

Collaborative Parishes of Sacred Heart and St. Thomas More

Community Report

Updated June 2018

Dear Friends,

We have so much to be grateful for heading into this summer, our staff and volunteers felt it only appropriate to share all that is going on in our parishes and community. Coming up on completing five years as pastor of Sacred Heart and four years as pastor of St. Thomas More, I am excited about what we have accomplished together and awed by the continuous confirmations from our Lord that we are on the right path.

In the pages that follow, you will see the real numbers that represent the real people that are impacted by the ministries and work of our community of faith. You will find a listing of all of the ways that you can participate in this work, and I invite you to prayerfully consider how you can make an impact.

The Body of Christ is you and I, together living out what He has called us to. This can manifest itself in many ways. We all should answer His call in our own way, but in a very real way.

For just as a body without a spirit is dead, so also faith without works is dead.

James 2:26

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Fr. Sean

Fr. Sean Connor, Pastor

Stewardship

Stewardship is our response to the way God has already blessed us. I invite you to support the parish in the most significant way possible not for financial gain, but because I believe so strongly that these parishes can and should be a profoundly positive influence in the Weymouth and Braintree communities.

Please consider how you can help.

Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you.

Luke 6:38

Time

How can you grow in prayer to support one another? Our faith has many forms of prayer for you to grow in relationship with God.

Talent

What gifts do you have to share with our community? Our ministry directory has many ways for you to live out your Catholic calling.

Treasure

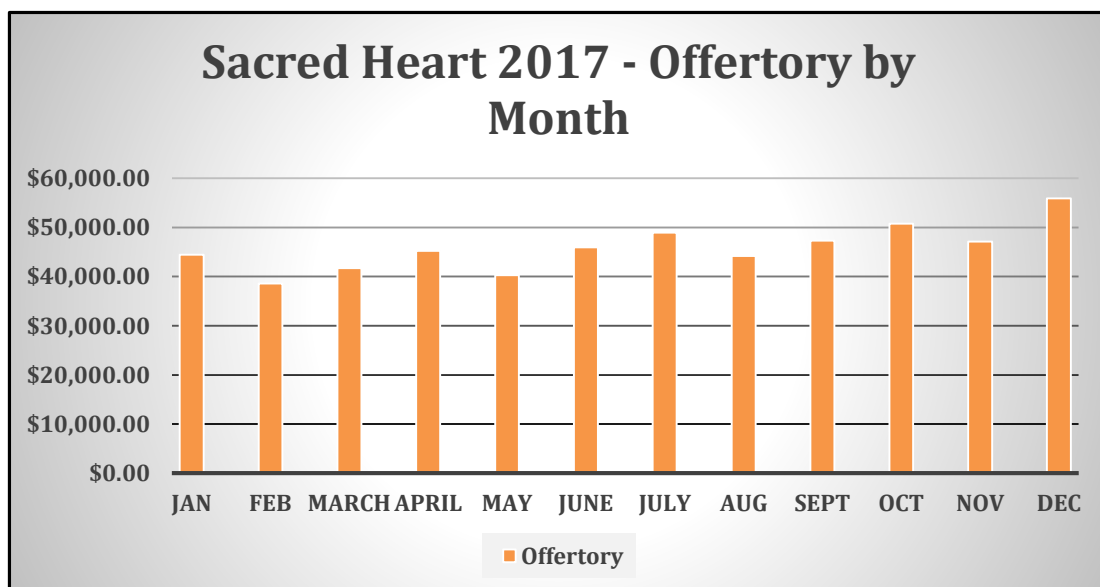
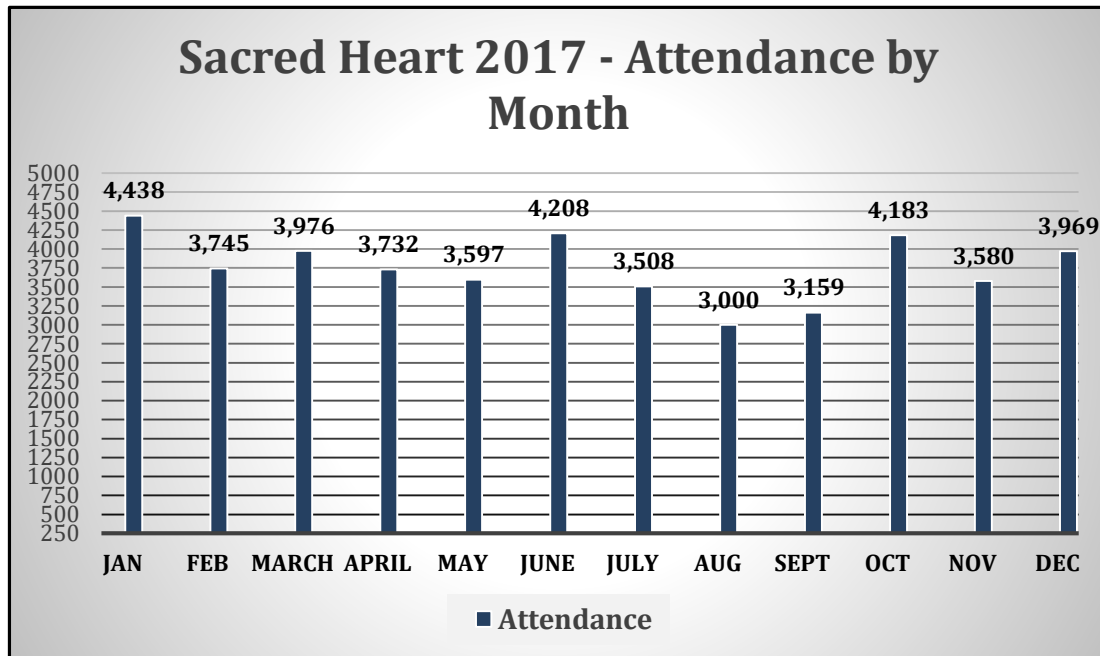
How much you are able to give is for you to decide, our community depends on your support. Please give with:

