

# Ministry Reports

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## Canonical Report from the Bishop September 2024 – September 2025



### Official Visitations in 2024:

St. Matthew's	Fairbanks
Good Shepherd	Huslia
St. Mary's	Anchorage
St. Peter's	Seward
St. John's	Ketchikan
Holy Spirit	Juneau
St. John's	Allakaket

### Official Visitations in 2025:

St. Stephen's	Ft. Yukon
St. Brendan's	Juneau
St. Peter's	Sitka
St. Matthew's	Fairbanks
St. Mark's	Nenana
Holy Trinity	Circle
St. Augustine's	Homer
St. Brendan's	Juneau
St. James	Kodiak
St. James	Tanana
Holy Spirit	Eagle River
Good Shepherd	Huslia
St. Stephen's	Ft. Yukon
St. Andrew's	Petersburg
St. John's	Ketchikan
St. George's	Kotzebue
St. Timothy's	Chalkytsik
St. Peter's	Seward
St. Matthew's	Fairbanks

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<b>Confirmed</b>	20	@	St. Mary's, Anchorage- 4 St. Stephen's, Ft. Yukon- 9 Good Shepherd, Huslia- 3 St. Timothy's, Chalkyitsik- 4
<b>Received</b>	4	@	St. Mary's, Anchorage
<b>Installations</b>	1	Matt DuFour	St. David's, Wasilla
<b>Letters Dimissory</b>	0		
<b>Acceptance of Letters Dimissory</b>	1	Betty Glover	Diocese of Kansas
<b>Retirements</b>	1	Teresa Thomas	
<b>Non-Canonical-Licensed</b>	1	Lydia Wilson	Extension of Ministry, Birchwood Camp
<b>Parish Changes</b>	0		
<b>Necrology</b>	0		

### Small Mission Clergy:

(4) Congregations, (4) Clergy

Enoch Adams	Serving	Epiphany Kivalina, Kivalina
Marilyn Duggar	Serving	St. Mark's, Nenana
Mary Nathaniel	Serving	St. Stephen's, Ft. Yukon
Matt DuFour	Serving	St. Francis, Kenai

**Ordinations: 3** Erin Tulip, Ross McKay, Hannah Moderow

### Accepted into the process for Holy Orders 2024-2025

Nominee: 0

Postulants: 0

Candidates: 0

### Those Currently in Process:

Postulants: (2) Kevin Higgins, Helen Stafford

Candidates: (4) Janette Dementi, Judy Gau, Kris Green, Erin Tulip (priesthood)

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Name: Suzanne Krull Committee/Deanery/Ministry: Canon for Finance & Administration

1. Please highlight the **activities/events and/or projects** of your ministry/committee since last year's convention.
  - **Maintain high standards for financial reporting, following GAAP (Generally Accepted Accounting Principles).** Ensure that our finances are audited by an outside agency. The 2024 audit was completed and reviewed by Standing Comm., August 2025. The annual Treasurer's Review (internal financial review/audit) was completed in April 2025.
  - **Developed 2026 budget that reflect the bishop's vision and strategic plan.** Managed, with the Standing Committee, budget changes/recommendations throughout 2024 and 2025.
  - **Assist in the administration of the Prison Ministry Grant Program, which is overseen by the Standing Committee.** No applications were received in 2024, to date, One has been received for 2025, deadline Oct 11 .
  - **Acted as the Bishop's Staff liaison to various diocesan committees including Standing Committee, Investment Committee, FIT Committee, Convention Budget Committee, etc.;** providing support, reporting, logistics, continuity, and guidance. To date two applications have been received, deadline Oct 11.
  - **Continued to work with Church Pension Group to ensure our insurance needs are met and pension plans, for both clergy and lay employees, are provided per General Convention resolutions and TEC canons.**
  - **Manage and stay current on the Denominational Health Plan, including the potential impact Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA) may have.** A copy of said policy can be found on the diocesan website. Coordinate with The Medical Trust on medical/dental, etc. insurances for eligible employees.
  - **Attended all four deanery meetings, this year they were all in-person.** Met with the Interior Executive Committee to assist in planning and executing, their in-person deanery meeting & ministry goals.
  - **Assisted congregations with administrative and other issues as they arose and made visitations with Bishop Mark to congregations requesting assistance.** Provided support to the Interior Deanery Executive Committee & Arctic Coast Deanery leadership. Assisted and continue to assist St. Andrew's, Petersburg as they prepare to sell the property.
  - **Continue to provide Human Resource support to the staff and congregations.**
  - **Provide administrative and financial support to congregations as needed, including but not limited to insurance & property matters, financial, budget and accounting matters, employment issues, pastoral needs, etc.** Provided webinar and support for the significantly changed 2024 Parochial Report and gather necessary information that is no longer captured on the Parochial Report.

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- Continued implementation of the Small Mission Clergy Program. We currently have four congregations participating. We will continue the program in 2026; funding for the program is included in the 2025 & 2026 Budget.
- Engage with the College of Congregational Development in the Diocese of Olympia for partnering in ministry. Sent one congregational team: St. David's Wasilla as participants. The plan is to send three to four congregational teams in 2026.
- Continue to work with Julie Lytle, Director of Distributive Learning Initiatives & The Rev. Mary Crist, Indigenous Theological Education Coordinator for The Episcopal Church to explore exciting opportunities for further education through programs called: Pathway to Baptismal Living & Two plus Two.
- Continued enrollment in a diocesan Membership to TENS (The Episcopal Network for Stewardship), allowing resources to be available to all our congregations.
- Provide administrative and program support for the planning and implementation of Diocesan Convention. Explored electronic voting vendors to prepare for 2026 online Convention. The planning, coordination and execution of this endeavor is extensive; it has and continues to consume a great deal of time and energy.
- Work with congregations that have vacant clergy positions and are in various stages of a clergy search process to understand the administrative and financial impacts. Provide support with position listing and advice and counsel to search committees and search committee chairpersons.
- Network with Province 8 Transition Ministers and attend Spring/Fall meetings.
- Assisted with the transition of Dancing with the Spirit as an independent and separate non-profit, after 18+ years as a ministry of the Diocese.
- Working on the implementation of a Planned Giving, including wills portal with Freewill. The plan is to have the implementation completed and the portal go "live" by mid-November.
- Please see the enclosed financial reports, including 2026 Diocesan Budget, Congregational Pledge Reports, Parochial Report Data, and 2024 Financial Section of Delegate Packets
- Was part of the Standing Committee's task force to work on the creation of a Diocese of Alaska Truth Telling Commission. Applications are being accepted online with deadline of October 11, 2025

2. Tell us about the **goals** of your ministry for the upcoming year:

My goal is to continue to provide for the administrative needs of the Bishop's Office and diocese. The first priority is to ensure that our finances are recorded accurately and timely and our accounting systems and procedures follow GAAP, Generally Accepted Accounting Principles. Continue to work with the auditors to ensure we are compliant with the new Non-Profit Accounting Rules. Continue providing congregational development tools with the continued implementation of the Small Mission Clergy Program, the participation of congregational teams to the College for Congregational Development and providing regional licensed ministry training events. Assist the Standing Committee as they forge through the

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hard work of truth-telling, remembering, reckoning, repairing, restoring and reconciling.

Other administrative needs include insurance, pension, legal issues, property issues, building and ground maintenance, implementation of the Medical Insurance Policy which supports the DHP (Denominational Health Plan) Canon, monitor impact of and ensure compliance with Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA) on our policies and practices.

Support congregational ministry by providing deanery funding to be used at the discretion of each deanery for their congregational ministry development. Provide support to the deanery structures, as requested.

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| 3. Stewardship. | Do you receive support from the Diocese? | Yes |
|                 | If Yes, are you within budget?           | Yes |
|                 | Are you raising additional funds?        | No  |

Please explain your overall financial situation: **The current estimate for the diocese is to be within budget by year-end 2025. The Administrative Expenses are also within budget.**

4. Please share any other **comments or concerns** that you have regarding your ministry.

I would like to publicly acknowledge and thank the other members of the bishop's staff for tremendous effort and accomplishments made with very limited resources and in very trying times. In particular, I would like to say a special *Thank You* to Lynnette Winfrey-Frank, the Administrative Assistant; she continues to go "above and beyond" to support this ministry. I'd also like to say *Thank you* to Melissa Ward, the Bishop's Assistant/Receptionist for providing support needed to attend to the administrative arm of the bishop's office.

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Name: Lynnette Winfrey-Frank, Administrative Assistant  
Committee/Deanery/Ministry: Bishop's Staff

1. Please highlight the **activities/events and/or projects** of your ministry/committee since last year's convention.

**Provide bookkeeping and administrative support to Suzanne Krull, Canon for Finance and Administration. My main responsibilities are financial bookkeeping of accounts payable and receivable, bank and credit card reconciliations, payroll, and journal entries. Maintain insurance and property files.**

**Accounts payable - Receive and code all incoming bills, so I can give them to Suzanne for approval and to ensure that there is proper backup and documentation for each bill or contract. Enter bills into QuickBooks then print and mail checks or enter as electronic payment if payment is set up that way. Maintain files for all vendors. We looked into a couple on online bill payment systems this year.**

**Accounts receivable - Receive and code all income and donations. Prepare deposits to enter the online banking system to remotely deposit checks at the diocesan office. If there is cash, I take directly to the bank to deposit. I do a printout of all deposits, code and give to Suzanne for approval then enter deposits into QuickBooks. Maintain files for all deposits by month.**

**Payroll is done biweekly for diocesan staff and monthly for small mission clergy. Gather timesheets and reimbursements. Code reimbursements and give to Suzanne/Bishop Mark for approval. Enter payroll into QuickBooks to for direct deposits. Print out payroll liabilities and payroll summary for pay period then go online to make sure all liabilities are paid. Do journal entries for all reimbursements. Maintain files for all payroll and liability payments.**

**Parochial Reports for all our congregations are due March 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. Log onto the website to keep track of congregations who have turned them and contact the ones who have not. Help the congregations over the phone if the internet is not good in some of our villages. Enter information here. Send out reminders by email to congregations and if can't get a response start making phone calls.**

**Audit** – The audit started in June. I assist Suzanne in gathering all the documents requested by the auditors. Answer their questions and file all documents once they are done.

**Convention** - Send out convention mailings and assist with updating the website with convention registration. Also log on to our website that organizes our registrations. Send travel authorization to Corporate Travel Management. Keep track of all delegates who have registered, paid, and booked their travel. Make copies of the convention documents and put packets together for delegates and visitors. Put name badges together for everyone who has registered. Box everything up so that everything gets to convention on time and in one piece. Make sure we have everything we need for the convention i.e., folders, pens, labels for packets and name badges.

Make sure I keep up to date with all QuickBooks, Online Banking and Parochial Report filing information.

Send out mailings/emails during convention, parochial report, property/liability insurance, and pledge letters.

Maintain insurance and property files. Pull documents for Suzanne or Bishop when needed.

CPG is going live online in October 2025 with the new bill pay system. Will need to help some congregations set up their bill pay system through the CPG website.

Update website when needed.

Answer phones when receptionist is out and take messages.

I am a notary and I notarize documents when needed for Bishop and Suzanne.

Other duties include watering the flowers during summer.

