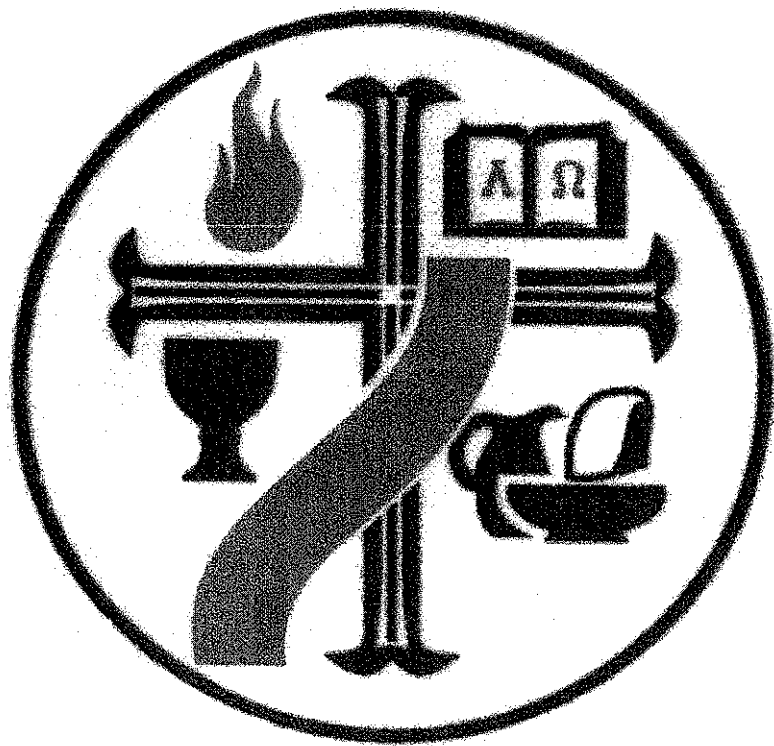




# Archdiocese of Newark

## Permanent Diaconate Report 2008



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Christ the Redeemer!

**Date:** November 21, 2008

**To:** Most Reverend John J. Myers

**CC:** Reverend Monsignor John E. Doran  
Reverend Joseph Petrillo  
Reverend James Teti

**From:** Deacon John J. McKenna

**Subject:** Permanent Diaconate Status Report, 1999-2008

Your Grace, the following is a status report on the Permanent Diaconate in the Archdiocese of Newark. The data is based on information obtained from the Ministry Agreements signed by the Permanent Deacons. This information has been entered into the Diaconate database.

The first Permanent Deacons were ordained in the Archdiocese of Newark in 1975. Since that time, the Diaconate has grown and evolved as it strives to meet the needs of our Church. There are currently 174 active Deacons in the Church of Newark.

The trend in our Archdiocese shows a slight decrease in the number of Deacons each year as they die or retire from their secular jobs and move to more retirement friendly areas of New Jersey. We rarely incardinate Deacons, as few seem to move into our area. This pattern is emphasized by the fact that the Diocese of Trenton, which is smaller than the Archdiocese, has 280 Deacons, more than 40 of whom are from outside the Diocese of Trenton. The Trenton Diocese covers many New Jersey shore communities to which people retire.

Currently, we have 35 men in formation. God willing, they will be ordained in 2011.

I hope this report will be of assistance to you in determining the future selection and assignment of Deacons in the Archdiocese of Newark.

In Christ.

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Over the past ten (10) years the Diaconate has grown in the Archdiocese by 12%. We hit a high of 196 active deacons in 2005, which was due to ordination classes in 2002, 2003 (Hispanic) and 2005. Since 2005 the Diaconate has actually declined by 13%, largely due to the fact that there have been no ordination classes since then. There are currently 35 men in formation that will be ordained in 2011.

There are 26 permanent deacons who are serving outside the Archdiocese of Newark.

Reflecting the regional demographics of the Archdiocese of Newark, the **Diaconate has an aging population**, with 94% of deacons 50 years of age and over and 23% over the age of 70. The average age of the formation class of 2011 is about 52.

**The Diaconate community is more educated than it was 10 years ago** when 22% of deacons held bachelors degrees and 43% did not have any more than a high school education. Now **50% of deacons hold a bachelor degree** and only 24% of deacons have not progressed beyond a high school education.

**The marital status of deacons has remained relatively stable over the past ten years.** The largest increase has been in the number of widowed deacons, which correlates to the aging of the deacon population.

The racial and ethnic mix of deacons shows that two categories experienced notable changes: the **percent of White deacons has decreased** from 73% in 1999 to 65% in 2008 while **Asian deacons have increased** from 1.3% (Filipino) in 1999 to 4% in 2008. In the formation class of 2011, the percentages of White, Black/African American and Asian candidates are higher than those of the permanent deacons while the percentage of Hispanic candidates is lower.

**Twenty-eight (28) percent of deacons are bilingual.** Within this group, 16% speak Spanish and 5% speak Italian.

According to survey responses, the **areas of ministry having the highest participation rates among deacons are: baptism, RCIA, and hospital chaplaincy.**

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In summary, the Diaconate of the Archdiocese of Newark should continue with a slow but steady increase in numbers. The ethnic/racial makeup of the Diaconate is likely to continue a trend toward a decrease in white deacons and a slow growth of Asian and perhaps Hispanic Deacons.

