

# 2022 ANNUAL REPORT



**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL  
ARCHDIOCESAN COUNCIL OF ST. LOUIS**

... NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS ...





## DEAR FRIENDS,

They say the reward for good work is more work. It certainly felt that way in 2022. No sooner had we scaled one summit then another appeared on the horizon. The good news is that we didn't have to attempt the climb alone. St. Vincent de Paul is blessed with 3,400 Vincentian Volunteers who work as a team. The results of this partnership are presented herein.

As you review the numbers and charts please know that each metric is merely a measurement of a real person with a real life who faced a real crisis. You helped them. You may be a Vincentian or you may be a benefactor or perhaps you are both. The important point is this; your gifts of time, prayer and financial resources have provided essential assistance to your neighbors when it was most needed.

I hope you take pride in this report and I look forward to scaling the next mountain with you!

With gratitude,

John Foppe  
Executive Director

## KEY STATISTICS

Number of  
Neighbors Assisted

**213,662**

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Number of  
Vincentian Volunteers

**3,299**

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Number of  
Conferences

**138**

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Number of Home  
Visits Conducted

**80,713**

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Number of Volunteer  
Hours Donated

**288,929**

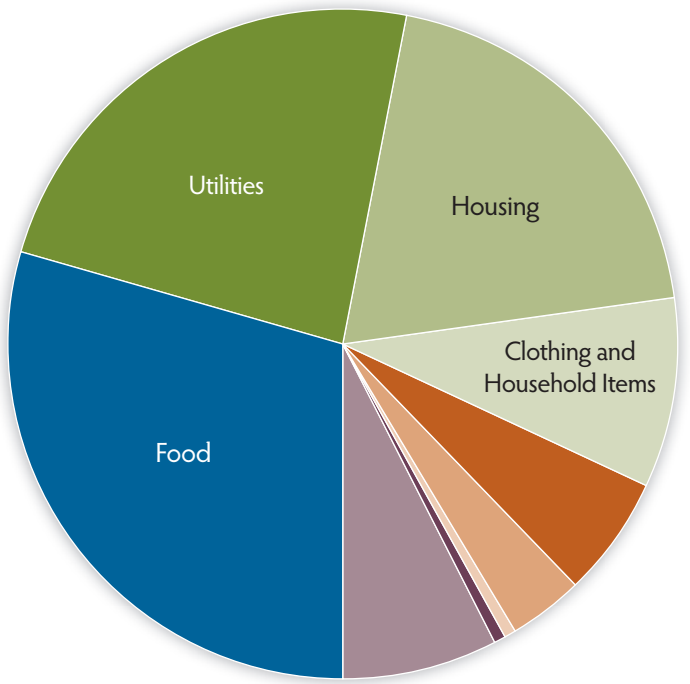
## ABOUT THE COVER

In 2022, catastrophic flooding caused by unprecedented rain hitting the St. Louis area resulted in a state of emergency. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul rose to meet this challenge to provide comfort and support for Neighbors who had been forced from their homes. The Society aided 1,000 families at Multi-Agency Relief

Centers (MARC) with empathy and prayer and material support such as food vouchers or Visa gift cards for immediate needs. The volunteer members of the Society then followed up with impacted Neighbors after the MARCs closed their doors — ensuring that those affected were well cared for during trying times.

# TOTAL ASSISTANCE PROVIDED

Category	Total Assistance Provided
Food	\$4,700,238
Utilities	\$3,749,261
Housing	\$3,158,938
Clothing and Household Items	\$1,422,936
Transportation	\$939,017
Beds, Furniture, and Appliances	\$577,590
Disaster Relief	\$100,800
Medical and Prescriptions	\$74,853
Other*	\$1,176,956
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$15,900,589</b>