2. Tell us about the **goals** of your ministry for the upcoming year:

**My goal is to continue doing my job here at the diocese.**

3. <b>Stewardship.</b>	Do you receive support from the Diocese?	Yes_	No_
	If Yes, are you within budget?	Yes_	No_
	Are you raising additional funds?	Yes_	No_

Please explain your overall financial situation:

4. Please share any other **comments or concerns** that you have regarding your ministry.

**It will be 25 years here at the diocese in December 2025. I have really enjoyed working here with everyone and I am absolutely blessed by each one of you every year during the convention. Thankful to all the people who I have met through the years.**

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Name: ***Melissa Ward*** Committee/Deanery/Ministry: **BRH**

1. Please highlight the **activities/events and/or projects** of your ministry/committee since last year's convention.
  - **Maintain Bishop's calendar- Scheduling and adjusting as needed.**
  - **Arrange Bishop's travel and visitations. This can include, but not limited to, signing up for conferences, maintaining contact before the event, making travel arrangements to the destination (rental car, bus, train, etc), booking hotel accommodations, finding out what services will be needed at Visitations (baptism, Confirmation, etc.), and Preparing a folder with all of this information, in an organized fashion for easy retrieval.**
  - **Maintain Bishop's Log- This log is used to fill out the Canonical Report each year. As well as keeping a historical record of his time in this Diocese. The log contains all services he has provided, ordinations, postulants, SMC and much more.**
  - **Maintain all records for the Bishop: some examples are; notices form other diocese on actions with clergy, items pertaining to the different parishes, important emails, Lay Leader documents, Process to Holy Orders- files for individuals, Individual Clergy Files, and much more.**
    - **I am still working on scanning all the Clergy files (active, retired, moved, and deceased) into digital files. I take each file, organize it into the desired categories, make cover sheets for those categories, then I scan each packet into the individual's digital file. This is so that all the files will be set up exactly the same in the physical file and the digital file; for continuity and ease of reference when needed. This is a slow process and I work on it when I am not doing my regular tasks.**
  - **I have also created a spreadsheet file that has All of our clergy and lay, their contact information, ordination information and more. I have different tabs for different information groups that are referenced regularly. I created this in a hope to make it easier for me and any future secretaries, to have continuity and all the pertinent information at their fingertips.**

- Respond to the needs of those who call on us for prayer, funeral, and other services; finding clergy when Bishop is not available. Then helping to arrange their travel, (Travel Authorizations), and maintaining a file on the Authorizations for Lynnette.
- Create any documents, certificates, or any other required forms. I also order the Baptismal, Reception, Confirmation, and grandparent cards that Bishop and Clergy use.
- Diocesan Convention- I will make the liturgy and help with any other preparations Bishop may have. At convention I assist Bishop, Clergy, and other attendees however possible.
- Assist with correspondence. Proofread, make suggestions and then produce the resulting document.
- Locate any needed information for the Bishop.
- Monthly Ordination Anniversary Cards. Keep list of dates, put together each months' cards with names (and according to Priest or Deacon). Once Bishop has filled out the cards for that month, I mail them off. I also post the names on the Clergy Facebook Page each month to celebrate.
- Provide overall support and attention to the Bishop as needed So that he may perform his tasks Effectively.

#### **Supporting the Diocese Office:**

- Answer calls, emails, and other forms of correspondence.
- Order all supplies for the Bishop and the office staff. Keep rotating stock of necessities (Office supplies, Bathroom products, cleaners, PPE, etc.)
- Produce the mailing Labels for our office, churches, clergy, and any other groups as needed.
- Website- I add, remove, and update items on the website per request from Staff.
  - Examples- Update the Committee members after convention each year. Add events like the convention each year and post the documents needed (and update as they change).
- I am working on creating an SOP (standard operating procedures) for my position. This will help others if they need to take care of a task in my absences. This is an ongoing task; as the items change with technology.
- Yearly Diocesan Calendar- Produce the picture, get approved, and then order the desired quantity so that they arrive in December. Once in stock, I advertise that the calendars are available, take orders, and ship them out. I created a spreadsheet to keep track of who ordered, when they were mailed and when they were paid for. I use this to help decide how many to order next year.
- Provide support and hospitality for the clergy and other visitors.

- **“Thank you” letters.** When we receive payments/donations, Lynnette makes the deposits, After, a list of the Deposit is given to me and I create the letters, print them with a printed envelope and mail it out. One copy of the letter is also give back to Lynnette for her records.
- **Create the weekly Newsletter, upon approval, I then send it out, post it to FB groups/main page.**
  - **Part of making the newsletter is creating Bishop Post on our website, adding the article to the newsletter with a link to the Website page that the article is listed.**
- **General Convention-** Enter the list of delegates and alternates, work on each phase of housing for convention, help make any changes that happen from the first phase of convention until the convention starts. Provide any other support needed.

2. Tell us about the **goals** of your ministry for the upcoming year:

- ✓ **I will continue the lengthy process of scanning the files to create digital records.**
- ✓ **I will continue adding to the SOP for future use**
- ✓ **I will continue to give the best customer service to our visitors, clergy, churches, and staff here in the office.**

3. **Stewardship.** Do you receive support from the Diocese? Yes\_ No \_ **X**  
 If Yes, are you within budget? Yes\_  
 Are you raising additional funds? Yes\_ No\_  
 No\_

Please explain your overall financial situation: N/A

4. Please share any other **comments or concerns** that you have regarding your ministry.

**I have stated every year how this “job” is a blessing, that the people I work with are a blessing, and that I am thankful they chose me for this position 7 years ago. Well, that has not changed, and you will probably read these words every year in this report. I put in “” that this is a job. It does not feel like a job to me. It feels like a calling. I look forward to any time that I can help anyone in the office or who calls in with a need. I do not take what I do lightly, and I hope to be sitting at this desk helping all of you for a long time. May the Lord be with all of you!**

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Name: **Lauran Pifke**

Committee/Deanery/Ministry: **Standing Committee**

**1. Please highlight the activities/ events and/or projects of your ministry/ committee since last year's convention.**

The main project of our committee was the plan to support the work involved in "Telling the Truth about The Episcopal Church's History with Indigenous Boarding Schools." We formed a task force that will accept applications to form a truth and healing commission (see attached report). We asked for and are prepared to accept stories about Alaska Native Saints and Spiritual Leaders, either written, voice recorded, or in video form. We are currently acting as the Bishop's Committee for St. Peter's, Seward. We assisted them in sorting out their finances and we supported their application for a grant from the Rasmusson Foundation to cover the cost of an Historical American Building Survey, which is the first step in their historic preservation plan. We approved the sale of St. Andrew's, Petersburg and Dancing with the Spirit's formation of their own non-profit organization. We also interviewed and recommended 3 candidates for Holy Orders: Erin Tulip to the priesthood, Judy Gau, and Jeanette Dementi-Edwards to the diaconate. We consented to several bishop's ordinations, received the Annual Diocesan Audit report, and recommended the 2026 budget to Convention. It has been a busy year!

**2. Tell us about the goals of your ministry for the upcoming year:**

Our goals for the coming year are to continue the work on research and begin to implement a plan for reconciliation and reparation regarding the Indigenous Boarding Schools, to continue to monitor the financial statements, and to implement any new Convention resolutions.

<b>3. Stewardship.</b>	Do you receive support from the Diocese?	Yes
	If Yes;are you within budget?	Yes
	Are you raising additional funds?	No

Please explain your overall financial situation:

**4. Please share any other comments or concerns that you have regarding your ministry.**

I am extremely grateful for the dedication and hard work that the members of this committee have shown and done. Thanks to: Barbara Collison (Arctic Coast), John Holz (Interior), Julie Platson (Southeast), Maggie McKay (Southcentral), Nancy Burke (Bishop's appointment), Michael Lukshin (Southeast), Enoch Adams Jr. (Arctic Coast), and Judy Gau (Interior). And a BIG thank you to Suzanne Krull, who keeps us organized. They are all truly faithful members of the Body of Christ, and it has been an honor and a privilege to serve with them.

# The Episcopal Church Truth Telling about Indigenous Boarding Schools

Committees and work focusing on Truth Telling:

- The Episcopal Church A127 commission formed by General Convention in 2022 and the Executive Council committee, MW062 formed in the spring of 2022 are two bodies that were created with related purposes at the national church level.
- The Diocese of Alaska also passed a resolution at the 47<sup>th</sup> Convention in 2022 supporting the Episcopal Church's truth telling initiative about Indigenous boarding schools and identifying work to be conducted at the Diocesan level.

## Background information:

**MW062 – the Executive Council of ECUSA, April 2022:** Executive Council met in the spring prior to the general convention of 2022 and passed a resolution creating a 'Committee on Native Boarding Schools and Advocacy' to examine the Episcopal Church's role in boarding schools either run by the Episcopal Church or other denominations. This committee named Leora Tadgerson as chair, who is Anishinaabe and Director of Reparations and Justice for the Diocese of Northern Michigan.

- The Executive Council of The Episcopal Church, meeting on April 20-23, 2022, acknowledges and mourns the devastation caused by Indigenous Boarding Schools during the 19th and 20th centuries and commits to investigate and tell whatever is true about The Episcopal Church's involvement with these schools.
- *Resolved* that Executive Council create an Executive Council Committee for Indigenous Boarding Schools and Advocacy as a Committee of Executive Council, charged with guiding and overseeing three initiatives:

(1) the gathering of historical information about Indigenous Boarding Schools that had any relationship to The Episcopal Church, including information revealing the nature and extent of that relationship (the Gathering Initiative),

(2) the curation of the gathered information in a collection, housed in the Archives of The Episcopal Church, that will tell the story of the schools' relationship to the Church and their impacts on Indigenous Episcopalians, even until today (the Story Initiative), taking care to interweave the stories of Episcopal Indigenous boarding schools with the ongoing Native oppression and white supremacy, and

(3) the development and implementation of a plan for gathering information and hearing stories about the varieties of ways that Indigenous and Native peoples are subjected to unequal treatment by the federal government, state governments, and

other authorities, including information provided by the ongoing investigation by the U.S. Department of the Interior, and, in conjunction, the development of proposals for advocacy and other action responding to the issues identified (the Advocacy Initiative). The Advocacy Initiative shall include in its focus, but not be limited to, information and stories about missing and murdered Indigenous women, girls, and two-spirits whose deaths have not been investigated by authorities, as well as the lack of reporting and collecting of statistics on missing and murdered Native and Indigenous women, girls, and two-spirits.

**2022-A127- General Convention in July 2022:** General Convention passed a resolution authorizing a commission to investigate the Episcopal Church role in boarding schools. Native Alaskan leader, Pearl Chanar is a co-chair of this commission along with Warren Hawk from South Dakota.

The A127 resolution states:

“The dioceses of The Episcopal Church will be strongly encouraged to, before the 81st General Convention, begin to gather information from boarding school survivors and their descendants about the experiences of Indigenous children and families in Episcopal run and/or supported residential boarding schools within the territorial jurisdiction of that diocese.”