The Diaconate will continue its aging trend.

Overall, the diaconate appears to be an increasingly educated group which will help the deacons to more effectively articulate Church teaching to the faithful.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Historically, deacons in our Archdiocese have been assigned after ordination to their home parishes. This has resulted in many parishes having multiple deacons while others have none. In the future, I recommend that deacon assignments be determined by the needs of the Archdiocese.
- The average age of the Diaconate is increasing and the approximate average age of the new formation class is 52 years old. I recommend that the Office of the Permanent Diaconate develop out reach efforts to Catholic men in their early forties in order to balance out the age range in the Diaconate.
- With an increase in the Hispanic and Asian populations (Filipino and Korean) of the Archdiocese, I believe that the percentage of Hispanic and Asian deacons should more closely reflect the percentages of Hispanics and Asians in the Archdiocese. I therefore recommend that the Office of the Permanent Diaconate develop out reach efforts to our Hispanic and Asian parishioners.
- I also recommend an increased effort in continuing education and formation of deacons and a three (3) year post-ordination formation for newly ordained deacons to coincide with the norms set forth in the National Directory for the Formation, Ministry, and Life of Permanent Deacons in the United States.

## DIACONATE REPORT STATISTICAL SUMMARY

Among the Deacons of the Church of Newark you will find Lawyers, Doctors, Teachers, Law Enforcement Officers, Business Executive and Blue Collar workers. Each of these men brings his own unique life experiences to his Diaconate Ministry. It is my observation that Deacons are used quite differently from parish to parish. In some Parishes Deacons are permitted to use all of their faculties (baptisms, wake services, weddings, etc.) and in others they are not.

Pope Benedict XIV said recently, "I think that one characteristic of the diaconal ministry is precisely the multiplicity of its applications. ...there is no single profile."

### ACTIVE DEACONS

| <u>1999</u> | <u>2008</u> | <u>% Change</u> |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------|
| 156         | 174         | + 12%           |

### AGE

|      | <u>1999</u> | <u>2008</u> |
|------|-------------|-------------|
| 40's | 5%          | 6%          |
| 50's | 30%         | 30%         |
| 60's | 37%         | 39%         |
| 70's | 28%         | 19%         |
| 80's | -           | 6%          |

|           | <u>2008</u> |
|-----------|-------------|
| 40-49     | 6%          |
| 50 & over | 94%         |
| 60 & over | 63%         |
| 70 & over | 23%         |

### EDUCATION

|                      | <u>1999</u>         | <u>2008</u> |
|----------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| <b>BA</b>            | <b>22%</b>          | <b>50%</b>  |
| <b>MA</b>            | <b>16%</b>          | <b>18%</b>  |
| <b>PHD</b>           | <b>Not Reported</b> | <b>2%</b>   |
| <b>Other College</b> | <b>19%</b>          | <b>6%</b>   |
| <b>H.S/Other</b>     | <b>43%</b>          | <b>24%</b>  |

### MARITAL STATUS

|                           | <u>1999</u> | <u>2008</u>         |
|---------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| <b>Married</b>            | <b>89%</b>  | <b>85%</b>          |
| <b>Single</b>             | <b>7%</b>   | <b>6%</b>           |
| <b>Divorced/Separated</b> | <b>1%</b>   | <b>Not reported</b> |
| <b>Widowed</b>            | <b>3%</b>   | <b>9%</b>           |

### RACIAL/ETHNIC

|                         | <u>1999</u> | <u>2008</u>       |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| <b>White</b>            | <b>73%</b>  | <b>65%</b>        |
| <b>Hispanic/Latino</b>  | <b>21%</b>  | <b>20%</b>        |
| <b>African American</b> | <b>4%</b>   | <b>2%</b>         |
| <b>Filipino</b>         | <b>1.3%</b> | <b>4% (Asian)</b> |
| <b>Other</b>            | <b>-</b>    | <b>9%</b>         |

### FOREIGN LANGUAGES

**28%** of deacons are **bi-lingual**.

Of these, the highest frequencies are **Spanish – 16%** and **Italian – 5%**.

# Archdiocese of Newark Current State of the Permanent Diaconate Program 2008

## Number of Parishes With and Without Deacons

There are 174 permanent Deacons assigned to 122 parishes/institutions. *Appendix A* at the end of this report indicates those parishes with deacons. It also reports on the number of deacons and priests in each parish. *Appendix B* at the end of this report indicates the parishes without deacons and the number of priests in those parishes. The appendices also give the information by County.

