



Corpus Christi Foundation

ANNUAL REPORT 2016



Join Us Dream With Us Build With Us

Dear Supporters,

The Foundation feels especially blessed this year for many reasons. First, we are sincerely grateful for the many donors and supporters who believe in and support our mission – our Catholic community is blessed by your generosity! Second, we are grateful to the many individuals who have been a part of our projects this year; it has been an exciting journey with many gifted people joining in to develop a new website, video, and printed brochure. If you have not had a chance to yet, please visit us at www.ccfoundationhz.org. The Foundation board hopes you feel as much pride and love for our Catholic community as we do.

The Foundation continues to do great work as we strive by grace in all we do, to nurture our faith for future generations. Thank you for making a difference to so many that seek to grow in faith, and to those at our parishes and school who give so much of themselves to help others grow in faith. With your gifts, you have helped provide Catholic education to families, put new books in the hands of children, send teens on retreat and parishioners on pilgrimage, and touch others in countless ways in the years ahead.

This annual report highlights some of our recent work, which you made possible with your generous sharing of God's gifts to you. Thank you for investing in our lakeshore Catholic community - for joining us, dreaming with us, and building with us!

Blessings,

Carol Quinn
Foundation President, 2016-2017

Corpus Christi
Foundation is pleased to
announce the release of
our new website! Please
visit us at
www.ccfoundationhz.org
to learn more.

Find us on Facebook...
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Foundation."
Keep current with news,
events and Foundation
information!



At this website, watch an exciting new
video featuring our Lakeshore Catholic
community!

The Foundation provides annual tuition assistance funding to Corpus Christi Catholic School for families that otherwise would not have this opportunity.



"Coming to Corpus Christi Catholic School changed our lives completely for the better; if not for this funding, we would not be able to give our kids this chance." - Corpus Christi Family

The Foundation provided 2017 grant money to fund a portion of new interactive science tools for elementary students at Corpus Christi Catholic School.



"This hands-on program allows students to problem solve while using higher order thinking across content areas."
- Amy Supple, Academic Dean




Our Lady of the Lake purchased various Sacred Vessels, funded in part with 2017 grant funds from the Foundation.

"I so deeply appreciate the efforts of the Foundation. Through their Spirit-led work, they have assisted the parish in obtaining new Sacred Vessels to enhance our worship of God and much-needed advanced technology for our religious education programs."
- Fr. Michael Cilibrise

The Mercy in the Parish pilgrimage made in July 2016 was funded with 2016 Foundation grant funds. A total of fourteen St. Francis and Our Lady Of The Lake parishioners walked from Corpus Christi School in Holland to Jenison, where they spent the night. The following morning, the group swelled to nearly three dozen parish pilgrims as they reached their final destination at the Door of Mercy at St. Andrew's Cathedral in downtown Grand Rapids.



"This pilgrimage was one of the highlights of my year and one of the highlights of my career in ministry,"
- Tom Eggleston, Pastoral Associate

A painting depicting a man in chains, likely a prisoner, looking out through a window with a grid pattern. The man is in the foreground, wearing a dark, heavy coat and has a beard. He is looking towards the right. Behind him, a woman in a vibrant red dress is visible, her hands clasped in prayer. The scene is lit with warm, golden light, suggesting a sunrise or sunset. The overall mood is one of contemplation and hope.

The St. Francis de Sales ministry, St. Benedict Institute, hosted a conference on Restorative Justice in March 2017. The conference was organized by inmates from a correctional facility. This successful event was open to the public and attended by over 300 people. A Foundation grant funded keynote speaker fees and expenses.

