

2008 Report to Pastor

St. Bede the Venerable

FS: 2370 DP: 7630

Cluster 31

Vicariate: Bucks

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	10,828	10,571	11,130	11,412	11,974	1,146	11%
Registered Households	3,507	3,044	3,081	3,279	3,447	-60	-2%
Priests Assigned (A)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	-1.0	-33%
Reg. Population/Priests	3,609/1	3,524/1	3,710/1	3,804 /1	5,987 /1		
Reg. Households/Priests	1,169/1	1,015/1	1,027/1	1,093/1	1,724/1		

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	80	75	66	74	59	-21	-26%
Marriages (B)	37	27	24	20	28	-9	-24%
Funerals	42	61	53	58	51	9	21%
Baptism/Funeral Ratio	1.90	1.23	1.25	1.28	1.16		
Mass (October Count)							
Number of Masses	6	6	6	6	6	0	0%
Avg Wknd. Attendance	3,284	3,317	3,377	3,444	3,521	237	7%
% Attending	30%	31%	30%	30%	29%		

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	40	39	39	51	54	14	35%
Elementary (K-6)	680	687	667	674	665	-15	-2%
Junior High (7-8)	40	37	19	27	30	-10	-25%
Senior High (9-12)	0	15	0	0	0	0	0%
Adults: (C)							
Catechumens	1	2	0	4	2	1	100%
Candidates	1	2	3	6	1	0	0%

4 - Parish School Enrollment

	<u>2004 - 2008</u>						
SchCode	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Change	Percent
B138	475	450	419	400	356	-119	-25%

Total Enrollment: (Pre K to 8)

(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.