- Phase 1 the work is to conduct research of historical records and archives to reveal how many schools were in existence in each Diocese, the role of the Diocese and the roles of people who attended, including those who died at the institutions.
- The Commission hired Dr. Veronica Pasfield as an archival specialist to conduct this research.
- Currently there are 30 identified boarding schools. It was noted that in AK the US government created day schools in tribal locations. The impact of these schools will also be considered by the commission.

Activities called for by the commission/committee include:

- Identify 4 pilot areas to begin the work in obtaining research in conjunction with local historians. Alaska has been identified as one of the pilot areas.
- Develop a strategic plan to narrow the directives to accommodate the budget and time allowed and to develop priorities
- Gathering stories from survivors
- Create healing centers

### **Resolution 2021-01 and 2022-03: Diocese of Alaska support for the work of the A127 commission**

At the 46<sup>th</sup> and 47<sup>th</sup> convention of the Diocese of Alaska, resolutions were passed supporting the work of the Episcopal Church and General Convention in telling the truth of the intergenerational and historic trauma extending from the experiences of indigenous people who were forced into boarding and residential schools and the resulting abuse of children.

#### **Resolution 2021-01 (see attached for the full resolution)**

**Resolved**, that the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska recognizes the important work of truth and reconciliation in establishing right relationships, and the important need to “spend time with our Indigenous siblings, listening to their stories and history, and seeking their wisdom about how we can together come to terms with [...our history];” and be it further

**Resolved**, that the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska supports Bishop Mark Lattime’s pledge to hold our church accountable to this work and, along with our elected Deputies to General Convention and Standing Committee, to ensure that Alaska Native voices, wisdom, and experience will be included in the Episcopal Church’s pursuit of truth and reconciliation with respect to the history of Indigenous schools operated by the Episcopal Church; and be it further

**Resolved**, that the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska Deputies to the 80th General Convention, along with the bishop, will report on this work to the 47th Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska (2022).

**Resolution 2022-03 (see attached for the full resolution)** followed up this charge by directing the Standing Committee of the Diocese to put together a plan and budget to support the work identified in the General Convention A127 commission resolution:

- Be it therefore resolved that the Convention of the Diocese of Alaska direct the Standing Committee to put together a plan and budget to support the work identified in the above resolves here in Alaska to include at a minimum, research into archives of the diocese, the various congregations of this diocese, and the State of Alaska; and
- Be it further resolved that this plan be reported in time for the 2023 Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska; and
- Be it further resolved that the funding identified in this plan be included in the budget to be presented to the 2023 Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska; and
- Be it further resolved, that congregations are strongly urged to assist deaneries and other diocesan bodies in inviting and recognizing self-identifying boarding school survivors and their descendants in Alaska whether or not they are members of any congregation and gently encouraging them to share their stories; and that organizers

make provisions for a wide range of accessible and culturally competent mental health and trauma-informed supports during this process, in order to provide safety for all, and

- Be it further resolved that the congregations of this diocese are urged to include a prayer for survivors and their descendants during their intercessory prayers on the Sunday closest to Indigenous Peoples' Day, which is October 9th this year.

To fulfill this responsibility, the Diocese has two people working to gather initial research information and to assist the A127 commission. Adam Lees and Jake Lambers have volunteered to assist in this role. Bishop Lattime, who is also an A127 Commission member has coordinated activities with Dr. Veronica Pasfield along with Pearl Chanar and the commission to ensure Alaska is participating fully with the efforts.

### **Next Steps:**

### **The Standing Committee is forming a Diocesan Truth Telling Commission**

Truth Telling Commission will be appointed by and report to the Standing Committee.

Commission's work:

Assist in carrying out and implementing the Diocesan Resolutions.

Components:

- ✓ A listening component
- ✓ A truth telling component
- ✓ A healing component

Commission make-up

- Must be an episcopalian
- Nine-person Commission
  - 6 Alaska Native/Indigenous Members
  - 3 Non-Indigenous Members
- At least one person from each deanery, if possible
- Initial terms 1, 3 or 5 year, with possible renewal of terms
- Alaska Native/Indigenous Led

There will be many opportunities to be a part of this important work, beyond being on the commission. Information will need to be gathered broadly from all parts of Alaska.

Spending time with our Alaska Native siblings and seeking their wisdom and recommendations on how we can come to terms with the history of Episcopal boarding school is vital. The Truth Telling Commission will be leading and guiding us and the listening, truth telling, healing and reconciliation needs all of us.

Application process will open June 11, 2025, and close October 11, 2025. Applications will be available online. The Standing Committee will review the applications and make appointments at their November in-person meeting. The goal is to have the first gathering of the Commission in early 2026.



# Draft: Truth Telling Commission Application

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**Episcopal Diocese**  
**OF ALASKA**

## The Episcopal Diocese of Alaska

### Application for the Truth Telling Commission

The Standing Committee is taking applications to form the Truth Telling Commission, a nine member commission of Alaska Episcopalians, with a minimum of six Indigenous members and indigenous led.

Appointed by the Standing Committee per

Diocesan Convention Resolution 2022-03: Resolution Supporting The Episcopal Church's Truth Telling about Indigenous Boarding Schools

#### Name

#### Address

Country




Phone Number:


Cell phone number is preferred.

Is this a cell phone?

☐ Yes

☐ No

 Email

 Email Confirm

re-enter email address to confirm

***Please check to ensure you have entered your Email address correctly.***

I am

- ☐ Indigenous
- ☐ Non-Indigenous

We desire (6) six out of the (9) nine members of the Commission shall be Indigenous

**Help us understand how your background will support the work of the commission.**

Why do you want to be on the commission

**Length of Terms**

- ☐ 1 Year
- ☐ 3 Year
- ☐ 5 Year

Please select the term length you'd like to serve.

1st Choice

Select your first choice from the roles; that you would like to serve on the commission.

Drop down Menu:

- Doing the Work of the Commission – attend all meetings
- Elder Advisor – provide council
- Project Management
- Mental Health Support
- Note Taking
- Story Sharing
- Event Coordinator

2nd Choice

Select your second choice from the roles; that you would like to serve on the commission.

3rd Choice

Select your third choice from the roles; that you would like to serve on the commission.

What Episcopal Congregation/Church are you attending now?

The Commission will be made of  
Alaska Episcopalians

Is there anything else you want to share with us?

If there is something you'd like to share with the Standing Committee that wasn't asked, please provide here.

Preferred method is on-line

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First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ AK Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ (required)

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☐ Indigenous ☐ Non-Indigenous

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Help us understand how our background will support the work of the commission:

Why do you want to be on the Commission?

Select the length of term you'd like to serve:

☐ 1 Year      ☐ 3 Year      ☐ 5 Year

Select your 1<sup>st</sup> choice from the roles below by placing a (1) in the box, then select your 2nd choice from the roles below by placing a (2) in the box, and select your 3rd choice from the roles below by placing a (3) in the box.

☐ Doing the work of the commission – attending all meetings    ☐ Project Management  
☐ Elder Advisor – provide council    ☐ Mental Health Support    ☐ Note Taking  
☐ Story Sharing    ☐ Event Coordinator

What Episcopal Congregation/Church are you attending now?

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Is there anything else you want to share with us?

(Is there something you'd like to share with the Standing Committee that wasn't asked, please provide here: )

# Episcopal Diocese of Alaska

## Ministry Report

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_Jan Hotze  
Commission on Ministry

1. Please highlight the **activities/events and/or projects** of your ministry/committee since last year's convention.

The commission has met monthly to review the progress of those who are in the process of ordination, to make recommendations to the Bishop on the readiness for ordination and to discuss ministry within our Diocese.

2. Tell us about the **goals** of your ministry for the upcoming year:  
Our plans include continuing meeting with aspirations, postulants and candidates as required by canons. We will continue to assist in providing mentorship as needed.

3. **Stewardship.**

Do you receive support from the Diocese?	Yes
Yes, are you within budget?	Yes
Are you raising additional funds?	Yes_

Please explain your overall financial situation: We meet via zoom, but budget for at least one face to face meeting

4. Please share any other **comments or concerns** that you have regarding your ministry.  
Our Diocese has ventured more extensively into the provision of the Eucharist in smaller parishes by the training and licensing of Worship Leaders. The training of WLs is handled by our Bishop. We are enriched by and thankful for their service to their parishes and people. The Com stands ready to work with those WLs that might want to explore ordination to the diaconate or priesthood.

*If you need more space, please feel free to use additional pages.*

## Episcopal Diocese of Alaska Ministry Report

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Name: HUGH BELLERT  
Committee/Deanery/Ministry: Investment Committee

1. Please highlight the **activities/events and/or projects** of your ministry/committee since last year's convention.

*See Attached*

2. Tell us about the goals of your ministry for the upcoming year:

*See Attached*

3. Stewardship.

Do you receive support from the Diocese?

Yes\_

No\_ ☒

If Yes, are you within budget?

Yes\_

No\_

Are you raising additional funds?

Yes\_

No\_

Please explain your overall financial situation:

4. Please share any other **comments or concerns** that you have regarding your ministry.

*All credit to The members of The Investment Committee: Rev. Michael Burke, Steve Ericson, Diane Hegman, Charlotte White and ~~Sara~~ Canon Suzanne Hull, ex officio*

## MINISTRY REPORT AS OF 6/30,2035

1. The Investment Committee pursued its duties of tracking loans from the Developmental Loan Fund and overseeing the Diocese's investment portfolio as assigned by the Standing Committee.

The the outstanding balance of the DLF loans as of June 30, 2025 is \$455,209.- , an increase of about \$3600.- from the end of 2024, but including a new loan of \$30,000.- to St. Brendan's Juneau. In addition there is a loan to St. Matthew's Fairbanks from Faith into Tomorrow funds with a current balance of \$2900.

All loans are current! This is an achievement made possible by the work of Canon Suzanne Krull. Her creation of the systems for tracking the loans and handling loan applications is a superb achievement.

The April 20024 to April 2025 Return on the Diocese's investment portfolio is 7.2 percent, in line with relevant indices.

2. The goals of our ministry are 1) To be available to review loan requests from parishes around Alaska for money for building needs; and 2) To continue to work with investment professionals to maximize portfolio returns consistent with a conservative investment profile. For both these activities we depend on the outstanding work of Canon Suzanne.



