**. We will also have volunteers handing out ornaments each morning at drop off and each afternoon at pick up starting **Monday, December 3th – Friday, December 14th** with our **“MOBILE GIVING TREE”**. That is when Saint Andrew families will be able to select these ornaments off the trees and begin their holiday shopping.

As a reminder, here's how it will work:

Each child/student from St. Mary of the Lake and St. Thomas of Canterbury is going to receive a gift from a Saint Andrew family (families can take more than one child if they choose) equaling **no more** than \$25.00. This gift will include two (2) **NEW** items from a pair of gloves/mittens, socks, a winter hat or scarf. 90% of these students are immigrant families and are often taken aback by how cold Chicago winters are. How thankful these children will be to have two brand new gifts this Christmas!

We will announce future deadlines on when these winter warmth items will need to be collected so please stay tuned, but for now, we hope you and your families will join us on **Sunday, November 18th** after Family Mass and kick off the holidays in a giving way!

Thank you for all your support!

