

Parish Social Ministry

Dear Parishioners & Supporters,

Psalm 34 sings of Seeing and Tasting the Goodness of the Lord...the following statistics confirm all the goodness shared with those in need in our community because you became the hands and feet of Christ for St. Rosalie's Outreach and Food Pantry...

September 1, 2017 thru August 31, 2018

- 7,217 total services and referrals provided to our community*
- 4,651 members of our community received 3 meals/3 days of emergency food*
- 383 children received clothing through Elizabeth's Ministry*
- \$19,580.25 financial assistance provided in direct services for our community members*

Thank you Regina Carpenter for your steadfast dedication in collecting all reports to prepare this end of year report! Thank you to all the dedicated Food Pantry and Outreach volunteers...you are exceptional!

Thank you to our community of believers who donated food, money or time to help alleviate the burden of "the least of my brethren" . Thank you to all community churches/groups/members who have collaborated with St. Rosalie's PSM donating your time, treasure, and talents to lift up the suffering in our community. And, thank you to all of the St. Rosalie's Ministries for walking along side us as we sojourn together serving His people in our parish community.

Statistics and numbers cannot quantify the extent of goodness multiplied by these outreach efforts. But, Psalm 34:18 says The Lord is close to the brokenhearted. We have seen and heard the brokenhearted as they walk through the open door of St. Rosalie's Parish Social Ministry on the lower concourse of the Parish Center...leaving renewed with hope...You are the Goodness of the Lord. Thank you.

*Blessings,
Catherine*