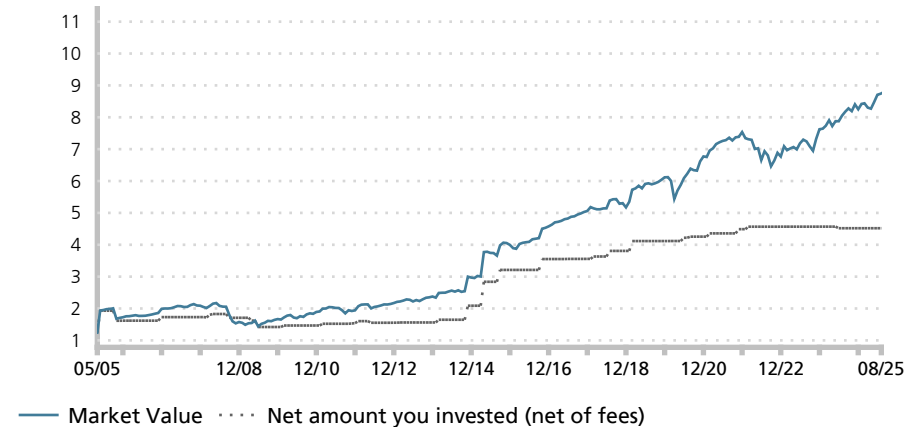


# Performance Review

as of August 06, 2025

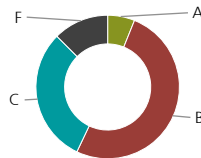
## Sources of Portfolio Value

\$ Millions



## Asset Allocation Review

	Value on 08/06/2025 (\$)	% of Portfolio
<b>A Cash</b>	<b>533,874.81</b>	<b>6.11</b>
Cash	533,874.81	6.11
<b>B Fixed Income</b>	<b>4,459,920.86</b>	<b>50.96</b>
US	2,796,007.31	31.94
Global	1,491,010.79	17.04
International	172,902.76	1.98
<b>C Equity</b>	<b>2,663,321.63</b>	<b>30.43</b>
US	2,257,973.22	25.80
International	405,348.41	4.63
<b>D Commodities</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>E Non-Traditional</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>F Other</b>	<b>1,094,117.40</b>	<b>12.50</b>
Balanced	1,094,117.40	12.50
<b>Total Portfolio</b>	<b>\$8,751,234.71</b>	<b>100%</b>



Balanced mutual funds and Insurance & Annuity products are allocated in the 'Other' category

Consolidated report prepared for Episcopal Diocese of Alaska

\* excluded from performance exhibits

UX XX653 AK Endowment	UX XX110 Training
UX XX656 Distribution	UX XX652 FIT Facility
UX XX651 FIT Endowment	UX XX654 Self Insurance
UX XX655 Dev Loan	UX XX657 Bp Discretion
UX XX902 Travel	5X XX996 * Episcopal Diocese of

## Portfolio Value and Investment Results

	Performance returns (annualized > 1 year)			
	YTD 12/31/2024 to 08/06/2025	1 Year 08/06/2024 to 08/06/2025	5 Years 08/06/2020 to 08/06/2025	ITD 05/04/2005 to 08/06/2025
<b>Opening value</b>	<b>8,251,007.68</b>	<b>7,889,985.72</b>	<b>6,277,969.55</b>	<b>1,244,164.58</b>
Net deposits/withdrawals	-38,586.64	-52,143.06	64,920.98	2,696,388.45
Div./interest income	207,545.63	480,904.14	1,874,619.39	3,781,127.03
Change in accr. interest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Change in value	331,268.04	432,487.91	533,724.78	1,029,554.65
<b>Closing value</b>	<b>8,751,234.71</b>	<b>8,751,234.71</b>	<b>8,751,234.71</b>	<b>8,751,234.71</b>
Net Time-weighted ROR	6.06	10.92	5.96	5.02

Net deposits and withdrawals include program and account fees.

## Time Weighted Rates of Return (Net of Fees)

	Performance returns (annualized > 1 year)			
	YTD 12/31/2024 to 08/06/2025	1 Year 08/06/2024 to 08/06/2025	5 Years 08/06/2020 to 08/06/2025	ITD 05/04/2005 to 08/06/2025
<b>Your portfolio(%)</b>	<b>6.06</b>	<b>10.92</b>	<b>5.96</b>	<b>5.02</b>
Consolidated Blended Index	8.31	12.65	5.57	4.38
US Treasury Bill - 3 Mos	2.58	4.65	2.91	1.68
BBG Agg Bond	4.71	3.42	-0.92	3.16
S&P 500	8.69	22.71	15.35	10.80

Consolidated Blended Index: Start - Current: 50% MSCI ACWI ALL CAP-NR; 50% BBG Agg Bond

Past performance does not guarantee future results and current performance may be lower/higher than past data presented.

Report created on: August 07, 2025

# Episcopal Diocese of Alaska

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Name: Peg Fisher

Committee/Deanery/Ministry: South Central Deanery

**1. Please highlight the activities/events and/or projects of your ministry/committee since last year's convention.**

- Our annual meeting was held at The Aspen Hotel in Homer; May 1, 2025 - May 3, 2025. Our Keynote speaker was The Right Rev. Robert Wright who spoke to us about the challenges of being a Christian in today's world. We also had a workshop that was led by the Rev. Katherine Hunt, The Rev. Gail Loken and The Rev. Jake Lambers.
- We also celebrated World Labyrinth Day on May 3, 2025, at Saint Augustine's Church in Homer, by walking the Labyrinth.
- We have had multiple meetings of EKG (Episcopalians Keep Gathering), with The Rev. Katherine Hunt leading these activities with the help of The Rev. Gail Loken and The Rev. Jake Lambers.
- Christ Church now has a Labyrinth and had a Thursday Evening Walk on September 4, 2025.

**2. Tell us about the goals of your ministry for the upcoming year:**

- Continuing to strength ties between Parishes.
- Supporting EKG (Episcopalians Keep Gathering).
- Continuing with various Deanery events.
- Continue having a strong and inspiring Deanery Meeting with fellowship and learning.

**3. Stewardship.**

Do you receive support from the Diocese?

Yes X      No \_

If Yes, are you within budget?

Yes X      No \_

Are you raising additional funds?

Yes X      No \_

**Please explain your overall financial situation:** Our Deanery is blessed to be stable, able, and have sufficient funds for the support of our parish's ministry projects.

**4. Please share any other comments or concerns that you have regarding your ministry.**

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Name: Robert (Bob) Coghill

Committee/Deanery/Ministry: Southeast Alaska Episcopal Church Deanery

1. Please highlight the **activities/events and/or projects** of your ministry/committee since last year's convention.
  - **2025 Convocation, this year in Juneau. Attended by Bishoop Mark, Suzanne Krull and members of Holy Trinity, St. Brendan's, St. Peter's by the Sea, St. Philip's, and St. John's. The Theme was worship and gatherings.**
  - **Support of a music camp with Mother Belle at St. Brendan's.**
  - **Gathering and sharing by the Executive Committee of the Deanery.**
  - **Placing cardiac defibrillator in churches through grants**
2. Tell us about the **goals** of your ministry for the upcoming year:
  - **In 2026 the Deanery will have a convocation through Zoom.**
  - **The Deanery will sponsor a music camp**
  - **The Deanery will offer mission grants to help Deanery churches provide worship and other mission activities.**
  - **The Deanery may assist Deanery churches with capital projects.**
  - **The Deanery has assisted churches with Godly Play resources.**

3. **Stewardship.**

Do you receive support from the Diocese?	Yes_X	No_
If Yes, are you within budget?	Yes_X	No_
Are you raising additional funds?	Yes_X	

No\_

Please explain your overall financial situation: Deanery Churches contribute to the Deanery activities through a pledge based on members of the Congregation

4. Please share any other **comments or concerns** that you have regarding your ministry.  
**Deanery churches are small and are not growing. Member churches encourage one another by sharing experience and resources.**

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## FAITH INTO TOMORROW – GOOD NEWS ENDOWMENT 2025 ANNUAL REPORT

The **Faith Into Tomorrow – Good News Endowment** is a diocesan endowment fund conceived around 1992 by Bishop Charleston and other diocesan leaders. The **FIT Campaign**, conducted during 1993, appealed to Episcopalians across the state to pledge towards the vision of Bishop Charleston, to establish a fund that would concentrate our efforts towards six specific ministries. The Diocesan Investment Committee oversees the ongoing management of the investment of the endowment funds. The FIT Oversight Committee oversees the distribution of the interest from these funds through grants and operating budget line-item funding.

**Membership:** The FIT Oversight Committee (OC) consists of eight persons. Two lay-persons and two clergy will be elected by the Convention. The Bishop, on recommendation by the FIT OC Chairman, will appoint three at-large members. The Diocesan Canon for Finance and Administration will be an ex-officio member. The elected and appointed members serve 4-year terms.

The current members of the committee are Seat A: Alice Rooney (Elected Lay, Wrangell), Seat 1: Ossie Knowlton (Appointed, Ketchikan), Seat B: The Rev. Wilson Valentine (Elected Clergy; Wasilla), Seat 2: Charlotte White (Appointed; Nenana), Seat C: Maggie McKay (Elected Lay, Anchorage), Seat 3: Loren Hill, chair (Appointed; Kenai), Seat D: The Rev. Mary Norton (Elected Clergy; Kotzebue), and ex officio Canon Suzanne Krull (Staff Liaison).

The committee held three evening meetings in 2025 by Zoom, one February 29, the next May 23 and the longer all-day Zoom meeting, November 2, 2024. The next meeting is scheduled for October 25, 2025.

The following 2019 grant award was granted extension due to delayed activities/events cause by COVID-19: (2019) Case 6 Holy Trinity, Juneau: Faith of Place

### Grants Distributed – Fall 2024 & Spring 2025

2025 Case 2A – Facility Emergency Repair/Replacement Amount available - \$90,380		
Church or Group	Program Name	Amount Awarded
St. Christopher's, Anchorage (Winter 2025)	Windstorm Damage – Tree removal	\$10,000

<b>2025 Case 2B – Traveling Work Group Support</b> Amount available - \$3,000		
<b>Church or Group</b>	<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
St. Mary's, Anchorage (Spring 2025)	Youth Group from CO. assisting in Outdoor Sacred Campus	\$500

<b>2024 Case 4 – Youth Ministry</b> Amount available - \$9,432		
<b>Church or Group</b>	<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
St. James, Tanana	KHBC-Support	\$1,500

<b>2024 Case 5 – Caring for Victims of Poverty and Abuse</b> Amount available - \$9,387		
<b>Church or Group</b>	<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
St. James, Tanana	Warm Hands Warm Hearts	\$1,000

<b>2024 Case 6 – Encouraging Spiritual Growth or Outreach</b> Amount available - \$3,426		
<b>Church or Group</b>	<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
No applications Received in 2024		

**The deadline for Case 4, Case 5 and Case 6 applications is October 11, 2025.** Awards will be announced by December.

For more information about the Faith Into Tomorrow Endowment, F.I.T. ministries or its Oversight Committee, please contact any of the F.I.T. committee members.

In His service,

Loren Hill, Chair



*Faith Into Tomorrow Endowment  
Episcopal Diocese of Alaska  
1205 Denali Way  
Fairbanks AK 99701*

## **Grant Reporting Case 2A – Facility Emergency Repair and Replacement**

To all grant recipients: St. Christopher's, Anchorage

We are blessed to be able to provide the grant funding for your application. As stated in your award letter we do require reporting, due prior to this year's convention. Failure to return the completed report by the deadline may jeopardize future grant awards. Funds must be spent/used within 12 months of receipt. All unused/unspent funds not used for the specific award must be returned.

Report deadline: **September 1, 2025**. Please answer the following questions and submit to the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska, 1205 Denali Way, Fairbanks, AK 99701; Attn: FIT Reporting or via email: [canonsk@episcopalak.org](mailto:canonsk@episcopalak.org). Although not required, photos are welcome. Please limit entire reporting to no more than (2) pages.

