



Society of St. Vincent de Paul
St. Ignatius Conference
Annual Report to the Parish
October 1, 2023, through September 30, 2024

Founded in Paris in 1833, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) has been active in the Archdiocese of Mobile since 1896 and is now the largest lay Catholic charitable organization in the world. The St. Ignatius Conference works primarily with those who live in the parish boundaries of St. Ignatius, Holy Family, and Holy Name of Jesus, but we work with the entire Mobile District Council to bring Christ's love to the entire Archdiocese of Mobile.

Our conference is grateful to God and the parish for your generous support, and we publish this report to keep you informed of how we spend the money you entrust to us.

Receipts and Assistance Provided, St. Ignatius Conference

	FY 2024	FY 2023	FY 2022
Poor Box Collections, Memorials, Other Gifts ¹	\$62,353 . . .	\$31,701 . . .	\$30,861
Special Fundraisers	5,025 . . .	9,131 . . .	11,998
Other SVDP Contributions	1,700 . . .	408 . . .	1,025
Total Receipts	\$69,078 . . .	\$41,240 . . .	\$43,884
 Rental/Mortgage Assistance	 19,303 . . .	 \$18,258 . . .	 \$14,302
Hotel for Homeless Assistance	15,305 . . .	5,339 . . .	2,006
Automobile/Transportation Assistance	3,012 . . .	1,961 . . .	4,322
Utility Assistance (electric, water, gas)	21,474 . . .	9,071 . . .	14,042
Food and General Assistance	5,432 . . .	2,630 . . .	5,199
Assistance to other SVDP Conferences	4,689 . . .	6,011 . . .	5,100
Total Monetary Assistance for the Poor	\$69,215 . . .	\$43,270 . . .	\$44,971
 Estimated In-Kind Assistance	 \$2,675 . . .	 \$1,113 . . .	 \$3,252
Total Aid to those in Need (cash + in-kind)	\$71,890 . . .	\$44,383 . . .	\$48,223
 Calls received	 342 . . .	 158 . . .	 76
Number of People Helped	685 . . .	314 . . .	228
Active St. Vincent de Paul Members	8 . . .	9 . . .	8

SVDP does not receive any funds from regular Sunday collections. We rely on your donations through the poor box or mailed directly to us (through the parish office). **All donations to the poor box go directly to serving the poor** and are not used for administrative expenses, all of which are paid for by conference members or earmarked donations.

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