## Education Beyond High School

The following chart indicates by County the number of Deacons who have attended college and have acquired advanced degrees as well as the particular areas of study. Seventy-seven percent (77%) of Deacons hold a Degree.

| <u>Higher Education</u>                     | <u>Bergen</u> | <u>Essex</u> | <u>Hudson</u> | <u>Union</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|---------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| Bachelor of Arts                            | 12            | 11           | 8             | 11           | 42           |
| Bachelor of Business Administration         | 1             | 8            |               | 1            | 10           |
| Bachelor of Laws                            |               | 4            |               |              | 4            |
| Bachelor of Philosophy                      | 1             | 1            |               |              | 2            |
| Bachelor of Science                         | 12            | 5            | 5             | 6            | 28           |
| Bachelor of Science in Elec. Engineering    | 1             |              |               |              | 1            |
| Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering    | 1             |              |               |              | 1            |
| Clinical Pastoral Education                 | 1             |              |               |              | 1            |
| Ed. Admin. For Church & Scholars Leadership | 3             | 1            |               | 1            | 5            |
| Master of Arts                              | 7             |              | 3             | 1            | 11           |
| Master of Business Administration           | 3             | 1            | 2             |              | 6            |
| Master of Divinity                          |               |              |               | 1            | 1            |
| Master of Education                         |               |              |               | 1            | 1            |
| Master of Laws                              |               |              |               | 1            | 1            |
| Master of Public Administration             |               |              |               | 1            | 1            |
| Master of Science                           | 3             |              |               | 2            | 5            |
| Master of Social Work                       | 1             |              | 1             | 1            | 3            |
| Master of Theology                          | 1             | 1            |               |              | 2            |
| Doctor of Education                         | 1             | 1            |               |              | 2            |
| Doctor of Laws                              | 1             |              |               | 1            | 2            |
| Doctor of Philosophy                        | 3             |              |               |              | 3            |
| Non Specified                               | 3             | 2            |               |              | 5            |
| <b>Totals</b>                               | <b>55</b>     | <b>35</b>    | <b>19</b>     | <b>28</b>    | <b>137</b>   |

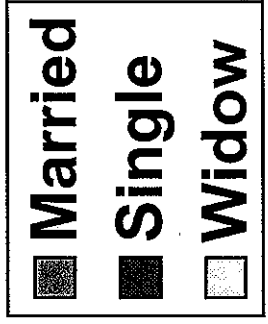
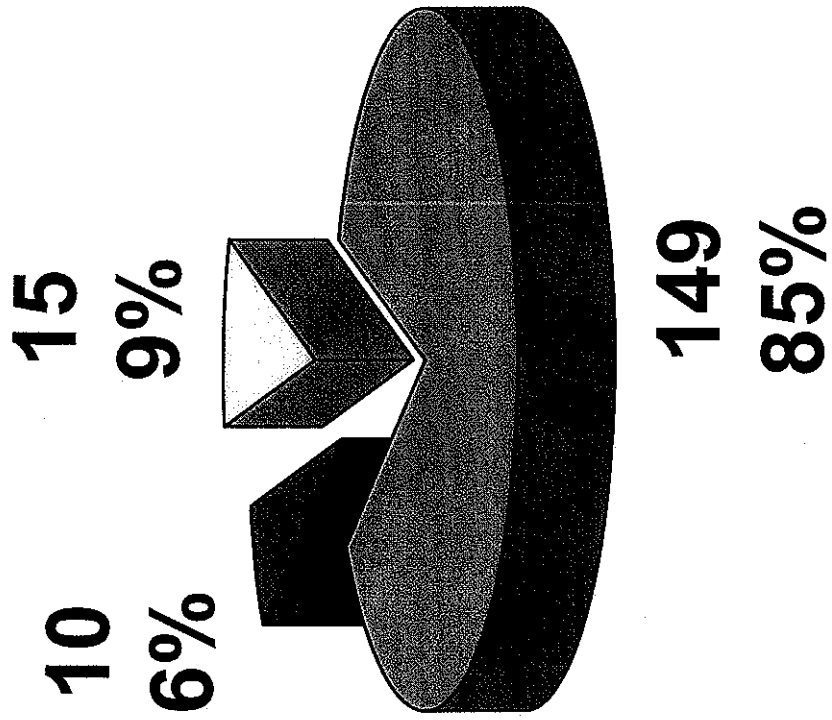
## Foreign Languages Spoken

The following chart by County indicates the number of Deacons who are multilingual and the various foreign languages spoken by Deacons in the Archdiocese.