### **1) What work was done?**

In January of 2025, a wind storm knocked over several trees, both at the church and rectory properties of St. Christopher's Episcopal Church. Due to the severity and liability, Tall Trees removed the most dangerous leaning trees, including those on power lines and those with the potential to cause additional damage to the church and neighboring property. Also, because of wintery conditions, Tall Trees could not complete the entire process and requested to complete the project during the summer of 2025. In August of 2025, Tall Trees returned to complete the work. St. Christopher's community did some initial work of tree removal and hauling debris to access points. Tall Trees then chipped and removed the debris from the property. Tall Trees also removed additional hazardous trees.

### **2) How was the money spent?**

The money from the grant was spent on hiring a professional tree removal company, Tall Trees. The community's labor in hauling trees to different access points enabled Tall Trees to focus on the work of cutting down dangerous trees and utilizing their equipment to remove the trees from the property.

### **3) Suggestions for improving the grant/loan process:**

St. Christopher's is very grateful to the FIT Committee for approving this grant and helping to keep the church community and neighborhood safe.









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## **Grant Reporting Case 2B – Traveling Work Team Support**

To all grant recipients:

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Name of Church/Organization: St. Mary's Episcopal Church

1) When did the work team arrive and leave?

They arrive on Sunday, 8th and left on Saturday, June 14th

2) How many were in the team?

30 Youth and 11 adults.

3) What was accomplished?

They worked on the Orchard, built new benches and maintained a abandoned trail around Thomas Center.

4) How was the money spent?

I bought food at Costco <sup>and cars</sup> for a dinner on Wednesday, June 11, where ~~our~~ youth were also invited.

5) Suggestions for improving the grant process or other comments including Thank-you or recognition of key people/organizations:

I would like to thank to the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska for this grant and to YES Colorado for their support working in our campus.









Faith Into Tomorrow Endowment  
Episcopal Diocese of Alaska  
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Fairbanks AK 99701

### Grant Reporting Case 4, Case 5 & Case 6

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Date: July 2 - 17

Grant Case of award: Case #4

Name of Program: KHBC Support

Name of Church/Organization: St. James

1) Describe the program the grant helped fund? (share your story)

This Grant helped 8 kids get to Kokrine Hills Bible Camp. Could have helped more but we asked after the deadline.

2) How did your program impact your church? Your community?

\$2000 of this payment came from St. James Church and have had more kids interested in coming to church and learning more. The Parents are very happy.

3) How do you see God's work/purpose in this program?

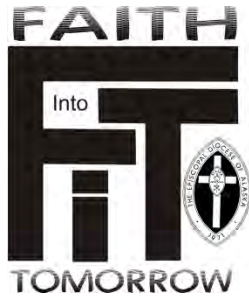
To see the smiles on the faces and to see the tears in their eyes when coming home and to hear their excitement of learning about Jesus.

4) How were the funds spent?

The Funds were divided between 8 kids. I had raised a total of 2200. for camp so it was divided

5) Suggestions for improving the grant process or other comments including Thank-you or recognition of key people/organizations:

8 kids got \$27500 for camp  
just thank you and the Committee for having these funds available to help out our young children learn about Jesus



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## **Grant Reporting Case 4, Case 5 & Case 6**

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Date: 1/1/2025

Grant Case of award : Case 5

Name of Program: Warm Hands Warm Hearts

Name of Church/Organization: St. James', Tanana

1) Describe the program the grant helped fund? (share your story)

We provided warm winter gloves for all children in the village, from newborn to senior in High School. This year the grant did not cover the full cost and St. James' pitched in, so that we didn't have to leave anyone out.

2) How did your program impact your church? Your community?

The impact on the church is we see children coming back to church. The hands them out at Christmas and the community is grateful for the care the church shows to the children.

3) How do you see God's work/purpose in this program?

The children see and feel "the giving" and I see a change in these kids when receiving gifts from the church.

4) How were the funds spent?

The purchase of warm winter gloves.

5) Suggestions for improving the grant process or other comments including Thank-you or recognition of key people/organizations:

## 2024 Parochial Report Information

All 48 churches filed 2024 Parochial Reports.

*Thank you for your hard work in completing the Parochial Report!!!*

***All the pages have the same information, just different sorts***

Note: Due to significant changes in 2024 Report, items may not correspond to previous years.

<u>Sort by:</u>	<u>Page #</u>
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**Episcopal Diocese of Alaska  
2024 Parochial Report  
Data Sorted Alphabetically**

Deanery	City	Congregation Name	Active Baptized Members	Communicants in Good Standing	Avg Sunday Attendance in-person	Avg Sunday Attendance online	Avg Weekday Attendance in-person	Total Operating Income	Communicants in Good Standing	Average Sunday Attendee in-person
Interior	Allakaket	St Johns in the Wilderness	3	2	3	0	3	\$180	\$90.00	\$60.00
S. Central	Anchorage	All Saints	132	37	39	0	8	\$262,087	\$7,083.43	\$6,720.18
S. Central	Anchorage	Christ Church	76	74	21	2	22	\$145,155	\$1,961.55	\$6,912.14
S. Central	Anchorage	St Christophers	32	30	14	0	0	\$36,051	\$1,201.70	\$2,575.07
S. Central	Anchorage	St Marys	825	820	139	36	8	\$1,172,713	\$1,430.14	\$8,436.78
Interior	Anvik	Christ Church	84	83	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Arctic Village	Bishop Rowe Chapel	45	15	8	0	60	\$1,500	\$100.00	\$187.50
Interior	Beaver	St Matthews	10	2	5	0	5	\$900	\$450.00	\$180.00
Interior	Birch Creek *	St Peters	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Chalkyitsik	St Timothys	6	6	6	0	33	\$2,145	\$357.50	\$357.50
Interior	Circle	Holy Trinity	10	10	6	0	0	\$1,435	\$143.50	\$239.17
S. Central	Cordova	St Georges	69	58	16	3	23	\$26,691	\$460.19	\$1,668.19
Interior	Eagle	St Johns	10	10	10	0	0	\$109	\$10.90	\$10.90
S. Central	Eagle River	Holy Spirit	42	36	21	0	0	\$87,070	\$2,418.61	\$4,146.19
Interior	Fairbanks	St Matthews	570	470	60	30	21	\$250,914	\$533.86	\$4,181.90
Interior	Fort Yukon	St Stephens	325	275	27	0	47	\$11,751	\$42.73	\$435.22
Interior	Grayling	St Pauls	236	235	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
South East	Haines	St Michael & All Angels	47	47	11	3	10	\$11,621	\$247.26	\$1,056.45
S. Central	Homer	St Augustines	17	14	9	2	4	\$22,271	\$1,590.79	\$2,474.56
Interior	Hughes	St Pauls	26	26	6	0	0	\$300	\$11.54	\$50.00
Interior	Huslia	Good Shepherd Mission	24	23	9	0	0	\$530	\$23.04	\$58.89
South East	Juneau	Holy Trinity	112	98	46	5	63	\$202,714	\$2,068.51	\$4,406.83
South East	Juneau	St Brendan	54	49	25	0	7	\$88,541	\$1,806.96	\$3,541.64
S. Central	Kenai	St Francis by the Sea	8	8	7	0	18	\$24,772	\$3,096.50	\$3,538.86
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Arctic Coast	Kivalina	Kivalina Epiphany	28	14	18	0	97	\$39,580	\$2,827.14	\$2,198.89
S. Central	Kodiak	St James the Fisherman	45	36	19	0	9	\$116,316	\$3,231.00	\$6,121.89
Arctic Coast	Kotzebue	St Georges in the Arctic .	35	32	12	7	10	\$35,689	\$1,115.28	\$2,974.08
Interior	Minto	St Barnabas	31	31	11	0	11	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Nenana	St Marks	65	65	16	0	0	\$15,707	\$241.65	\$981.69
Arctic Coast	Noatak *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00

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Interior	North Pole	St Judes	26	16	12	0	3	39,299	\$2,456.19	\$3,274.92
S. Central	Palmer	St Bartholomews	43	28	22	3	0	61,319	\$2,189.96	\$2,787.23
South East	Petersburg	St Andrews	3	3	3	0	0	18,812	\$6,270.67	\$6,270.67
Arctic Coast	Point Hope	St Thomas	160	160	9	0	46	28,933	\$180.83	\$3,214.78
Arctic Coast	Point Lay	St Albans in the Arctic	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Rampart	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
S. Central	Seward	St Peters	4	1	4	0	4	635	\$635.00	\$158.75
Interior	Shageluk	St Lukes	75	20	5	0	10	600	\$30.00	\$120.00
South East	Sitka	St Peters by the Sea	140	62	30	6	11	158,886	\$2,562.68	\$5,296.20
Interior	Stevens Village	St Andrews	6	5	5	0	20	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
S. Central	Talkeetna	Denali Episcopal	11	11	5	0	7	425	\$38.64	\$85.00
Interior	Tanacross	St Timothy's	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Tanana	St James	49	43	8	0	15	4,202	\$97.72	\$525.25
S. Central	Valdez	Epiphany Lutheran/Episcopal	35	35	13	2	7	78,242	\$2,235.49	\$6,018.62
Interior	Venetie	Good Shepherd	50	20	4	0	6	4,350	\$217.50	\$1,087.50
S. Central	Wasilla	St Davids	37	27	18	2	0	42,182	\$1,562.30	\$2,343.44
South East	Wrangell	St Philips	29	29	10	3	11	50,422	\$1,738.69	\$5,042.20
	Total for the Entire Diocese		3,679	3,104	751	106	602	\$3,096,549	\$997.60	\$4,123.23
	Average for the Entire Diocese		77	65	16	2	13	\$64,511	\$1,127.39	\$2,134.37

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Interior	Fairbanks	St Matthews	570	470	60	30	21	\$250,914	\$533.86	\$4,181.90
South East	Juneau	Holy Trinity	112	98	46	5	63	\$202,714	\$2,068.51	\$4,406.83
S. Central	Anchorage	All Saints	132	37	39	0	8	\$262,087	\$7,083.43	\$6,720.18
South East	Sitka	St Peters by the Sea	140	62	30	6	11	158,886	\$2,562.68	\$5,296.20
Interior	Fort Yukon	St Stephens	325	275	27	0	47	\$11,751	\$42.73	\$435.22
South East	Juneau	St Brendan	54	49	25	0	7	\$88,541	\$1,806.96	\$3,541.64
S. Central	Palmer	St Bartholomews	43	28	22	3	0	61,319	\$2,189.96	\$2,787.23
S. Central	Anchorage	Christ Church	76	74	21	2	22	\$145,155	\$1,961.55	\$6,912.14
S. Central	Eagle River	Holy Spirit	42	36	21	0	0	\$87,070	\$2,418.61	\$4,146.19
South East	Ketchikan	St Johns	44	38	19	2	3	\$51,500	\$1,355.26	\$2,710.53
S. Central	Kodiak	St James the Fisherman	45	36	19	0	9	\$116,316	\$3,231.00	\$6,121.89
Arctic Coast	Kivalina	Kivalina Epiphany	28	14	18	0	97	\$39,580	\$2,827.14	\$2,198.89
S. Central	Wasilla	St Davids	37	27	18	2	0	42,182	\$1,562.30	\$2,343.44
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Interior	Nenana	St Marks	65	65	16	0	0	\$15,707	\$241.65	\$981.69
S. Central	Anchorage	St Christophers	32	30	14	0	0	\$36,051	\$1,201.70	\$2,575.07
S. Central	Valdez	Epiphany Lutheran/Episcopa	35	35	13	2	7	78,242	\$2,235.49	\$6,018.62
Arctic Coast	Kotzebue	St Georges in the Arctic .	35	32	12	7	10	\$35,689	\$1,115.28	\$2,974.08
Interior	North Pole	St Judes	26	16	12	0	3	39,299	\$2,456.19	\$3,274.92
South East	Haines	St Michael & All Angels	47	47	11	3	10	\$11,621	\$247.26	\$1,056.45
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Interior	Grayling	St Pauls	236	235	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
South East	Wrangell	St Philips	29	29	10	3	11	50,422	\$1,738.69	\$5,042.20
S. Central	Homer	St Augustines	17	14	9	2	4	\$22,271	\$1,590.79	\$2,474.56
Interior	Huslia	Good Shepherd Mission	24	23	9	0	0	\$530	\$23.04	\$58.89
Arctic Coast	Point Hope	St Thomas	160	160	9	0	46	28,933	\$180.83	\$3,214.78
Interior	Arctic Village	Bishop Rowe Chapel	45	15	8	0	60	\$1,500	\$100.00	\$187.50
Interior	Tanana	St James	49	43	8	0	15	4,202	\$97.72	\$525.25