Intentionality – prayerfully discerning how much you can give

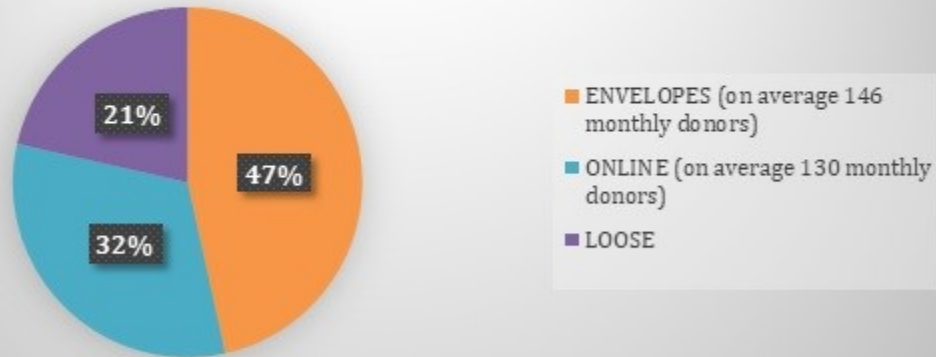
Consistency – ensuring stability for our ministries

Commitment – consider your support annually, and commit to that level

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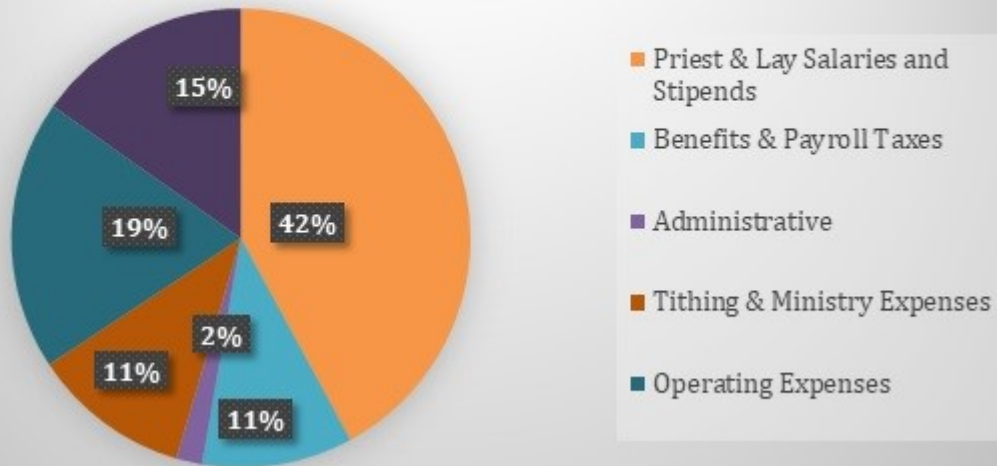