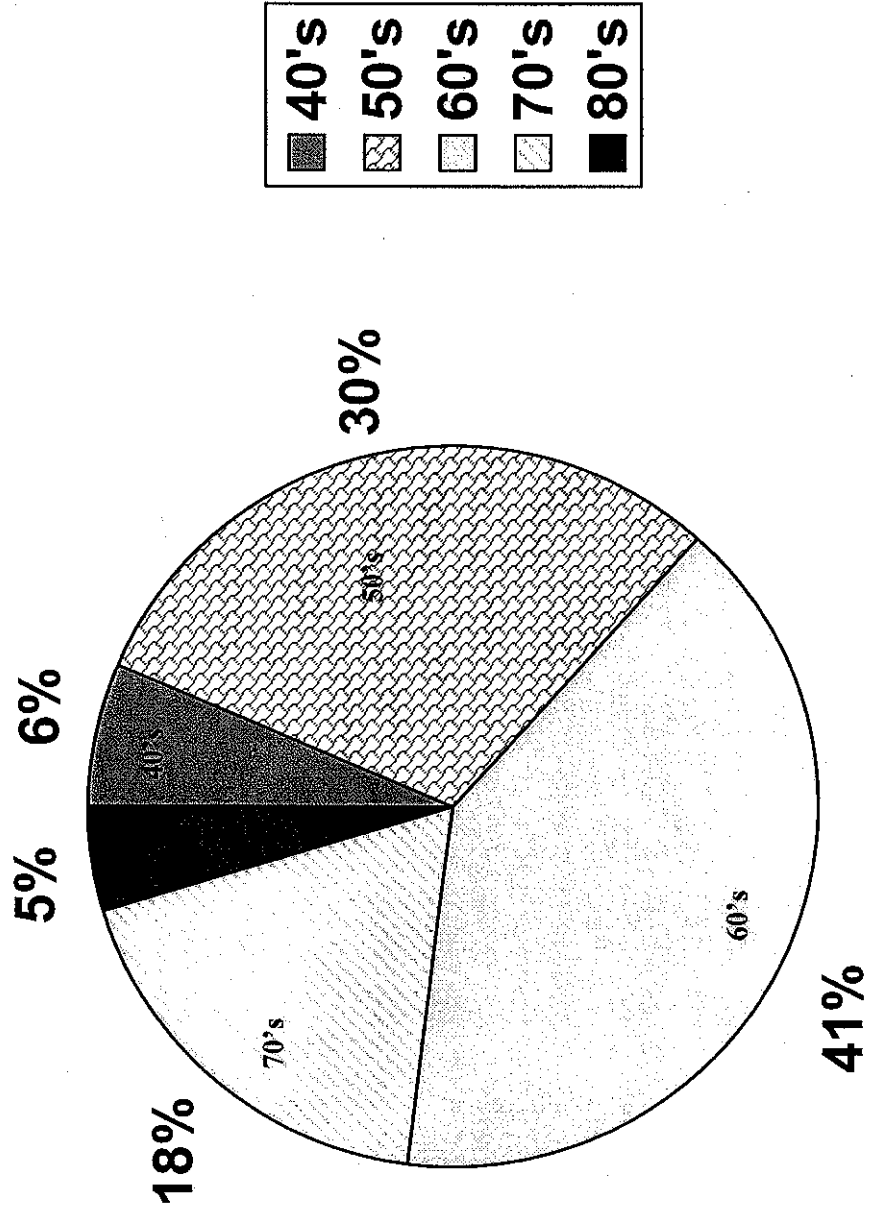
| <u>Foreign Languages Spoken</u> | <u>Bergen</u> | <u>Essex</u> | <u>Hudson</u> | <u>Union</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|---------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| Filipino Tagalog                |               | 3            |               |              | 3            |
| French                          |               | 1            |               | 1            | 2            |
| German                          | 3             |              |               |              | 3            |
| Italian                         |               | 2            | 2             | 4            | 8            |
| Korean                          | 1             |              |               |              | 1            |
| Maltese                         |               |              | 1             |              | 1            |
| Mandarin Chinese                |               |              |               | 1            | 1            |
| Portuguese                      |               | 1            |               |              | 1            |
| Spanish                         | 4             | 11           | 9             | 4            | 28           |
| Totals                          | 8             | 18           | 12            | 10           | 48           |



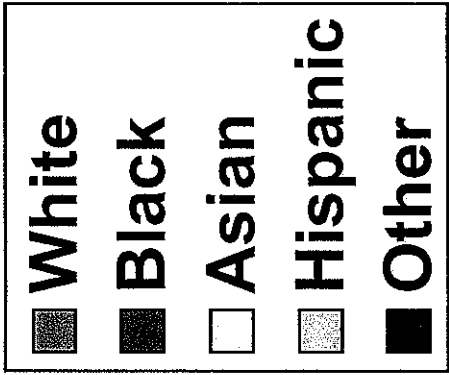
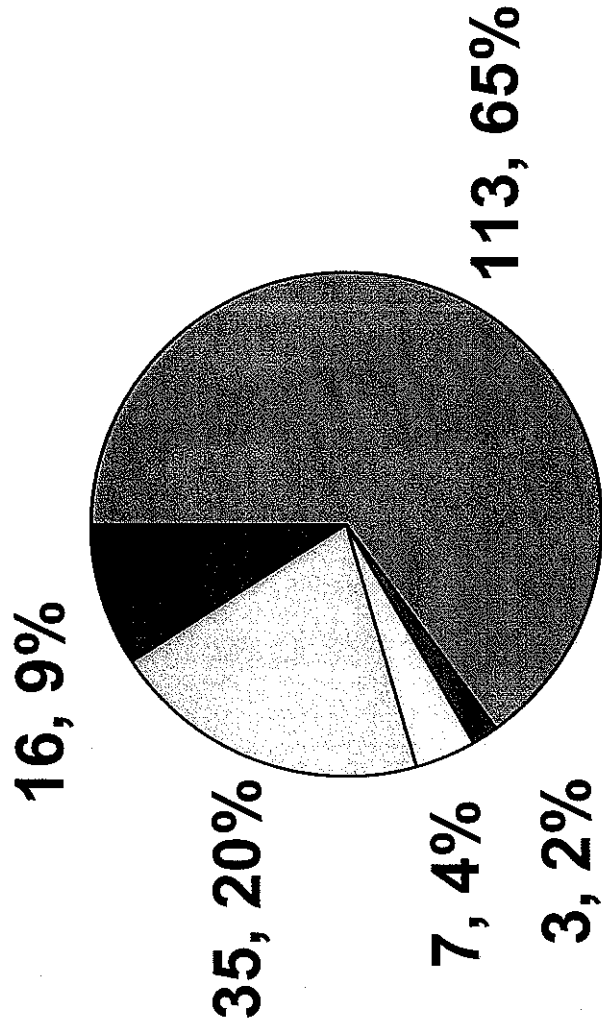
Marital Status