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Interior	Chalkyitsik	St Timothys	6	6	6	0	33	\$2,145	\$357.50	\$357.50
Interior	Circle	Holy Trinity	10	10	6	0	0	\$1,435	\$143.50	\$239.17
Interior	Hughes	St Pauls	26	26	6	0	0	\$300	\$11.54	\$50.00
Interior	Beaver	St Matthews	10	2	5	0	5	\$900	\$450.00	\$180.00
Interior	Shageluk	St Lukes	75	20	5	0	10	600	\$30.00	\$120.00
Interior	Stevens Village	St Andrews	6	5	5	0	20	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
S. Central	Talkeetna	Denali Episcopal	11	11	5	0	7	425	\$38.64	\$85.00
S. Central	Seward	St Peters	4	1	4	0	4	635	\$635.00	\$158.75
Interior	Venetie	Good Shepherd	50	20	4	0	6	4,350	\$217.50	\$1,087.50
Interior	Allakaket	St Johns in the Wilderness	3	2	3	0	3	\$180	\$90.00	\$60.00
South East	Petersburg	St Andrews	3	3	3	0	0	18,812	\$6,270.67	\$6,270.67
Interior	Birch Creek *	St Peters	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Arctic Coast	Noatak *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Arctic Coast	Point Lay *	St Albans in the Arctic	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Rampart *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Tanacross *	St Timothys	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Interior	Fort Yukon	St Stephens	325	275	27	0	47	\$11,751	\$42.73	\$435.22
Interior	Grayling	St Pauls	236	235	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Arctic Coast	Point Hope	St Thomas	160	160	9	0	46	28,933	\$180.83	\$3,214.78
South East	Juneau	Holy Trinity	112	98	46	5	63	\$202,714	\$2,068.51	\$4,406.83
Interior	Anvik	Christ Church	84	83	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
S. Central	Anchorage	Christ Church	76	74	21	2	22	\$145,155	\$1,961.55	\$6,912.14
Interior	Nenana	St Marks	65	65	16	0	0	\$15,707	\$241.65	\$981.69
South East	Sitka	St Peters by the Sea	140	62	30	6	11	158,886	\$2,562.68	\$5,296.20
S. Central	Cordova	St Georges	69	58	16	3	23	\$26,691	\$460.19	\$1,668.19
South East	Juneau	St Brendan	54	49	25	0	7	\$88,541	\$1,806.96	\$3,541.64
South East	Haines	St Michael & All Angels	47	47	11	3	10	\$11,621	\$247.26	\$1,056.45
Interior	Tanana	St James	49	43	8	0	15	4,202	\$97.72	\$525.25
South East	Ketchikan	St Johns	44	38	19	2	3	\$51,500	\$1,355.26	\$2,710.53
S. Central	Anchorage	All Saints	132	37	39	0	8	\$262,087	\$7,083.43	\$6,720.18
S. Central	Eagle River	Holy Spirit	42	36	21	0	0	\$87,070	\$2,418.61	\$4,146.19
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Interior	Minto	St Barnabas	31	31	11	0	11	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Interior	Grayling	St Pauls	236	235	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Minto	St Barnabas	31	31	11	0	11	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Arctic Coast	Noatak *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Arctic Coast	Point Lay	St Albans in the Arctic	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Rampart	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Stevens Village	St Andrews	6	5	5	0	20	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Tanacross	St Timothys	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total for the Entire Diocese		3,679	3,104	751	106	602	\$3,096,549	\$997.60	\$4,123.23
	Average for the Entire Diocese		77	65	16	2	13	\$64,511	\$1,127.39	\$2,134.37

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Deanery	City	Congregation Name	Active Baptized Members	Communicants in Good Standing	Avg Sunday Attendance in-person	Avg Sunday Attendance online	Avg Weekday Attendance in-person	Total Operating Income	Communicants in Good Standing	Average Sunday Attendee in-person
S. Central	Anchorage	All Saints	132	37	39	0	8	\$262,087	\$7,083.43	\$6,720.18
South East	Petersburg	St Andrews	3	3	3	0	0	18,812	\$6,270.67	\$6,270.67
S. Central	Kodiak	St James the Fisherman	45	36	19	0	9	\$116,316	\$3,231.00	\$6,121.89
S. Central	Kenai	St Francis by the Sea	8	8	7	0	18	\$24,772	\$3,096.50	\$3,538.86
Arctic Coast	Kivalina	Kivalina Epiphany	28	14	18	0	97	\$39,580	\$2,827.14	\$2,198.89
South East	Sitka	St Peters by the Sea	140	62	30	6	11	158,886	\$2,562.68	\$5,296.20
Interior	North Pole	St Jude	26	16	12	0	3	39,299	\$2,456.19	\$3,274.92
S. Central	Eagle River	Holy Spirit	42	36	21	0	0	\$87,070	\$2,418.61	\$4,146.19
S. Central	Valdez	Epiphany Lutheran/Episcopa	35	35	13	2	7	78,242	\$2,235.49	\$6,018.62
S. Central	Palmer	St Bartholomews	43	28	22	3	0	61,319	\$2,189.96	\$2,787.23
South East	Juneau	Holy Trinity	112	98	46	5	63	\$202,714	\$2,068.51	\$4,406.83
S. Central	Anchorage	Christ Church	76	74	21	2	22	\$145,155	\$1,961.55	\$6,912.14
South East	Juneau	St Brendan	54	49	25	0	7	\$88,541	\$1,806.96	\$3,541.64
South East	Wrangell	St Philips	29	29	10	3	11	50,422	\$1,738.69	\$5,042.20
S. Central	Homer	St Augustines	17	14	9	2	4	\$22,271	\$1,590.79	\$2,474.56
S. Central	Wasilla	St Davids	37	27	18	2	0	42,182	\$1,562.30	\$2,343.44
S. Central	Anchorage	St Marys	825	820	139	36	8	\$1,172,713	\$1,430.14	\$8,436.78
South East	Ketchikan	St Johns	44	38	19	2	3	\$51,500	\$1,355.26	\$2,710.53
S. Central	Anchorage	St Christophers	32	30	14	0	0	\$36,051	\$1,201.70	\$2,575.07
Arctic Coast	Kotzebue	St Georges in the Arctic .	35	32	12	7	10	\$35,689	\$1,115.28	\$2,974.08
S. Central	Seward	St Peters	4	1	4	0	4	635	\$635.00	\$158.75
Interior	Fairbanks	St Matthews	570	470	60	30	21	\$250,914	\$533.86	\$4,181.90
S. Central	Cordova	St Georges	69	58	16	3	23	\$26,691	\$460.19	\$1,668.19
Interior	Beaver	St Matthews	10	2	5	0	5	\$900	\$450.00	\$180.00
Interior	Chalkyitsik	St Timothys	6	6	6	0	33	\$2,145	\$357.50	\$357.50
South East	Haines	St Michael & All Angels	47	47	11	3	10	\$11,621	\$247.26	\$1,056.45
Interior	Nenana	St Marks	65	65	16	0	0	\$15,707	\$241.65	\$981.69
Interior	Venetie	Good Shepherd	50	20	4	0	6	4,350	\$217.50	\$1,087.50
Arctic Coast	Point Hope	St Thomas	160	160	9	0	46	28,933	\$180.83	\$3,214.78
Interior	Circle	Holy Trinity	10	10	6	0	0	\$1,435	\$143.50	\$239.17
Interior	Arctic Village	Bishop Rowe Chapel	45	15	8	0	60	\$1,500	\$100.00	\$187.50