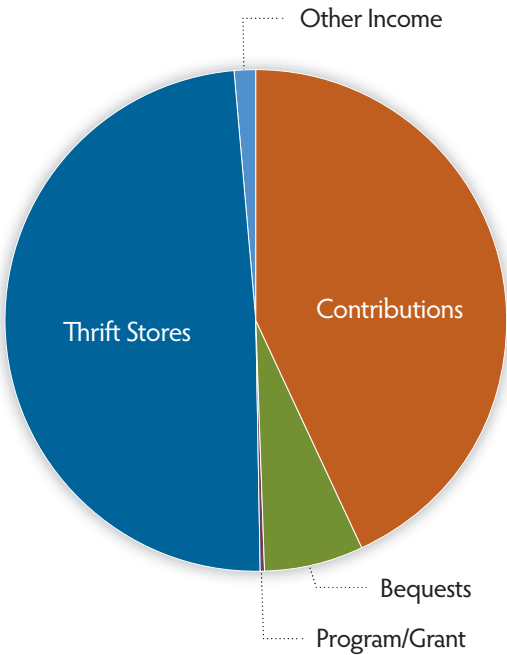
- Food
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- Transportation
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- Disaster Relief
- Medical & Prescriptions
- Other

\* Any assistance proved not listed above.  
 Ex: International Aid, Burial Assistance,  
 Tuition/Education, etc.

# 2022 FINANCIALS

## REVENUE

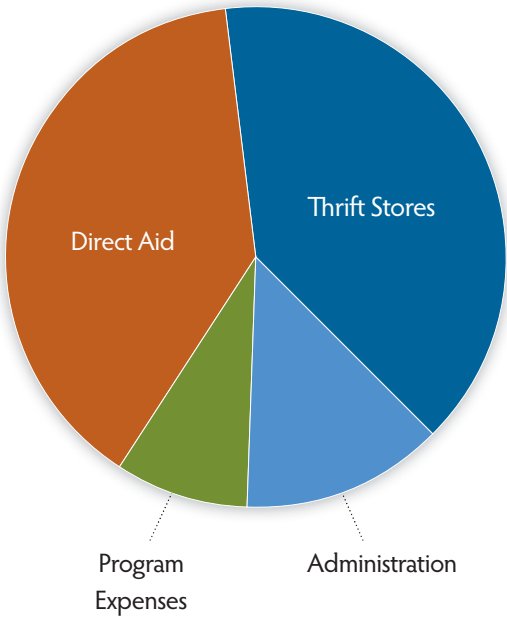
Contributions	\$11,449,357
Bequests	\$1,706,752
Program/Grant	\$103,512
Thrift Stores	\$12,967,806
Other Income	\$316,679
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$26,544,106</b>



## REVENUE

## EXPENSES

Administration	\$3,388,813
Program Expenses	\$2,199,792
Direct Aid	\$10,020,019
Thrift Stores	\$10,084,271
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$25,692,896</b>



## EXPENSES

*Fiscal Year 2022 began on October 1, 2021 and ended September 30, 2022.*



## DEAR FRIENDS,

President John F. Kennedy said, "Every person can make a difference and every person should try." You have made a difference through your gifts of prayer, time, and financial resources. I am

pleased to offer this Annual Report which summarizes your impact in 2022. You can see firsthand how your efforts, when added to those of your fellow volunteers and donors have changed the lives of our neighbors in a most positive way. For many of the poor in our area, we are the last hope they have when other programs and services have failed them. We truly play a critical role.

I encourage you to continue what you are doing, and I will make an additional request. Please invite others to join us in this beautiful work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. There are changes coming to our Archdiocese and they will likely alter the parish landscape. Much is still to be determined but here is one thing I know for sure; the cry of the poor will continue. How we respond won't be determined by the number of parishes but by the love in our hearts.

Again, I thank you for all you have done and all you have given. Take pride in these numbers and know that you have made a difference.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carole A. Johnson".

