

St. Matthew Tithing Report 2021

Your offertory giving supports more than just the ministries of St. Matthew. St. Matthew is a tithing parish. Over 10% of our offertory gifts 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 \$2,887,313 during 2021!** The following details the 2021 St. Matthew gifts of assistance.

	2021 Contribution		2021 Contribution
Organization/Purpose:			
Parish Family and Counseling Assistance	\$ 59,805	Friends of the Josephinum	3,000
Agape Dental Ministry	1,000	GenOne	5,500
ANSWER	5,000	HELP Pregnancy Center, Monroe, NC	2,500
Assistance League of Charlotte	10,500	Hope Haven, Inc.	5,000
Brookstone School	5,000	House of Mercy, Inc.	1,000
Care Ring	2,500	Loaves & Fishes	10,000
Catherine's House, Inc.	1,000	Matthews Free Medical Clinic	2,000
Catholic Charities, Charlotte, NC	5,000	MiraVia, Inc.	2,500
Catholic Charities, Owensboro, KY - Disaster Relief	25,000	Msgr. McSweeney World Hunger Drive	291,851
Catholic Extension, Catholic Kinship Project	20,000	National Shrine of St. Peregrine	200
Catholic Relief Services - Hurricane Relief	6,312	Operation Rice Bowl	3,534
Charlotte Family Housing	10,000	Roof Above	27,223
Community Culinary School of Charlotte	5,000	Safe Alliance	5,000
Council for Children's Rights	1,000	Shelter Health Services	2,500
Crisis Assistance Ministry	20,000	St. Joseph Seminary	1,000
Daughters of the Virgin Mother	4,500	The Bridge to Recovery	2,000
Dilworth Center for Chemical Dependency	5,000	Thompson Child and Family Focus	1,000
Diocese of Bridgetown, Barbados - school assistance	5,000	Turning Point of Union County	5,000
Diocese of Gikongoro, Rwanda, Africa	20,743	Union County Community Shelter	5,000
Diocese of Satna, India	20,000	Union County Crisis Assistance Ministry	10,000
Divine Mercy Catholic Church, Kenner, LA	10,000	Waxhaw Police Foundation	1,000
Eparchy of St. Maron	5,000		
Total Direct Support			\$ 634,168
Diocesan Collections Supported by St. Matthew:			
Priests' Retirement			185,597
Combined International/National			16,692
Campaign for Human Development			13,790
Religious Retirement			26,897
Seminary & Priests' Continuing Education			19,339
Combined Mission			19,572
World Mission Sunday			15,334
			\$ 297,221
Catholic Schools Subsidy (Tuition Assistance)			\$ 1,161,299
Diocesan Support Appeal			\$ 794,625
TOTAL PARISH GIFTS OF ASSISTANCE			\$ 2,887,313

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