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Interior	Tanana	St James	49	43	8	0	15	4,202	\$97.72	\$525.25
Interior	Allakaket	St Johns in the Wilderness	3	2	3	0	3	\$180	\$90.00	\$60.00
Interior	Fort Yukon	St Stephens	325	275	27	0	47	\$11,751	\$42.73	\$435.22
S. Central	Talkeetna	Denali Episcopal	11	11	5	0	7	425	\$38.64	\$85.00
Interior	Shageluk	St Lukes	75	20	5	0	10	600	\$30.00	\$120.00
Interior	Huslia	Good Shepherd Mission	24	23	9	0	0	\$530	\$23.04	\$58.89
Interior	Hughes	St Pauls	26	26	6	0	0	\$300	\$11.54	\$50.00
Interior	Eagle	St Johns	10	10	10	0	0	\$109	\$10.90	\$10.90
Interior	Anvik	Christ Church	84	83	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Birch Creek *	St Peters	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Grayling	St Pauls	236	235	10	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Minto	St Barnabas	31	31	11	0	11	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Arctic Coast	Noatak *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Arctic Coast	Point Lay *	St Albans in the Arctic	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Rampart *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Stevens Village	St Andrews	6	5	5	0	20	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interior	Tanacross *	St Timothys	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Deanery	City	Congregation Name	2024				2023				2024 vs 2023			
			Active Baptized Members	Communicants in Good Standing	Avg Sunday Attendance in-person	Total Operating Income	Active Baptized Members	Members in Good Standing	Average Sunday Attendance	Total Operating Income	Active Baptized Members	Communicants in Good Standing	Average Sunday Attendance	Total Operating Income
Arctic Coast	Kivalina	Kivalina Epiphany	28	14	18	\$39,580	400	17	13	\$35,927	(372)	3	(5)	\$3,653
Arctic Coast	Kotzebue	St Georges in the Arctic .	35	32	12	\$35,689	42	33	10	\$29,617	(7)	1	(2)	\$6,072
Arctic Coast	Noatak *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	\$0	10	0	0	\$0	(10)	0	0	\$0
Arctic Coast	Point Hope	St Thomas	160	160	9	28,933	274	230	12	\$18,091	(114)	70	3	\$10,842
Arctic Coast	Point Lay *	St Albans in the Arctic	0	0	0	0	59	5	1	\$0	(59)	5	1	\$0
Interior	Allakaket	St Johns in the Wilderness	3	2	3	\$180	127	127	5	\$990	(124)	125	2	(\$810)
Interior	Anvik	Christ Church	84	83	10	\$0	83	83	10	\$0	1	0	0	\$0
Interior	Arctic Village	Bishop Rowe Chapel	45	15	8	\$1,500	129	60	3	\$925	(84)	45	(5)	\$575
Interior	Beaver	St Matthews	10	2	5	\$900	76	2	2	\$1,646	(66)	0	(3)	(\$746)
Interior	Birch Creek *	St Peters	0	0	0	\$0	25	0	0	\$0	(25)	0	0	\$0
Interior	Chalkyitsik	St Timothy	6	6	6	\$2,145	73	6	6	\$1,250	(67)	0	0	\$895
Interior	Circle	Holy Trinity	10	10	6	\$1,435	74	0	6	\$1,096	(64)	(10)	0	\$339
Interior	Eagle	St Johns	10	10	10	\$109	19	10	8	\$1,072	(9)	0	(2)	(\$963)
Interior	Fairbanks	St Matthews	570	470	60	\$250,914	514	440	57	\$209,850	56	(30)	(3)	\$41,064
Interior	Fort Yukon	St Stephens	325	275	27	\$11,751	191	120	24	\$15,513	134	(155)	(3)	(\$3,762)
Interior	Grayling	St Pauls	236	235	10	\$0	258	235	1	\$0	(22)	0	(9)	\$0
Interior	Hughes	St Pauls	26	26	6	\$300	53	26	6	\$0	(27)	0	0	\$300
Interior	Huslia	Good Shepherd Mission	24	23	9	\$530	137	11	11	\$2,106	(113)	(12)	2	(\$1,576)
Interior	Minto	St Barnabas	31	31	11	\$0	31	31	11	\$14,000	0	0	0	(\$14,000)
Interior	Nenana	St Marks	65	65	16	\$15,707	123	65	17	\$11,780	(58)	0	1	\$3,927
Interior	North Pole	St Judes	26	16	12	39,299	26	15	13	\$37,761	0	(1)	1	\$1,538
Interior	Rampart *	Episcopal Congregation	0	0	0	0	53	40	6	\$0	(53)	40	6	\$0
Interior	Shageluk	St Lukes	75	20	5	600	82	82	5	\$300	(7)	62	0	\$300
Interior	Stevens Village	St Andrews	6	5	5	0	39	5	5	\$0	(33)	0	0	\$0
Interior	Tanacross *	St Timothy	0	0	0	0	94	20	1	\$0	(94)	20	1	\$0
Interior	Tanana	St James	49	43	8	4,202	125	43	6	\$5,838	(76)	0	(2)	(\$1,636)
Interior	Venetie	Good Shepherd	50	20	4	4,350	185	11	7	\$7,324	(135)	(9)	3	(\$2,974)

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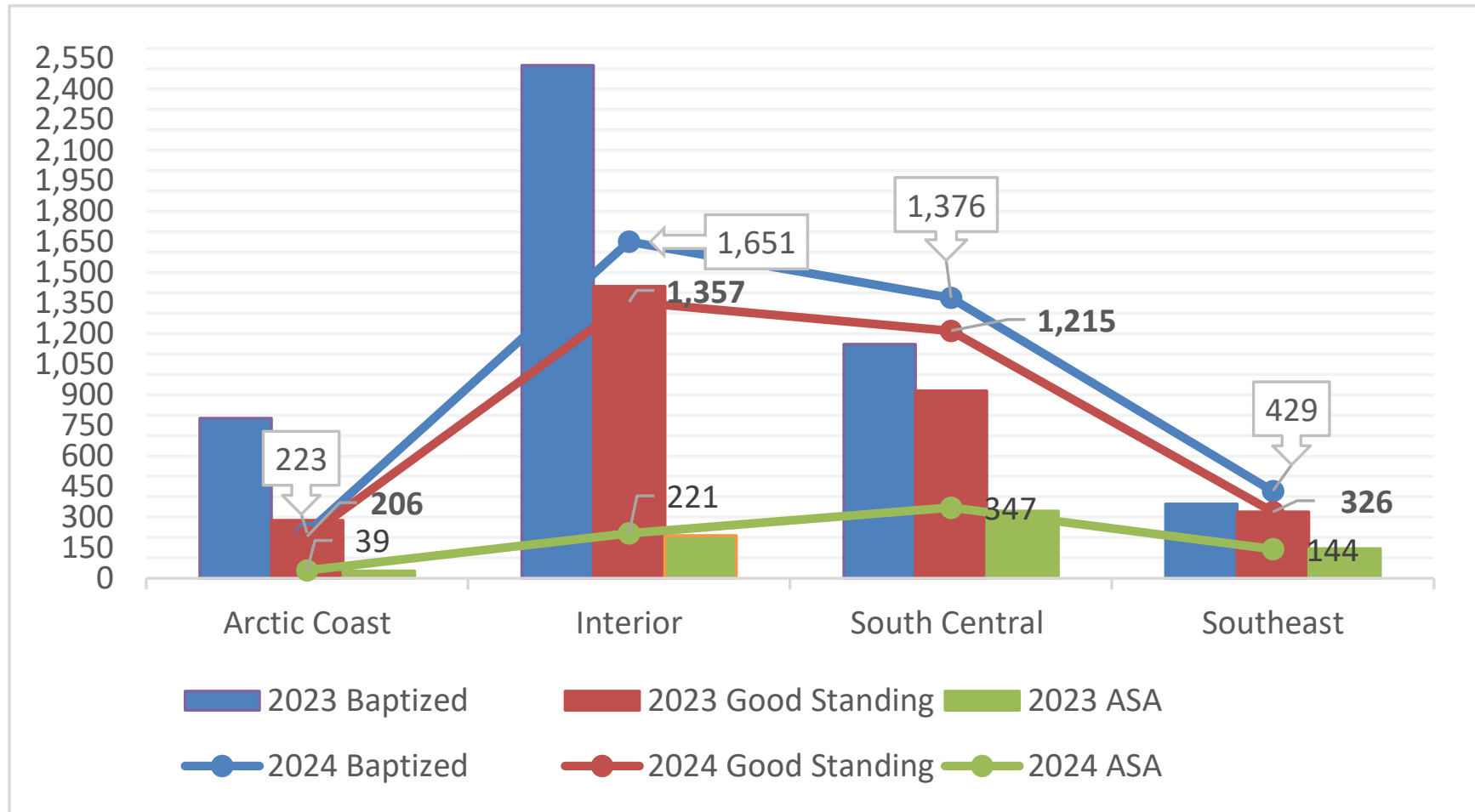
Deanery	City	Congregation Name	Active Baptized Members	Communicants in Good Standing	Avg Sunday Attendance in-person	Total Operating Income	Active Baptized Members	Members in Good Standing	Average Sunday Attendance	Total Operating Income	Active Baptized Members	Communicants in Good Standing	Average Sunday Attendance	Total Operating Income
S. Central	Anchorage	All Saints	132	37	39	\$262,087	218	95	34	\$276,644	(86)	58	(5)	(\$14,557)
S. Central	Anchorage	Christ Church	76	74	21	\$145,155	78	77	20	\$148,571	(2)	3	(1)	(\$3,416)
S. Central	Anchorage	St Christophers	32	30	14	\$36,051	31	31	26	\$30,684	1	1	12	\$5,367
S. Central	Anchorage	St Marys	825	820	139	\$1,172,713	443	443	107	\$884,107	382	(377)	(32)	\$288,606
S. Central	Cordova	St Georges	69	58	16	\$26,691	60	60	14	\$40,852	9	2	(2)	(\$14,161)
S. Central	Eagle River	Holy Spirit	42	36	21	\$87,070	53	43	27	\$83,761	(11)	7	6	\$3,309
S. Central	Homer	St Augustines	17	14	9	\$22,271	13	13	5	\$16,243	4	(1)	(4)	\$6,028
S. Central	Kenai	St Francis by the Sea	8	8	7	\$24,772	8	8	7	\$25,236	0	0	0	(\$464)
S. Central	Kodiak	St James the Fisherman	45	36	19	\$116,316	64	0	22	\$94,537	(19)	(36)	3	\$21,779
S. Central	Palmer	St Bartholomews	43	28	22	61,319	32	32	26	\$70,726	11	4	4	(\$9,407)
S. Central	Seward	St Peters	4	1	4	635	2	2	8	\$32,569	2	1	4	(\$31,934)
S. Central	Talkeetna	Denali Episcopal	11	11	5	425	11	11	7	\$435	0	0	2	(\$10)
S. Central	Valdez	Epiphany Lutheran/Episcop	35	35	13	78,242	60	60	13	\$86,411	(25)	25	0	(\$8,169)
S. Central	Wasilla	St Davids	37	27	18	42,182	76	45	14	\$40,938	(39)	18	(4)	\$1,244
South East	Haines	St Michael & All Angels	47	47	11	\$11,621	48	48	9	\$11,468	(1)	1	(2)	\$153
South East	Juneau	Holy Trinity	112	98	46	\$202,714	114	105	50	\$240,026	(2)	7	4	(\$37,312)
South East	Juneau	St Brendan	54	49	25	\$88,541	50	49	23	\$101,095	4	0	(2)	(\$12,554)
South East	Ketchikan	St Johns	44	38	19	\$51,500	38	38	17	\$84,410	6	0	(2)	(\$32,910)
South East	Petersburg	St Andrews	3	3	3	18,812	0	0	3	\$17,031	3	(3)	0	\$1,781
South East	Sitka	St Peters by the Sea	140	62	30	158,886	85	61	29	\$144,481	55	(1)	(1)	\$14,405
South East	Wrangell	St Philips	29	29	10	50,422	30	24	15	\$48,268	(1)	(5)	5	\$2,154
	Total for the Entire Diocese		3,679	3,104	751	\$3,096,549	4,816	2,962	722	\$2,873,579	(1,137)	(142)	(29)	\$222,970
	Average for the Entire Diocese		77	65	16	\$64,511	100	62	15	\$59,866	(24)	(3)	(1)	\$4,645
	2024													
	Arctic Coast		223	206	39	\$104,202	785	285	36	\$83,635	(562)	79	(3)	\$20,567
	Interior		1,651	1,357	221	\$333,922	2,517	1,432	210	\$311,451	(866)	75	(11)	\$22,471
	South Central		1,376	1,215	347	\$2,075,929	1,149	920	330	\$1,831,714	227	(295)	(17)	\$244,215
	Southeast		429	326	144	\$582,496	365	325	146	\$646,779	64	(1)	2	(\$64,283)
			3,679	3,104	751	\$3,096,549	4,816	2,962	722	\$2,873,579	(1,137)	(142)	(29)	\$222,970