Carole Johnson  
Board of Directors President  
Society of St. Vincent de Paul  
Archdiocesan Council of St. Louis

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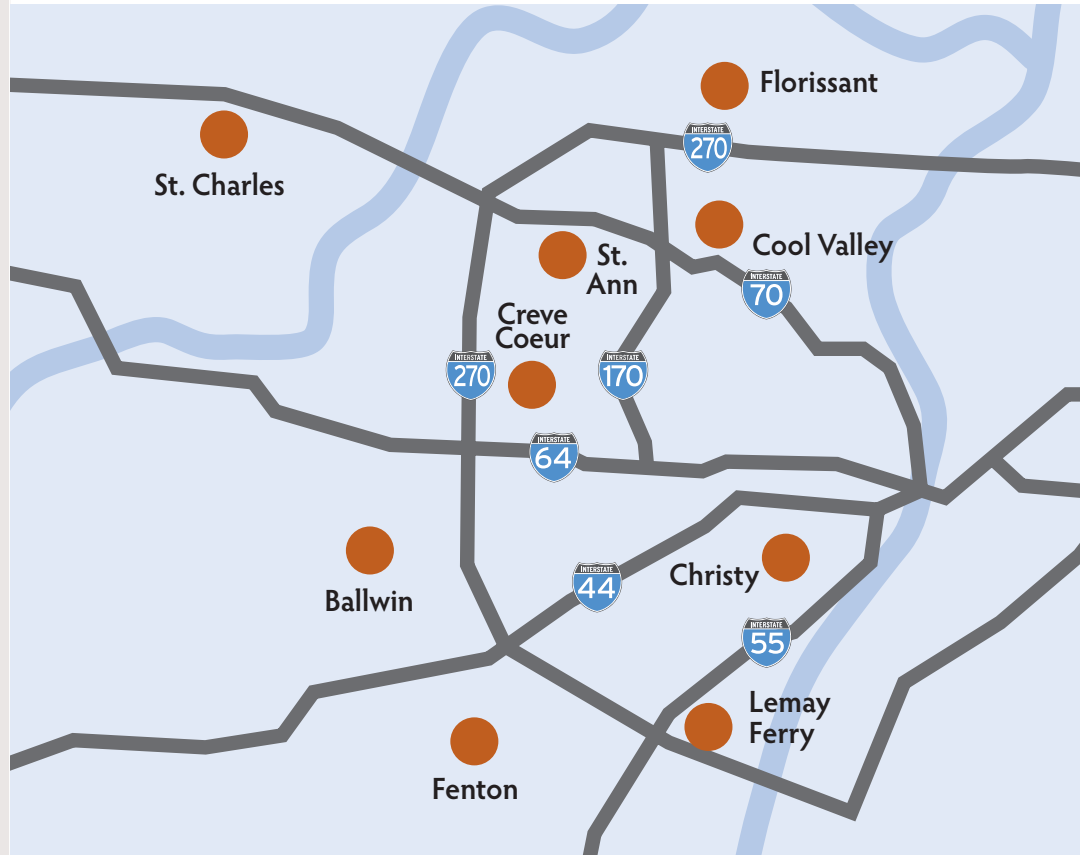
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### Our Mission

A network of friends, inspired by Gospel values, growing in holiness and building a more just world through personal relationships with and service to people in need.



Your generosity can change lives right here in St. Louis. Please donate using the QR code above, online at [www.svdpstlouis.org](http://www.svdpstlouis.org) or by calling 314-881-6035.



**Your Purchases at SVdP Thrift Stores Help Neighbors in Need**

### Thrift Store Locations

**Ballwin**

13986 Manchester Rd.  
Ballwin, MO 63011

**Cool Valley Thrift Outlet**

1225 South Florissant  
St. Louis, MO 63121

**Creve Coeur**

11015 Olive Boulevard  
Creve Coeur, MO 63141

**Christy**

4928 Christy Blvd.  
St. Louis, MO 63116

**Fenton**

625 Gravois Rd.  
Fenton, MO 63026

**Florissant**

770 N. Hwy. 67  
Florissant, MO 63031

**Lemay**

2500 Lemay Ferry Rd.  
St. Louis, MO 63125

**St. Ann**

10585 St. Charles Rock Rd.  
St. Ann, MO 63074

**St. Charles**

1069 Regency Parkway  
St. Charles, MO 63303