



St. Mary of the Assumption St. Vincent de Paul Society

In 2023 St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Mary's of the Assumption Parish responded to 461 visits/requests for food assistance. As of November 1, 2024 we have had 506 visits.

This is due to an increase cost of living, brought on by increased rents, shortage of affordable rental units and increased utilities.

Thank you for your ongoing support over the past several years. Your gift of treasure in helping the less fortunate is greatly appreciated.

Below is a summary to show the increase in need over the past four years.

	2021	2022	2023	2024
Households/Families	41	131	147	178
Adults	72	158	191	245
Children	101	103	115	183
Visits	380	422	461	506

St. Vincent de Paul Society depends heavily on the generosity of many individuals who collectively enable us to provide food to people in our community.

At Christmas we assist many families with food hampers and gifts, to help make their Christmas a little brighter!

This has been possible with the help of our own parishioners, St. Julia Church St. Vincent de Paul Society, our parish Catholic Women's league, St. Anthony's School, St. Peter's School, Denis Morris High School and the Knights of Columbus.

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Average weekly gift of treasure coming in through the poor boxes is \$168.56

Month	Total Donations	Total Expenditures	Bell Mobility	Gift Cards	Groceries	Misc.	
January	2,798.50	2,244.49	50.40	1,380.00	624.09	190.00	
February	2,706.30	3,673.62	35.03	1,760.00	1,510.76	367.83	
March	3,008.25	1,367.88	54.24	300.00	925.24	88.40	
April	2,786.45	3,233.97	54.24	1,620.00	1,559.73	-----	
May	2,961.55	2,364.19	54.24	1,150.00	1,159.89	0.06	
June	3,115.25	3,360.81	40.23	1,250.00	1,529.48	541.10	
July	4,070.95	4,124.66	39.55	1,750.00	2,211.39	123.72	
August	3,246.15	2,819.51	39.55	1,220.00	1,444.48	115.48	
September	3,348.25	4,542.20	48.89	2,150.00	2,229.83	113.48	
October	1,861.35	2,233.49	75.19	790.00	1,179.27	264.22+ pending bank charges	
November							
December							
TOTAL As of October	29,903.00	30,040.01	491.56	13,370.00	14,374.16	1,804.29	

Miscellaneous includes thank you cards, stamps, toiletries, and monthly bank fees, flowers for funerals, Regional SVDP dues and gifts.