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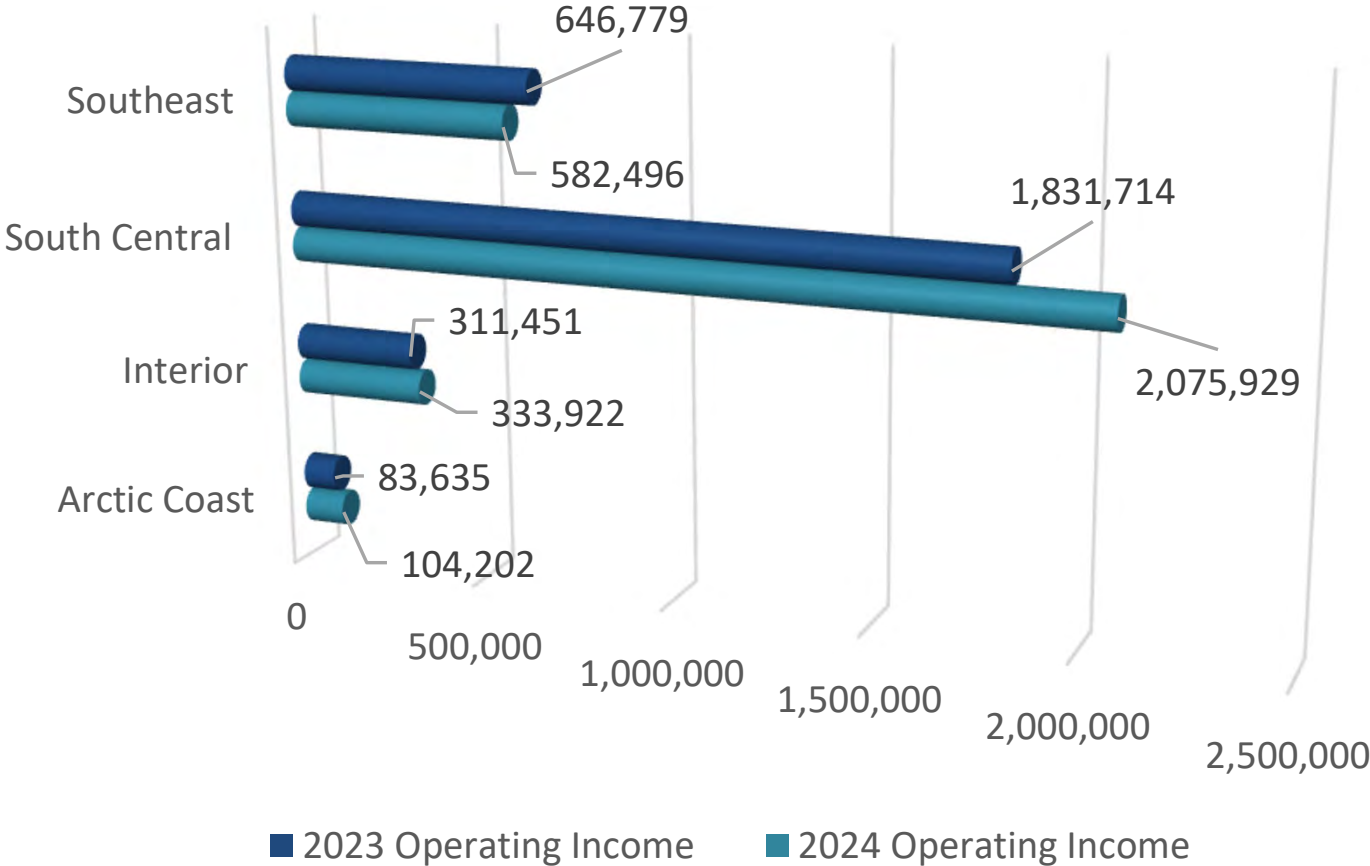
# Episcopal Diocese of Alaska 2024 vs 2023

Baptized Members, Members in Good Standing, Average Sunday Attendance



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Episcopal Diocese of Alaska  
2024 vs 2023 Operating Income



## Episcopal Diocese of Alaska 2024 Parochial Report Narrative Responses

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**What is one program or initiative at your Church that you feel best exemplifies your congregation**

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1 Offer traditional worship, fellowship, support of para-church ministries, and study groups aiming at deeper discipleship.

Regular attendance and participation in Christian formation where the Gospel of Jesus Christ is at the center.

2 Our Outreach Ministries and Parish Nurse Ministry in collaboration with other churches and organizations. We are known for our Outreach to the unhoused, poor and food insecure populations.

Our Genesis II Program has been strengthening the connection within and between congregations, helping them to find energy amidst isolation and the struggles of small church ministries. We have also utilized College for Congregational Development (from the Diocese of Olympia) to facilitate concepts of change and the development of vitality.

3 We are a downtown parish in Alaska's capitol city. Our daily recovery programs, daily noonday worship, and theater and music activities help to integrate relationships between homeless downtown population, local residents of the surrounding neighborhood, and office/support staff/ legislators seeking 'an island of respite in the center of life.'

Godly Play is a vital and active part of our evangelism, bringing young families and their children into the building and into our community between Sunday morning worship services, and expanding on activity as relationships grow.

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4 I believe that likely the initiative that best exemplifies our congregation would be our affirmation station at the town Pride fest or the pie baking that we do during Gold Rush Days. These both represent the way that our community strives for justice and celebration for all peoples and our love of providing food and sweet atmospheres for folks.

Right now I am most excited and hopeful with how the congregation is responding to the local college! There has been a lot of minor initiatives to this but the overall hope is that it provides a general understanding amongst the college kids that, even though this is likely a fairly short stay for them in Valdez, there is a faith community that cares for them and hopes to keep creating a more and more open space and relationship together. It is a difficult time in life for so many and any way that we can provide comfort and care, which celebrates each person for their unique experiences, in the grasp of difficulty is a wonderful vision of what the church could be, both here in Valdez and the wider world.

5 Holidays and provide assistance for funerals

More activities with children like bible study.

6 Support for local food pantry and Newborns-In-Need program

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| 7 What best exemplifies our congregation is:<br>• we are welcoming to all • we embrace the gifts of each person in the congregation, those who volunteer, and those we come in contact with in our community.  | The program that best represents our hope for the future of our congregation and the greater Episcopal Church is: • the raising up of lay/worship leaders • sharing our time, talent and treasure with our community.  |
| 8 Thanksgiving and Christmas adopt a family  | School Supply Giveaway   |
| 9 The "Caring Canteen" operates out of a food truck owned by the Salvation Army. With several other local churches we take turns providing a weekly community meal (averaging 60-70 meals) to one of the most needy neighborhoods in Juneau. A great opportunity to work with other congregations to feed our neighbors. | After our last priest retired in 2023, Bishop Lattime trained six parishioners as Licensed Worship Leaders to officiate at Services of Holy Communion using reserve sacrament. Attendance has not dropped, congregants have expressed satisfaction, and the Worship Leaders have become a confident and supportive team. We are seeking a new priest, but we have learned that churches can thrive and continue many ministries, including Holy Communion, without a priest. |
| 10 St. Christopher's Episcopal Church Food Pantry  |  |

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11 The Garden Project which involves parish members and supports the local food bank.

Participation in the College for Congregational Development, sponsored by the Diocese of Olympia (Washington) and supported by the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska. Congregational Development is for the development of congregations of all sizes, locations, and conditions into more faithful, healthy, and effective communities of faith.

12 Food Bank

13 Our priest is the volunteer director of Dancing with the Spirit, a village school Music and Culture Week program that last year organized 30 weeks of programs in remote Native Alaskan villages--primarily with Native musicians and storytellers. We also helped with the Cordova 4H Music Camp in July with that had 120 campers. We fill in for our priest when she is traveling to villages. And we have our own Gospel Music Band which leads the music at church every Sunday--plus one or more musicians play at the hospital every Thursday for the hospital residents.

Our church has developed a wonderful color-coded method to teach guitar, fiddle, ukulele, mandolin, banjo and bass--music and culture that could be used in the greater Episcopal Church.

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14 We are a small congregation, but we feel that we make a big impact in our community through the use of our parish hall. We reach out in many ways, from serving weekly hot meals to those in need and hosting give-aways of used clothing and other items, to being a place for people to gather for funeral potlucks, birthday or anniversary celebrations, and other events.

Continue to make a positive impact within our community.

15 The volunteer ministry of providing hot meals once a month to the nearby Brother Francis Shelter.

Drawing in new and younger parishioners to serve our community and our parishioners.

16 Our primary outreach program, The Lord's Table, provides hot, nutritious meals to individuals and families facing food insecurity in Ketchikan. Each month, we serve approximately 325 meals to the elderly, low-income families, and individuals experiencing homelessness. In addition to The Lord's Table, we offer pastoral care and community-building initiatives that foster connection and support among residents.

Through The Lord's Table, we aim to reduce food insecurity in Ketchikan by providing consistent, nutritious meals to those in need. Beyond meal service, our program fosters a sense of community, ensuring that recipients feel valued and supported. By successfully continuing this program, we will contribute to improved physical well-being, reduced social isolation, and greater overall stability for the individuals and families we serve.

17 Feeding the hungry through our pantry; partnership with our local Food Bank as a weekly distribution point; and providing weekend lunches for our local High School, for food insecure students.

We just hope to keep the lights on for another year.



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18 Children's ministry with focus on being loving light-bearers in our community	Children's formation and inclusion as active participants in community worship
19 We meet together for lunch every Sunday after church. We deliver lunches to shut-ins and/or member who are unable to attend services.	We continue to be an active, energetic presence in our community.
20 the October 2024 "Come Together Conference" brought community leaders, elected officials, non-profit groups, along with other churches and the Queer community together for advocacy, training, music and the arts.	The "Dreaming our Future" initiative to provide up to 120 units of housing to our community members most vulnerable and at-risk. <a href="http://www.DreamingOurFuture.com">www.DreamingOurFuture.com</a>
21 Women's Talking Circle Trauma Support Group self-started by Alaska Native Women of the Congregation who share experiences of generational trauma and provide emotional & spiritual support through biblical study and prayer.	Adult education taught by area subject matter experts (Fire Chief, Public Health Nurse, etc.) on certified CPR/First Aid/AED, Narcan, Stop the Bleed, etc. We host another self-started ministry called "Angels in Motion" which collects and prepares food and cold weather gear for area homeless and hungry. Angels in Motion consist of 15 Volunteers from across the community, 3 of whom are members of our church.
22 Sunday Services	Keeping the church open in Jesus Name.
23 Consistent provision of lay-led in-person services, and on-line services led by part-time priest	

## Episcopal Diocese of Alaska 2024 Parochial Report Narrative Responses

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24 A Community gathering place: Our church is open every day, for community members to stop in for quiet, and prayer; and all activities related to the church (book groups, scripture studies, retreats, etc) are open to all; our See House building behind the church is used daily by a variety of non profit-groups, and meetings that range from pride potlucks, to beading groups, to youth and senior activities, to drug-free communities coalition meetings, to groups that support neuro-divergent persons; we collaborate with other churches and non-profits for community-wide events

to continue to expand on our welcome, hospitality of welcoming others, and outreach efforts, mindful of practicing good stewardship of our endowments funds, and the property and buildings in our small community...for the well-being of the whole community. We were able to disperse approx \$29,000 in 2024 to community groups who support the vulnerable and those in need.

25 Monthly donations to local programs or charities

26 I would like to see more youth/young adults coming to church and helping out in church. I like having the confirmation classes for them. Praise and worship. Our church is self-supporting and our communing does good to support St. Stephens Church.

I have a youth/adult/elder gospel gatherings so we can all learn and sing. Love youth and elder gathering church workshop gatherings.