Age Distribution



Racial/Ethnic Groups



## Church and Community Related Ministries

The following chart by County indicates what these various ministries are and how many Deacons are involved in each.

| <b>Ministry</b>      | <b>Bergen</b> | <b>Essex</b> | <b>Hudson</b> | <b>Union</b> | <b>Total</b> |
|----------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| Baptism              | 6             | 3            | 6             | 9            | 24           |
| Campus Ministry      | 1             |              |               |              | 1            |
| Chaplain-Hospital    | 7             | 6            | 4             | 6            | 23           |
| Chaplain-Police      |               |              | 1             |              | 1            |
| Cursillos            |               | 1            | 2             |              | 3            |
| Eucharistic Minister | 3             | 1            | 4             | 1            | 9            |
| Evangelization       |               | 1            |               |              | 1            |
| Health Care          | 1             | 1            |               |              | 2            |
| Home Missions        |               | 1            |               |              | 1            |
| Knights of Columbus  |               | 1            |               |              | 1            |
| Lector               | 2             | 2            | 4             | 1            | 9            |
| Legion of Mary       |               |              | 1             |              | 1            |
| Liturgy              | 1             |              |               | 1            | 2            |
| Marriage Tribunal    | 6             |              |               | 1            | 7            |
| Music Ministry       |               | 1            |               |              | 1            |
| Parish Ministry      |               | 1            |               |              | 1            |
| Pastoral Counseling  | 1             | 1            | 1             | 1            | 4            |
| Pre Cana             | 2             | 3            | 2             | 3            | 10           |
| Prison               | 1             | 2            |               | 2            | 5            |
| RCIA                 | 10            | 6            | 5             | 3            | 24           |
| Religious Education  | 2             | 1            | 1             | 1            | 5            |
| Retreats             | 1             |              |               |              | 1            |
| Seminary Staff       |               | 1            |               |              | 1            |
| Vocations            | 1             |              |               |              | 1            |
| Youth Work           | 1             |              | 1             | 2            | 4            |
| <b>Totals</b>        | <b>46</b>     | <b>33</b>    | <b>32</b>     | <b>31</b>    | <b>142</b>   |

**Appendix A**

**Active Deacons and Priests by Parishes**

| <b>County : Bergen</b>         |                   |                          |                |              |     |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------|--------------|-----|
| <b>Parish</b>                  | <b>City</b>       | <b>Deacons</b>           | <b>Priests</b> | <b>Total</b> |     |
| St. Joseph                     | Bogota            | 2                        | 2              | 4            |     |
| St. Mary                       | Closter           | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| St. Therese of Lisieux         | Cresskill         | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| St. Joseph                     | Demarest          | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| Holy Rosary                    | Edgewater         | 2                        | 1              | 3            |     |
| Assumption                     | Emerson           | 1                        | 3              | 4            |     |
| St. Anne                       | Fair Lawn         | 1                        | 3              | 4            |     |
| St. John the Baptist           | Fairview          | 2                        | 3              | 5            |     |
| Most Holy Name                 | Garfield          | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| St. Catharine                  | Glen Rock         | 3                        | 2              | 5            |     |
| St. Francis of Assisi          | Hackensack        | 2                        | 3              | 5            |     |
| Our Lady of Victories          | Harrington Pk     | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| Corpus Christi                 | Hasbrouck Heights | 1                        | 3              | 4            |     |
| St. John the Baptist           | Hillsdale         | 2                        | 2              | 4            |     |
| St. Luke                       | Ho Ho Kus         | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| St. John the Evangelist        | Leonia            | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| St. Joseph                     | Lodi              | 1                        | 3              | 4            |     |
| St. Michael the Archangel      | Lyndhurst         | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| Immaculate Conception          | Mahwah            | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| Our Lady Queen of Peace        | Maywood           | 1.5*                     | 2              | 3.5          |     |
| Ascension                      | New Milford       | 2                        | 2              | 4            |     |
| St. Joseph                     | New Milford       | 1                        | 3              | 4            |     |
| Queen of Peace                 | North Arlington   | 1.5*                     | 4              | 5.5          |     |
| St. Pius X                     | Old Tappan        | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| St. Michael                    | Palisades Park    | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| Annunciation                   | Paramus           | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| Our Lady of the Visitation     | Paramus           | 1                        | 3              | 4            |     |
| St. Paul                       | Ramsey            | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| St. Matthew                    | Ridgefield        | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel       | Ridgewood         | 2                        | 3              | 5            |     |
| St. Peter the Apostle          | River Edge        | 2                        | 2              | 4            |     |
| St. Mary                       | Rutherford        | 3                        | 2              | 5            |     |
| St. Anastasia                  | Teaneck           | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel       | Tenafly           | 2                        | 3              | 5            |     |
| Most Sacred Heart of Jesus     | Wallington        | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| Our Lady of Good Counsel       | Washington Twp    | 1                        | 2              | 3            |     |
| St. Andrew                     | Westwood          | 2                        | 2              | 4            |     |
| Our Lady Mother of the Church  | Woodcliff Lake    | 1                        | 1              | 2            |     |
| Assumption of Our Blessed Lady | Wood-Ridge        | 1                        | 3              | 4            |     |
| Total Parishes                 | 39                | <b>Totals for Bergen</b> | 54             | 81           | 135 |

