

St. Matthew Tithing Report 2017

Your offertory giving supports more than just the 100 plus ministries of St. Matthew. St. Matthew is a tithing parish. Over 10% of our offertory collections are given away to charity to fund various national and international needs. In addition, St. Matthew extends a helping hand through our diocesan collections, catholic schools tuition assistance and the Diocesan Support Appeal. **Because of our parishioners' generosity, St. Matthew was able to contribute a total of over \$3,000,000 during 2017!** The following details the 2017 St. Matthew gifts of assistance.

	2017 Contribution		2017 Contribution
Organization/Purpose:			
Parish Family and Counseling Assistance	\$ 108,841	Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem	10,095
A Child's Place	1,000	LifeTeen, Inc.	8,482
Agape Dental Ministry	500	Love Inc.	1,500
ANSWER	3,500	Lumberton, NC Disaster Relief	1,436
Assistance League of Charlotte	2,500	Matthews Free Medical Clinic	2,000
Brookstone School	9,000	Matt Talbot Group Recovery Retreat	1,300
Care Ring	2,000	McCracken Rest Home	500
Catherine's House, Inc.	5,000	Men's Shelter of Charlotte	42,000
Catholic Charities, Charlotte, NC	31,155	MiraVia, Inc.	2,500
Center for Community Transitions	1,000	Missionaries of the Poor	10,000
CMS - Gen-ONE Charlotte	10,000	Missionary Servants of the Most Blessed Trinity	5,000
Community Culinary School of Charlotte	12,000	Operation Rice Bowl	5,951
Council for Children's Rights	1,000	Pat's Place Child Advocacy Center	1,000
Crisis Assistance Ministry	5,000	Pooler Catholic Community	5,000
Daughters of the Virgin Mother	1,000	Project Harar	2,500
Dilworth Center for Chemical Dependency	1,000	Propogation of the Faith/ Peru	18,782
Diocese of Satna, India	24,241	Salvation Army Center of Hope	15,000
Disaster Relief	86,289	Servants With A Heart	45,000
Eparchy of St. Maron	6,600	Shelter Health Services	2,500
FOCUS	2,500	St. Etienne, Kananga, DR Congo	2,350
Friendship Trays, Inc.	2,500	St. Gerard House	1,000
Hands for Holly Fund	1,000	St. Mary's Syro-Malabar Catholic Church, Charlotte, NC	10,000
H.E.L.P. Crisis Pregnancy Center, Monroe, NC	500	St. Peregrine Ministries	5,000
Holy Angels	250	Supportive Housing Communities	20,000
Holy Redeemer Church, Andrews, NC	5,500	UMAR	1,000
Hope Haven, Inc.	5,000	Union County Crisis Assistance Ministry	5,500
House of Mercy, Inc.	5,000	Urban Ministry Center	10,000
Jackson Park Ministries	100	Waxhaw Police Department	800
		Monsignor McSweeney World Hunger Drive	277,921
Total Direct Support			848,093
Diocesan Collections Supported by St. Matthew:			
Priests' Retirement			264,147
Combined International/National			25,118
Campaign for Human Development			18,839
Religious Retirement			29,911
Seminary & Priests' Continuing Education			24,719
Combined Mission			31,121
National Shrine Trinity Dome			8,316
World Mission Sunday			23,504
			425,675
Catholic Schools Subsidy (Tuition Assistance)			920,516
Diocesan Support Appeal			834,178
TOTAL PARISH GIFTS OF ASSISTANCE			\$ 3,028,462
As generous distributors of God's manifold grace, put your gifts at the service of one another, each in the measure he has received.			
1 Peter 4:8-10			