

2008 Report to Pastor

Our Lady of Charity

FS: 2095 DP: 7280

Cluster 67

Vicariate: Delaware

1 - Demographic Profile

	<u>2004 - 2008</u>						
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Registered Population	5,514	5,293	5,075	4,694	4,976	-538	-10%
Registered Households	2,370	2,264	2,143	2,063	2,053	-317	-13%
Priests Assigned (A)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	0%
Reg. Population/Priests	2,757/1	2,647/1	2,538/1	2,347 /1	2,488 /1		
Reg. Households/Priests	1,185/1	1,132/1	1,072/1	1,032/1	1,027/1		

2 - Selected Sacraments, Services, and Worship

	<u>2004 - 2008</u>						
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Infant Baptisms	48	37	42	40	27	-21	-44%
Marriages (B)	11	20	18	16	12	1	9%
Funerals	68	53	69	26	73	5	7%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	0.71	0.70	0.61	1.54	0.37		
Mass (October Count)							
Number of Masses	5	4	4	4	4	-1	-20%
Avg Wknd. Attendance	1,418	1,270	1,207	1,122	1,053	-365	-26%
% Attending	26%	24%	24%	24%	21%		

3 - Parish Religious Education Programs

	<u>2004 - 2008</u>						
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Preschool	5	5	0	6	6	1	20%
Elementary (K-6)	145	144	140	150	144	-1	-1%
Junior High (7-8)	0	15	42	21	56	56	0%
Senior High (9-12)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Adults: (C)							
Catechumens	5	5	2	0	0	-5	-100%
Candidates	1	4	4	2	0	-1	-100%

4 - Parish School Enrollment

		<u>2004 - 2008</u>						
SchCode		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Change	Percent
D167	Total Enrollment: (Pre K to 8)	330	289	245	212	203	-127	-38%

(A) Includes priests "assigned to the pastoral ministry of the parish" as reported from the Office for Clergy, June 2009. 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.