Sacred Heart 2017 - Annual Offertory Breakdown (79% from identified donors)



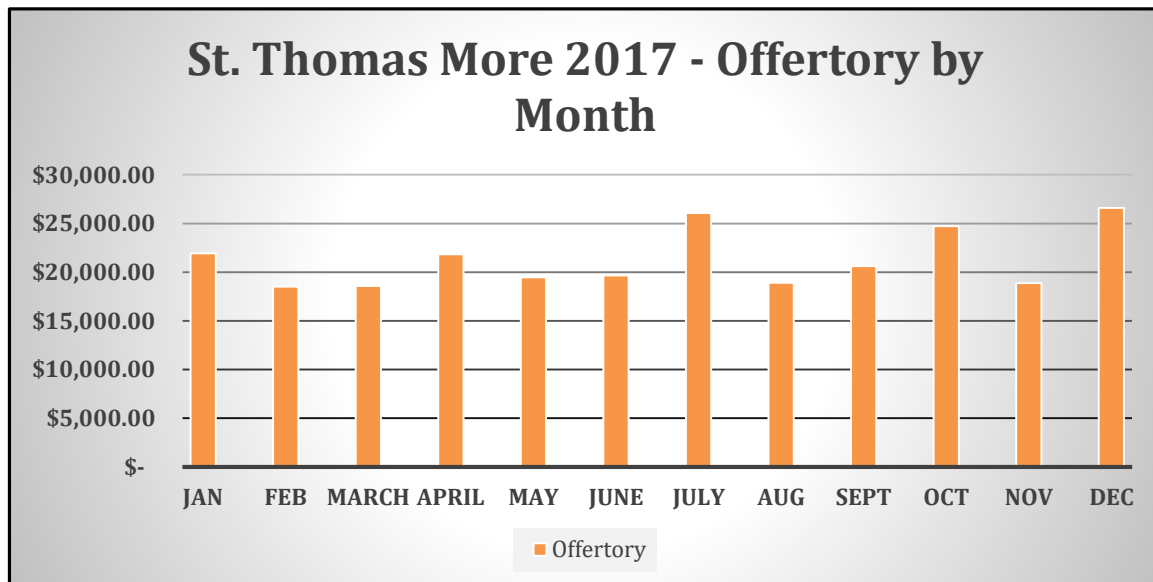
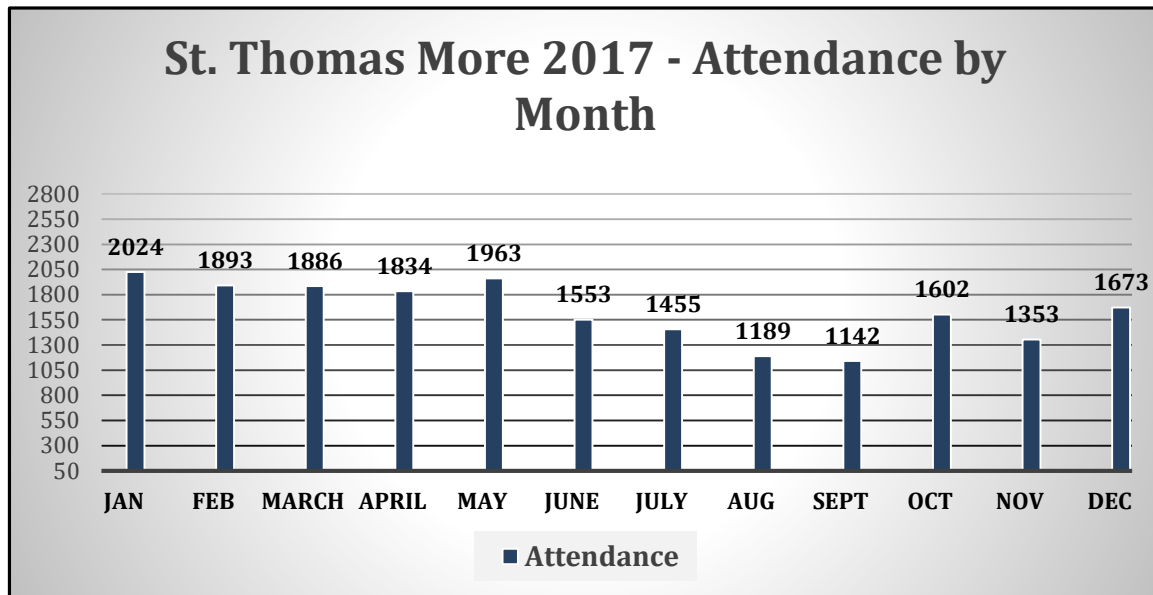
Identified donors include 276 parishioners/families out of ~1,200 active and 3,300 registered parishioners/families.

