

## CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL FLOWERS 2025

Kenrick & Kathleen Gibbar	Mary Gibbar Herndon	Gerald Gibbar
Venida Warren	Norma Tushoff	Amonell & Elmer J. Welter
Dorothy & Ennis Hinkebein	Dennis & Diane Hinkebein	Logan Berry
Raymond & Robert Sowa	Chris Bohnsack	Simon & Theodora Jansen
Cleo & Freida Bohnsack	Paul Keller	Andrew Margrabe
Fred Margrabe	Larry Fuller	Margaret Ann Snider
Stanley Clippard	Catherine Buerck	Craig Buerck
Matt Buerck	Clyde Buerck	Harry Allen
Bernie & Margie Winschel	Travis Koenig	Ronald Wikel
Raymond & Lee Boos	Bert Wells	Edward & Veda Dunning
Brenda Dunning	Carolyn Whitmore	Baby Dunning
All Dearly Departed	Deceased members of the Perez Family	
Don Hurt	Jim & Mary Pat Hubert	Emil & Catherine Hartmann
Benny & Mary Ann Scheffer	Lawrence & Betty Brucker	Kim Hendrix
Ghia Hester	Theresa Welter	Bob & Alma Brock
Chester & Evelyn Friedrich	Norma & Emile Heisserer	Ben & Florence Sides
Judy & Dean Muny	Sister Mary Felter	Jack, Lorraine & Tom Martin
Bill, Venus & Brent Martin	Dennis & Lou Ella Cowan	Regina & John Donaldson
Wilbert & Stella Welker	Bob Heitz	Bobby Beussink
Rebecca Watkins	Hilda Renner	Betty Cruce
The Williams/Brands Families	Eileen Proctor	Lynn Lang
Margaret Lang	Byron Lang	Kenneth & Anita Longman
John & Frances VanGennip	Raymon & Marilyn Franklin	Jeff Seabaugh
Vernon & Mary Bauknecht	Diane Seefeldt	Eugene Bauknecht
Bob Spaeth	Mr. & Mrs. Adam Kassal	Mr. & Mrs. Chris Franklin
Bill Massey	Tim Tuschoff	Brenda Elfrink
Glenn Elfrink	Margaret Elfrink	August Schott
Mildred Schott	Albert Job	Edna Job
Jerome & Berniece Ziegler	William & Nellean Kirby	Amber Kirby
Mary Ziegler	John Knaup	Paul & Myrtle Maloney
Theon & Leona Scherer	Gerard Essner	Melbert & Hilda Sievers
Charles Seyer	Christi Lohmann	Betty Lawson
Dorothy Quinn	Walter Ostendorf Family	Leroy Lancaster Family
Elizabeth A. Eftink	Frank & Marie Biri	Jim & Emogene Schnurbusch
Ellen Strange	Joe Kluesner	Louis & Luella Kirn
Joseph & Anna Mae Kluesner	Bob Adams	Ollie Gutsler
Bart Eaton	David Hutson	Ed & Allene Glueck
Stella & Walter Glueck	Edwin & Evelyn Thiele	Wallace Hotop
Bob & Geneva King	Thomas Knaup	Mary Gardiner

Richard & Jodie Knaup	Patricia Davie	Aurelia Scherer
Leon & Emma Scherer	Theon & Leona Scherer	Albert & Hilda Beussink
Donald & Martha Ziegler	Chuck & Wanda Holland	Lou Ziegler
Kirby Jr. & Arlene Grantham	JoAnn Reiminger	Joanie Reiminger Hendricks
Gosche/Schwent Families	Dickerson Family	Eftink Family
Ralph DeBrock	Don Niederkorn	Henry & Betty Niederkorn
Albert & Hilda Beussink	Bob Beussink, Jr.	Pat & Henry Mendoza
Clyde & Sue Tatum	Violet Robert	Clint Jones Family
	Stephen & Theresa Laurentius Family	

# Share Your Faith



## Support the Collection for the Church in Latin America

The bishops of the United States established the annual Collection for the Church in Latin America as a practical expression of unity and love for their brothers and sisters in Central and South America and the islands of the Caribbean. For more than 60 years, Catholics in the United States have answered the invitation to "share your faith" by supporting pastoral ministries that strengthen the Church in the present day and help it pass on the Gospel to future generations.

One of the most important ways that Catholics share our faith with future generations is by supporting the formation and seminary education of men who have answered God's call to the priesthood or

diaconate. In Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 149 priestly seminarians and 69 permanent deacons at the São José Archdiocesan Seminary received support through the Collection for the Church in Latin America to help cover education tuition and spiritual retreat expenses, as well as the cost of food.

Your support for this special collection helps prepare these men for lives of serving others through their preaching and celebration of the sacraments.

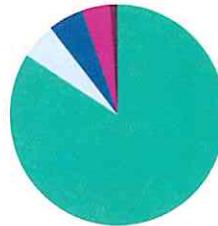
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## 2024 CLA Financials

### Expenses

- Grants and Donations: **84.19%**
- Program Costs: **5.34%**
- Allocations—Internal Grants: **5.25%**
- Promotions and Fundraising Expenses: **4.21%**
- Administrative Expenses: **1.01%**

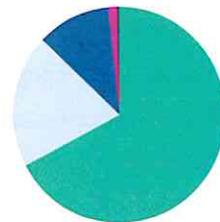
**Total Expenses: \$8,458,445**



**Total Number of Grants Approved: 344**

**Total Amount Approved: \$8,060,250**

- General Pastoral\*: **67.34%**
- Formation of Clergy and Religious, and Vocations: **19.89%**
- Emergency Disaster Funds: **11.17%**
- Other\*\*: **1.45%**
- Inter-American Fund\*\*\*: **0.15%**



\*Includes evangelization, religious education, family, and other pastoral ministries.

\*\*Special grants include purchase of equipment and administrative costs of dioceses facing severe economic hardship.

\*\*\*Covers travel expenses for pastoral visits made by Latin American church leaders to US dioceses or elsewhere within Latin America.



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