\*Deacons are assigned to multiple parishes/institutions

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| <i>County : Essex</i>                  |              |                         |                |              |       |
|----------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|----------------|--------------|-------|
| <i>Parish</i>                          | <i>City</i>  | <i>Deacons</i>          | <i>Priests</i> | <i>Total</i> |       |
| St. Peter                              | Belleville   | 1                       | 2              | 3            |       |
| Sacred Heart                           | Bloomfield   | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Thomas the Apostle                 | Bloomfield   | 3                       | 2              | 5            |       |
| St. Valentine                          | Bloomfield   | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Aloysius                           | Caldwell     | 1                       | 3              | 4            |       |
| Holy Name of Jesus                     | East Orange  | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| Holy Spirit/O.L.Help of Christians     | East Orange  | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Joseph                             | East Orange  | 1                       | 2              | 3            |       |
| St. Thomas More                        | Fairfield    | 2.5*                    | 2              | 4.5          |       |
| Good Shepherd                          | Irvington    | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Leo                                | Irvington    | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Philomena                          | Livingston   | 1                       | 3              | 4            |       |
| St. Andrew Kim                         | Maplewood    | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Peter Claver                       | Montclair    | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart | Newark       | 3                       | 3              | 6            |       |
| Immaculate Heart of Mary               | Newark       | 1                       | 3              | 4            |       |
| Our Lady of Fatima                     | Newark       | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| Our Lady of Good Counsel               | Newark       | 2                       | 1              | 3            |       |
| Parish of the Transfiguration          | Newark       | 2                       | 1              | 3            |       |
| Queen of Angels                        | Newark       | 1                       | 2              | 3            |       |
| Sacred Heart (Vailsburg)               | Newark       | 1                       | 2              | 3            |       |
| St. Anthony                            | Newark       | 1                       | 4              | 5            |       |
| St. Antoninus                          | Newark       | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Francis Xavier                     | Newark       | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Lucy                               | Newark       | 1                       | 3              | 4            |       |
| St. Michael                            | Newark       | 5                       | 3              | 8            |       |
| St. Patrick Pro Cathedral              | Newark       | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| St. Rose of Lima                       | Newark       | 1                       | 2              | 3            |       |
| Holy Family                            | Nutley       | 1                       | 3              | 4            |       |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel               | Nutley       | 1                       | 2              | 3            |       |
| St. Mary                               | Nutley       | 2                       | 3              | 5            |       |
| St. John Church                        | Orange       | 1                       | 1              | 2            |       |
| Our Lady of the Bl. Sacrament          | Roseland     | 1                       | 2              | 3            |       |
| Our Lady of Sorrows                    | South Orange | 2                       | 2              | 4            |       |
| St. Joseph                             | West Orange  | 3                       | 2              | 5            |       |
| Total Parishes                         | 35           | <i>Totals for Essex</i> | 50.5           | 65           | 115.5 |

\*Deacons are assigned to multiple parishes/institutions

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**Active Deacons and Priests by Parishes**

| <b>County : Hudson</b>                |               |                          |                |              |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| <b>Parish</b>                         | <b>City</b>   | <b>Deacons</b>           | <b>Priests</b> | <b>Total</b> |
| Our Lady of the Assumption            | Bayonne       | 1                        | 1              | 2            |
| St. Vincent de Paul                   | Bayonne       | 1                        | 2              | 3            |
| SS Peter & Paul                       | Hoboken       | 1                        | 2              | 3            |
| Christ the King                       | Jersey City   | 1                        | 1              | 2            |
| Our Lady of Mercy                     | Jersey City   | 1                        | 3              | 4            |
| Parish of the Resurrection            | Jersey City   | 5                        | 3              | 8            |
| Saint Patrick & Assumption/All Saints | Jersey City   | 1.5*                     | 2              | 3.5          |
| St. Aloysius                          | Jersey City   | 1                        | 3              | 4            |
| St. Nicholas                          | Jersey City   | 3                        | 1              | 4            |
| St. Paul the Apostle                  | Jersey City   | 1                        | 2              | 3            |
| Our Lady of Sorrows                   | Kearny        | 2                        | 2              | 4            |
| St. Stephen                           | Kearny        | 2                        | 2              | 4            |
| Immaculate Conception                 | Secaucus      | 1                        | 2              | 3            |
| SS Joseph And Michael                 | Union City    | 3                        | 2              | 5            |
| St. Augustine                         | Union City    | 2                        | 3              | 5            |
| Our Lady of Libera                    | West New York | 1                        | 1              | 2            |
| <b>Total Parishes</b>                 | <b>16</b>     | <b>Totals for Hudson</b> | <b>27.5</b>    | <b>32</b>    |
|                                       |               |                          |                | <b>59.5</b>  |