"I don't think I've ever been at an event where those attending were as engaged in the topic as this one!" - Brian Piecuch, Director of Development, St. Benedict Institute

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (Jan. 1, 2016 - Dec. 31, 2016)	
ASSETS	
• Cash	\$444
• Investments	\$1,429,215
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,429,659
LIABILITIES & RESTRICTED FUNDS	
<i>Restricted Funds (Donor Designated Donations)</i>	
• Corpus Christi Tuition Assistance	\$490,885
• Corpus Christi General School Fund	\$374,394
• St. Francis de Sales Parish Fund	\$47,766
• Our Lady of the Lake Parish Fund	\$68,626
• Restricted Total	\$981,671
<i>Temporarily Restricted Funds</i>	\$443,271
<i>Unrestricted Funds</i>	\$4,716
TOTAL LIABILITIES & RESTRICTED FUNDS	\$1,429,659
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITY (Jan. 1, 2016 - Dec. 31, 2016)	
REVENUE, GAINS & OTHER	
• Contributions	\$53,993
• Asset Earnings	\$42,300
• Unrealized Gains (Losses)	\$67,407
• Community Foundation of Holland/Zeeland Area (CFHZ) Distribution	\$4,400
TOTAL REVENUE, GAINS & OTHER	\$168,100
EXPENSES	
• Professional Services	\$675
• Operational Costs	\$12,757
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$13,432
2016 DISTRIBUTIONS	
• Donor Designated Distributions	\$82,694
TOTAL DISTRIBUTIONS	\$82,694
CHANGE IN TOTAL ASSETS	\$71,975
TOTAL ASSETS - December 31, 2015	\$1,357,684
TOTAL ASSETS - December 31, 2016	\$1,429,659
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF THE HOLLAND/ZEE LAND AREA (CFHZ)	
• Corpus Christi Foundation Endowment Fund	
- 2016 Calendar Contributions	\$2,350
- Ending Fund Balance	\$115,730

Announcing Our 2017 Distributions...

We are pleased to announce the Foundation's distributions made in January 2017, as detailed below. Your generous contributions to Foundation assets have resulted in a total distribution amount of \$603,182 to our school and parishes from 2003 to 2017!!

DESIGNATED DISTRIBUTIONS	2017
Corpus Christi Tuition Assistance	\$27,855
Corpus Christi General School Fund	\$21,265
St. Francis DeSales Parish Fund	\$2,711
Our Lady of the Lake Parish Fund	\$3,895
TOTAL DESIGNATED DISTRIBUTIONS	\$55,727
GENERAL FUND DISTRIBUTIONS	
<i>Corpus Christi School - Grants Funded January 2017</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhancing Our Catholic Identity - Bible Quote Decals • K-4 Interactive Science Curriculum • Osmo Classroom and Coding Kit with Pizza Co. • Liturgical Music, Children's Choir • Lego Table and Legos • Manipulative Mania - Hands On Math Tools • Women Who Left Their Mark in History - Book Sets • Sharing the Gift of Writing - Author Presentation • Creative Clay Creations 	
<i>Our Lady of the Lake - Grants Funded January 2017</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sacred Vessels • iPads for Faith Formation • ProPresenter 6 Software 	
<i>St. Francis de Sales - Grants Funded January 2017</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible Commentaries • Portable Sound System for Parish/School Events at Corpus Christi • Sacred Vessels/Vestments/Linens, Mass at Hope College - St. Benedict Institute • Restorative Justice Day of Study - St. Benedict Institute 	
TOTAL GENERAL FUND DISTRIBUTIONS	\$17,252
TOTAL DISTRIBUTIONS	\$72,980
Approved Funds Not Distributed	\$35
C/O for Next Fiscal Year Distribution	

Board of Directors 2016-2017



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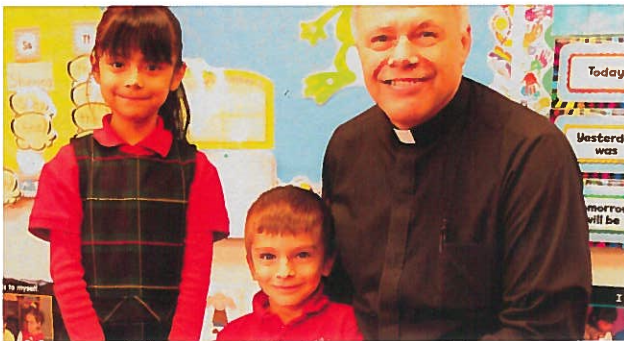
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