



# Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

It is my privilege to present the financial report for the central administration of the Archdiocese of Omaha for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019.

I remain grateful to God and to all of you for the spiritual and material blessings we share in our mission to make Jesus Christ known. Your continued support of the Archbishop's Annual Appeal and of your own parish communities helps to fund essential services and apostolates which touch the lives of thousands throughout northeast Nebraska.

The regular and active oversight of our financial operations by the Archdiocesan Finance Council is an essential aspect of good stewardship. Our annual audit performed by the independent accounting firm Lutz & Company has once again found no material problems with our financial practices and procedures.

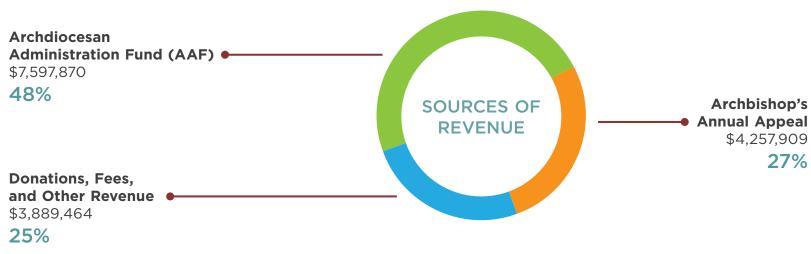
Please join me in thanking God for His many gifts, and in humbly asking Him for the graces to be faithful to our archdiocesan vision: One Church, encountering Jesus, equipping disciples, and living mercy.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend George J. Lucas

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# **REVENUE**



Stewardship (ACD, Archbishop's Dinner for Education)	\$703,145
St. John Vianney Residence	\$550,912
Seminarian Collection	\$368,529
The Catholic Voice	\$365,179
Music in Catholic Schools	\$255,722
Family Life Ministries Fees	\$236,033
Youth Events	\$234,684
Other Revenue (Refunds, Interest Income, Rents)	\$197,245
Priest Support Donations*	\$149,877
Unrestricted Donations	\$141,767
Safe Environment**	\$139,124
Catholic Schools	\$90,694
Archdiocesan Retreat and Conference Center	\$56,543
Facilities (Rent, Maintenance Services)	\$50,584
Evangelization, Catechesis Program, and Event Fees	\$47,444
Hispanic Ministry Program Fees	\$45,079
Rice Bowl / CCHD Special Collections	\$40,162
Clergy Conferences	\$39,986
IT Fees	\$39,568
Young Adult Ministry (Fees for Totus Tuus, Conferences, and Activities)	\$37,700
Communications Special Collection	\$29,835
Black Catholic Ministry Grant	\$20,000
Office of the Archbishop	\$16,372
Finance Fees	\$15,200
St. Cecilia Institute Fees	\$14,485
Tribunal Fees	\$3,595





# Archbishop's Annual Appeal

The Archbishop's Annual Appeal funds many ministries—religious education programs, youth ministry, sacramental preparation, food pantries, Catholic schools, and more—which serve people across the 23 counties of our archdiocese.



# Archdiocesan Administration Fund (AAF)

The AAF is an assessment paid by every parish in the archdiocese. It is calculated as a percentage of a rolling average of the previous six fiscal years' Sunday collections revenues.

<sup>\*</sup>Donations for Priest Support provide for priests on sabbatical, disability, or for continuing education.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes fees for parish background checks for Safe Environment compliance as well as fees for the Circle of Grace program.

## **EXPENSES**

\$240,677

\$79,292

#### **Support Services Expenses**

#### **Program Expenses**

CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION	
Chancery Operations	
(Utilities, Maintenance, and Insurance	(ڊ

Office Supplies, Legal Fees, and Other Administrative Costs	\$473,912
Nebraska Catholic Conference Assessment	\$291,561
USCCB Assessment	\$57,543
Papal Support	\$50,000
Grants to External Apostolates	\$274,340

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ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	

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Archdiocesan Retreat and Conference Center	\$144,601
Data Support	\$205,711
Facilities and Sheehan Campus	\$887,174
Finance Office	\$670,119
St. John Vianney Residence	\$541,349
OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP	\$267,283
VICAR FOR CLERGY	
Servant Minister	\$64,834

Support for Priests (Sabbatical, Disability,	\$542,126
or Continuing Education)	
HUMAN RESOURCES	\$351,130

## **PASTORAL PLANNING VICTIM OUTREACH & PREVENTION OFFICE**

Safe Environment Programs	\$159,253	
Victim Assistance	\$198,877	

#### **CHANCELLOR**

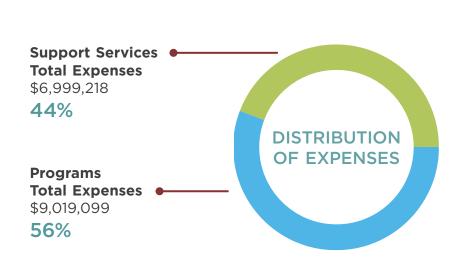
Administration	\$494,470
Office of Missions & Justice	\$40,162
Jail/Prison Ministry	\$6,769

#### **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY OFFICE**

Personnel, Software, and Hardware \$958,035

#### **OFFICE OF EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS**

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Evangelization and Catechesis programs	\$566,840
Youth Ministry	\$226,003
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS	
Catholic Schools Office	\$727,806
Music in Catholic Schools	\$248,753
THE CATHOLIC VOICE	\$845,667
CENTER FOR FAMILY LIFE FORMATION	
Marriage and Family Life Programs	\$416,648
Respect Life Apostolate	\$134,076
STEWARDSHIP & DEVELOPMENT OFFICE	
Grant Distributions	\$441,680
Events and Programs	\$220,602
Administration	\$706,899
ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL See Next Page	
External Distributions	\$1,387,512
Administration	\$238,865
METROPOLITAN TRIBUNAL	\$496,226
HISPANIC MINISTRY	\$119,440
OFFICE OF VOCATIONS	
Vocations Staff, Events, and Promotions	\$281,404
Seminarian Tuition, Stipends, and Benefits	\$1,059,586
Permanent Diaconate Formation	\$152,705
MAV Catholic, Young Adult, Totus Tuus	\$194,793
Wayne Campus Ministry	\$92,256
OFFICE FOR DIVINE WORSHIP	
Salaries, Musicians, and Training	\$461,338





### **EXTERNAL DISTRIBUTIONS**







Total	\$2,216,699
Urban Parish Rebates	\$34,087
Rural Parish Rebates	\$44,301
Youth Ministry Grants	\$21,409
School of Faith	\$450,680
Religious Formation	\$50,204
Teacher Scholarships	\$144,209
Awaken Greatness	\$25,318
Catholic School Consortium	\$515,528
Excellence Fund Grants	\$930,963

\$3,023,638 of the Annual Appeal funds archdiocesan programs and support services.



Most Rev. George J. Lucas

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