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| <i>County :Union</i>                  |                              |                         |                |              |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|
| <b>Parish</b>                         | <b>City</b>                  | <b>Deacons</b>          | <b>Priests</b> | <b>Total</b> |            |
| Little Flower                         | Berkeley Heights             | 2                       | 2              | 4            |            |
| St. Michael                           | Cranford                     | 1                       | 3              | 4            |            |
| Blessed Sacrament                     | Elizabeth                    | 2                       | 1              | 3            |            |
| Holy Rosary/St. Michael               | Elizabeth                    | 1                       | 2              | 3            |            |
| St. Adalbert                          | Elizabeth                    | 1                       | 1              | 2            |            |
| St. Anthony of Padua                  | Elizabeth                    | .5*                     | 5              | 5.5          |            |
| St. Genevieve                         | Elizabeth                    | .5*                     | 3              | 3.5          |            |
| St. Mary of the Assumption            | Elizabeth                    | 1                       | 3              | 4            |            |
| St. Patrick/ Immaculate Heart of Mary | Elizabeth                    | 1                       | 2              | 3            |            |
| St. Theresa                           | Kenilworth                   | 1                       | 1              | 2            |            |
| St. Elizabeth of Hungary              | Linden                       | 1                       | 1              | 2            |            |
| St. John the Apostle                  | Linden                       | 2                       | 3              | 5            |            |
| Our Lady of Lourdes                   | Mountainside                 | 2                       | 1              | 3            |            |
| St. Thomas Aquinas                    | Newark                       | 1                       | 1              | 2            |            |
| St. Mary                              | Plainfield                   | 2                       | 4              | 6            |            |
| St. Mary                              | Rahway                       | 2                       | 2              | 4            |            |
| St. Joseph the Carpenter              | Roselle                      | 1                       | 2              | 3            |            |
| St. Bartholomew                       | Scotch Plains                | 1                       | 2              | 3            |            |
| St. Rose of Lima                      | Short Hills                  | 3                       | 3              | 6            |            |
| St. James                             | Springfield                  | 2                       | 2              | 4            |            |
| St. Teresa of Avila                   | Summit                       | 1                       | 3              | 4            |            |
| Holy Spirit                           | Union                        | 2                       | 3              | 5            |            |
| Holy Trinity                          | Westfield                    | 2                       | 2              | 4            |            |
| St. Helen                             | Westfield                    | 1                       | 1              | 2            |            |
| Total Parishes                        | 24                           | <b>Totals for Union</b> | 34             | 53           | 87         |
|                                       |                              |                         |                |              |            |
|                                       | <b>Assigned to Hospitals</b> |                         | 6              |              |            |
|                                       | <b>Assigned to Prison</b>    |                         | 1              |              |            |
|                                       | <b>Assigned to Chancery</b>  |                         | 1              |              |            |
| <b>Grand Totals:</b>                  | <b>122</b>                   |                         | <b>174</b>     | <b>231</b>   | <b>405</b> |

\*Deacons are assigned to multiple parishes/institutions



## Appendix B

### Parishes Without Deacons

| <i>County : Bergen</i>       |                    |                      |
|------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Parish</i>                | <i>City</i>        | <i>Priests</i>       |
| Guardian Angel               | Allendale          | 1                    |
| St. Joseph Korean Catholic   | Demarest           | 1                    |
| Our Lady of Mount Virgin     | Garfield           | 2                    |
| Immaculate Conception        | Hackensack         | 1                    |
| St. Joseph                   | Hackensack         | 1                    |
| Sacred Heart                 | Haworth            | 1                    |
| St. Margaret of Cortona      | Little Ferry       | 1                    |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel     | Lyndhurst          | 1                    |
| Immaculate Conception        | Norwood            | 1                    |
| Our Lady of Perpetual Help   | Oakland            | 1                    |
| St. Leo                      | Elmwood Park       | 2                    |
| Our Lady of Grace            | Fairview           | 2                    |
| Holy Trinity                 | Fort Lee           | 1                    |
| Our Lady of Sorrows          | Garfield           | 1                    |
| Sacred Heart                 | Lyndhurst          | 2                    |
| Immaculate Heart of Mary     | Mahwah             | 2                    |
| St. Nicholas                 | Palisades Park     | 2                    |
| Sacred Heart                 | Rochelle Park      | 1                    |
| St. Gabriel the Archangel    | Saddle River       | 2                    |
| Church of the Korean Martyrs | Saddle Brook       | 1                    |
| Epiphany                     | Cliffside Park     | 2                    |
| Most Blessed Sacrament       | Franklin Lakes     | 3                    |
| St. Stanislaus Kostka        | Garfield           | 2                    |
| St. Francis De Sales         | Lodi               | 1                    |
| Nativity                     | Midland Pk         | 2                    |
| St. Anthony                  | Northvale          | 1                    |
| St. Philip the Apostle       | Saddle Brook       | 3                    |
| St. Elizabeth                | Wyckoff            | 3                    |
| St. Mary                     | Dumont             | 1                    |
| Our Lady of Mercy            | Park Ridge         | 2                    |
| St. Francis of Assisi        | Ridgefield Park    | 2                    |
| St. Cecilia                  | Englewood          | 1                    |
| Madonna                      | Fort Lee           | 2                    |
| Church of the Presentation   | Upper Saddle River | 2                    |
| St. John the Evangelist      | Bergenfield        | 5                    |
| St. Joseph                   | East Rutherford    | 2                    |
| Holy Trinity                 | Hackensack         | 5                    |
| Total Parishes               | 37                 | Totals for Bergen 66 |