Sacred Heart - Expenses for the Twelve Months Ended 12/31/2017

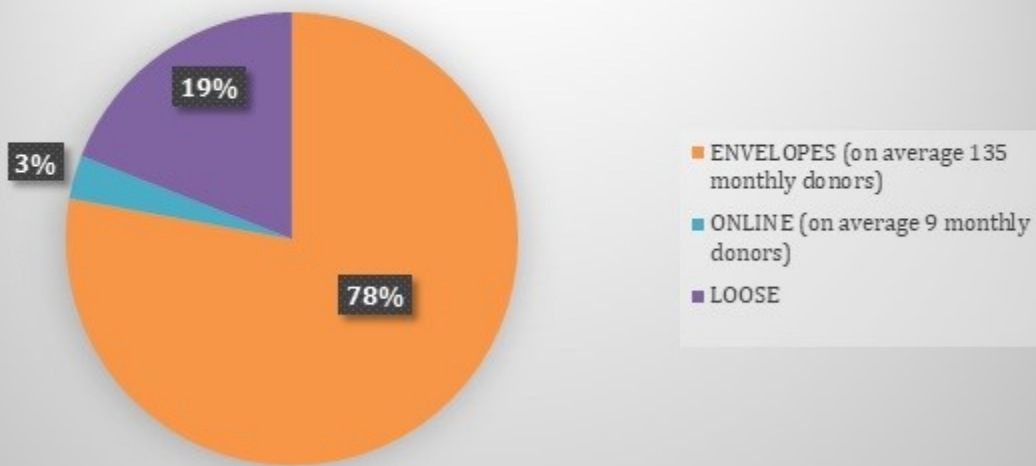


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STM: Attendance & Offertory

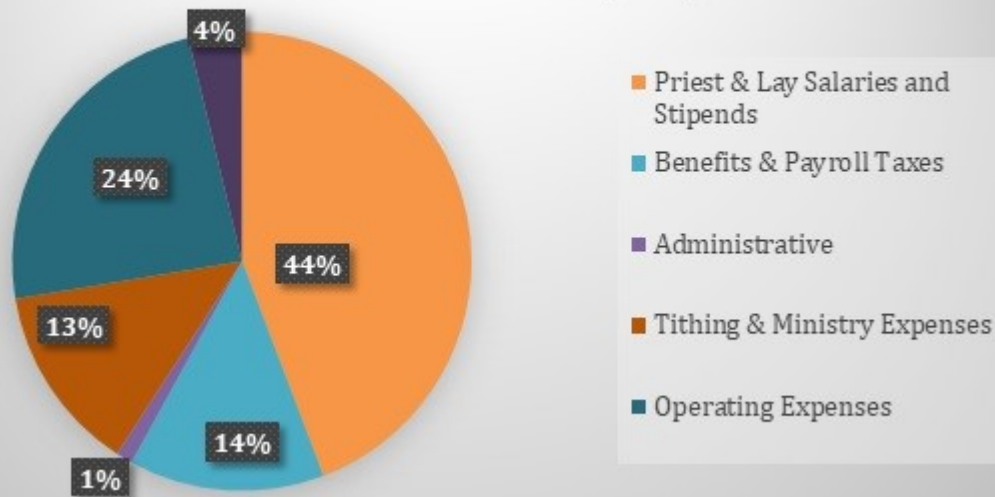


St. Thomas More 2017 - Annual Offertory Breakdown (81% from identified donors)



Identified donors include 144 parishioners/families out of ~650 active and 1,500 registered families.

St. Thomas More - Expenses for the Twelve Months Ended 12/31/2017



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