



2021 BISHOP'S Annual Appeal

2021 BAA begins throughout the Diocese of Charleston

The **Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA)** is a primary source of funding to help sustain and expand the ministries of the 93 parishes, 20 missions, 33 Catholic schools, and multiple agencies throughout the Diocese of Charleston. As a steward of God's gifts, you are invited to support the needs of our Diocese through your prayers and sacrificial gifts.



Bishop's Annual Appeal Funding – \$4,000,000

Catholic Charities – \$950,000

- Food Pantries
- Disaster Relief Services
- Pregnancy Case Management
- Clean of Heart Laundry & Shower Facilities
- And many more services

Ministry and Outreach – \$850,000

- Ethnic Ministries and Programs
- Child Protection Services
- The Office of Family Life
- And many more services

Vocations – \$750,000

- Seminarians
- Permanent Diaconate
- Women Religious

Catholic Schools – \$650,000

- Tuition Assistance
- Catholic School Grants

College Campus Ministry – \$400,000

- Conferences and Statewide Retreats
- Minister and Student Training
- Catholic Student Center Spaces
- And many more services

Youth & Young Adult Ministries – \$250,000

- Conferences and Retreats
- Education and Training

Retired Priests – \$150,000

- Healthcare Assistance
- Retirement Pensions



Next week, all registered parishioners will be mailed their personalized information packet and invitation to participate in the **2021 Bishop's Annual Appeal**. Please take the time to review the materials and make your response in the return envelope provided.

Only by your prayers and generosity are the ministries supported by the **Bishop's Annual Appeal** able to thrive and serve the many people who need us to share with them the love and mercy of Jesus Christ.

Thank you for making a difference!