



THE SOCIETY OF
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Adapting to a Changing World

2022/2023 Annual Report

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While the world shifts and changes, some things remain the same — like the Society of St. Vincent de Paul's never-ending care and compassion for the most vulnerable among us.

Over half a million Americans experience homelessness every year. Cost of living increases and inflation are leaving many families one car accident or medical emergency away from losing everything. Every year, SVdP puts tens of millions of dollars toward homelessness prevention through utility and rental assistance, keeping families and at-risk individuals off the streets.

We also keep families in their homes by making sure they don't have to decide which bills to pay, providing critical assistance through community kitchens, food pantries, low-cost medical and dental clinics, GED classes, and workforce development programs. Helping families access living wage employment and affordable housing leads to greater self-sufficiency, and dramatically increases the likelihood they'll avoid homelessness.

We also operate transitional housing, emergency shelters, and family units serving those most in need.

Take Michael, a retired postal worker who moved closer to family after his wife of 50 years passed away. When his \$770 monthly social security check couldn't cover expenses, his local VA office found him a space at Ozanam Manor, SVdP Phoenix's transitional housing shelter.

Thanks to Vincentian volunteers and generous donors around the country, Michael had a safe place to stay, three hot meals daily, and a case manager to guide his rehousing journey. After just 100 days at Ozanam Manor, SVdP helped him find an apartment, paid his move-in expenses, and furnished his home through a voucher program.

"If they hadn't taken me in, I probably would have been just living out of my car," Michael said. "They got me back on my feet and found a place for me to stay. I was really happy to be there..."

Then there's Demisha. After a rough marital separation, double kidney failure diagnosis, and eviction, she had little hope. When SVdP Louisville provided affordable housing, access to daily meals, and after-school support, Demisha and her daughter could rebuild their lives.

"We love it here. There's a lot of help..." says Demisha. "I'm not sure where I'd be without St. Vincent de Paul...if I went somewhere else, I probably wouldn't have a chance. I'm happy and blessed."

Not only does SVdP provide practical solutions to real-world problems for neighbors in more than 4,000 communities across the country, we also provide hope. As one guest at a Baltimore transitional housing facility said: "I can actually think about a real future now. I never thought this would be possible. I am just so grateful."

When the world shifts, SVdP adapts and responds, while remaining steadfast in providing person-to-person assistance and friendship to our neighbors in need across the country.



2022/2023 National Council Fiscal Year in Review

5,015,900
People
Served



National Council Summary of Net Assets	FY 2021/2022	FY 2022/2023
Beginning Net Assets	\$12,031,319	\$10,064,332
Revenues & Support	\$6,681,009	\$10,907,132
Expenses	\$(8,647,996)	\$(9,097,551)
Ending Net Assets (Reserves)	\$10,064,332	\$11,873,913

National Council Sources of Revenues & Support	FY 2021/2022	FY 2022/2023
Contributions	\$5,273,950	\$7,138,021
Solidarity Dues	\$1,831,576	\$2,178,312
Investment Income	\$(1,065,102)	\$837,899
Other	\$640,585	\$ 752,900
Total Revenues & Support	\$6,681,009	\$10,907,132

National Council Expenses by Function	FY 2021/2022	FY 2022/2023
Council & Conference Assistance	\$(5,617,966)	\$(5,398,603)
Disaster Assistance	\$(824,019)	\$(923,726)
Membership Development	\$(134,301)	\$(198,179)
Management & General	\$(1,143,898)	\$(1,287,910)
Fundraising	\$(927,812)	\$(1,289,133)
Total Expenses by Function	\$(8,647,996)	\$(9,097,551)
Addition to (Use of Reserve Funds)	\$(1,966,987)	\$1,809,581

1,887,885
Visits to Neighbors
in Need

\$1,734,183,903
Total Value of
Vincentian
Services

Spirituality. Friendship. Service.

We are the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul USA harnesses the power of community and partnerships to feed, clothe, house and heal individuals and families in our community who have nowhere else to turn for help. Our volunteer members — known as Vincentians — are women and men who are compelled by our Catholic Christian faith to serve those who are needy and suffering.

From rental assistance and homelessness prevention, to thrift stores and food pantries, to disaster recovery and charitable pharmacies, we share our time, talent, and treasure with those who need help and hope. We believe EVERYONE deserves a fair chance at a bright future, regardless of income or life circumstances.



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