

## 2009 SPIRITUAL REPORT

The following was submitted to the Chancery as our Spiritual and Educational Report for the year ending December 31, 2009.

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| <b>Number of persons in the parish</b> .....  | <b>11,000</b> |
| Number of FAMILIES ON FILE .....  | 3,177         |
| AVERAGE ATTENDANCE AT SUNDAY MASS.....  | 1,265         |
| Number of BAPTISMS.....   | 108           |
| Number of FIRST COMMUNIONS.....   | 102           |
| Number of CONFIRMATIONS.....  | 67            |
| Number of MARRIAGES.....  | 25            |
| Number of FUNERALS.....   | 35            |
| Number of CONVERSIONS .....   | 10            |
| Number of Holy Communion for the Infirm and Housebound.....   | approx 100    |
| Number of students in our four Elementary Schools.....  | 1,350         |
| Number of parish students in St. Anne's School .....  | 60            |
| Number of parish students in the two Catholic High Schools<br>(Resurrection C.S.S.: 10 St. Mary's C.S.S.: 340).....     | 350           |
| Number of students not attending Catholic Schools<br>receiving religious education through Correspondence Courses ..... | 1             |

### RESIDENTIAL INSTITUTIONS TO WHICH WE MINISTER

- Doon Village Retirement Residence
- Emmanuel Village
- Grand River (Freeport) Health Centre
- Fergus Place Retirement Residence
- Trinity Village Retirement Residence

### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

- Catholic Women's League
- Funeral Ministry
- Legion of Mary
- St. Aloysius Parish Food Pantry
- Finance Committee
- St. Aloysius Men's Group
- Parish Community Environment Committee
- Residential Institution Volunteers
- Social Awareness Committee
- Special Projects Sub-committee
- Traditional, Contemporary & Funeral Choirs
- High School Youth Group (Y.T.O.L.)
- Liturgical Life Committee
- Parish Management Council

### ADDITIONAL SPIRITUAL EVENTS DURING 2009

- Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
- Baptismal Preparation
- Eucharist & Confirmation
- Morning & Evening Prayer
- Lenten Evenings of Prayer for Priests
- Rite of Christian Initiation of Children
- Book Fairs
- Series on Christian Meditation
- Sacramental Preparation (for families celebrating 1st Recon., 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharist, Confirmation)
- Stations of the Cross
- Signed Liturgy for the Deaf
- Divine Mercy Devotion
- Scripture Study "Celebrating the Word"
- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
- Parish Breakfasts
- Parish Potlucks