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**Parishes Without Deacons**

| <b>County : Essex</b>                  |                 |                                |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Parish</b>                          | <b>City</b>     | <b>Priests</b>                 |
| Sacred Heart of Jesus                  | Irvington       | 1                              |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel               | Montclair       | 1                              |
| Holy Trinity - Epiphany                | Newark          | 1                              |
| Immaculate Conception                  | Newark          | 1                              |
| St. Aloysius                           | Newark          | 1                              |
| St. Augustine                          | Newark          | 1                              |
| St. Casimir                            | Newark          | 1                              |
| St. Columba                            | Newark          | 2                              |
| St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception  | Newark          | 1                              |
| St. Stanislaus                         | Newark          | 1                              |
| St. Raphael                            | Livingston      | 2                              |
| Blessed Sacrament St. Charles Borromeo | Newark          | 1                              |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel               | Newark          | 2                              |
| St. Benedict                           | Newark          | 1                              |
| St. John Church                        | Newark          | 1                              |
| Our Lady of the Valley                 | Orange          | 3                              |
| St. Cassian                            | Upper Montclair | 2                              |
| St. Catherine of Siena                 | Cedar Grove     | 3                              |
| St. Joseph                             | Maplewood       | 1                              |
| Notre Dame                             | North Caldwell  | 1                              |
| Immaculate Conception                  | Montclair       | 3                              |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel               | Orange          | 2                              |
| Our Lady of the Lake                   | Verona          | 3                              |
| St. James                              | Newark          | 4                              |
| <b>Total Parishes</b>                  | <b>24</b>       | <b>Totals for Essex<br/>40</b> |

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**Parishes Without Deacons**

| <i>County : Hudson</i>       |               |                                 |
|------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|
| <i>Parish</i>                | <i>City</i>   | <i>Priests</i>                  |
| St. Joseph                   | Bayonne       | 1                               |
| Our Lady of Sorrows          | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| St. Ann (Polish)             | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| Our Lady of Fatima           | North Bergen  | 1                               |
| Sacred Heart                 | North Bergen  | 1                               |
| St. Lawrence Church          | Weehawken     | 1                               |
| St. Francis of Assisi        | Hoboken       | 1                               |
| Holy Rosary                  | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| Our Lady of Czestochowa      | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| St. Aedan                    | Jersey City   | 2                               |
| St. Anthony of Padua         | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| St. Joseph                   | Jersey City   | 2                               |
| St. Paul of the Cross        | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| Holy Redeemer                | West New York | 2                               |
| St. Andrew                   | Bayonne       | 2                               |
| St. Henry                    | Bayonne       | 3                               |
| St. Mary, Star of the Sea    | Bayonne       | 3                               |
| Our Lady of Czestochowa      | Harrison      | 1                               |
| Our Lady of Grace/St. Joseph | Hoboken       | 2                               |
| St. Ann                      | Hoboken       | 1                               |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel     | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| St. John the Baptist         | Jersey City   | 2                               |
| St. Cecilia                  | Kearny        | 2                               |
| Holy Family                  | Union City    | 2                               |
| St. Anthony of Padua         | Union City    | 2                               |
| Our Lady of Mount Carmel     | Bayonne       | 3                               |
| St. Michael                  | Bayonne       | 2                               |
| St. Anthony                  | East Newark   | 1                               |
| Our Lady of Victories        | Jersey City   | 1                               |
| Holy Cross                   | Harrison      | 1                               |
| St. Anne                     | Jersey City   | 2                               |
| St. Joseph of the Palisades  | West New York | 3                               |
| <b>Total Parishes</b>        | <b>32</b>     | <b>Totals for Hudson<br/>51</b> |

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**Parishes Without Deacons**

| <i>County :Union</i>                       |                         |                |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| <i>Parish</i>                              | <i>City</i>             | <i>Priests</i> |
|                                            |                         |                |
| Holy Family                                | Linden                  | 1              |
| St. Mark                                   | Rahway                  | 1              |
| SS Peter and Paul                          | Elizabeth               | 1              |
| St. Hedwig                                 | Elizabeth               | 2              |
| Church of St. Anne                         | Garwood                 | 1              |
| Christ the King                            | Hillside                | 1              |
| St. Catherine of Siena                     | Hillside                | 2              |
| St. Agnes                                  | Clark                   | 2              |
| Immaculate Conception                      | Elizabeth               | 2              |
| Our Lady of Fatima                         | Elizabeth               | 1              |
| St. Theresa of the Child Jesus             | Linden                  | 3              |
| Our Lady of Peace                          | New Providence          | 2              |
| The Parish of St. Bernard & St. Stanislaus | Plainfield              | 2              |
| Assumption                                 | Roselle Park            | 1              |
| Immaculate Heart of Mary                   | Scotch Plains           | 2              |
| St. Michael                                | Union                   | 3              |
|                                            | <b>Totals for Union</b> | <b>27</b>      |
| Total Parishes                             | <b>16</b>               |                |
| Grand Totals:                              | <b>109</b>              | <b>184</b>     |