



ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

August 25, 2024

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monsignor David Cox, Pastor

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BAPTISM: Contact Monsignor Cox regarding preparation sessions and scheduling

PENANCE: Saturday 4:30-5:00 p.m. or by appointment

MARRIAGE: Contact Monsignor at least six months in advance for preparation and scheduling

MASS INTENTIONS: August 26 thru September 1

Monday:	8:00 a.m.	† Walter & Kelly Thessen
Tuesday:	5:30 p.m.	† Barb Berendzen
Wednesday:	8:00 a.m.	† Don & Regina Richter
Thursday:	8:00 a.m.	† Henry & Mildred Bruemmer
Friday:	8:00 a.m.	† Alfred & Dorothy Schnieders
Saturday:	5:30 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sunday:	7:30 a.m.	† Paul VanLoo
	10:30 a.m.	† Dan Berendzen

Perpetual Adoration Open Holy Hours

Saturday morning 1 am - 2 am (every other)

Sunday morning 2 am - 3 am (1st & 3rd)

Please call Donna at (573) 680-1470 if you are interested in joining our Perpetual Adoration Chapel program.

Quilters Notes

Quilting will start on September 3rd. Quilting hours are: Monday 8am-11:30am and Tuesday 8am-1pm New quilters are welcome.

The Chosen

Season 4, Episode 2 will be shown THIS WEEKEND in Room 210 of the school (room off the gym) after the Sunday 7:30 mass. Coffee and Snacks provided. Please feel free to join us. Even if you have not seen Episode one (or any of The Chosen episodes) join us to begin catching up. Questions call 635-8393.

Mustard Seed Outreach

Please support I.C. Parish efforts to help others in our community. Join us for our next "Shopping Day", Saturday August 24th from 8am-12 pm. Located at McCarty Street Plaza at 1228 E. McCarty, Jefferson City, MO.

St. Stanislaus Welcome

Ella Lynn Eggen, daughter of Casey and Stephanie Eggen was baptized into the faith on August 18, 2024.

Bishop McKnight's August prayer intention for our Local Church

For a greater respect for the dignity of each and every human life in all public policies.



First Saturday Devotion

Will be on Saturday, September 7 with Confessions at 7:00 am, the Rosary will begin at 7:40 am and Mass will begin at 8:00 am. Meditation will follow Mass. All are welcome to join us.

Faith-Food-Fellowship

Faith-Food-Fellowship will not be held on September 3rd because of Labor Day. Our next event will be October 1st so mark your calendars and join us.

Joy in Jesus

Parish members of all ages are invited to attend **Joy in Jesus**, Sunday, September 15 from noon-2:30pm. The event will be located in the St. Stanislaus parish gym. A delicious lunch, catered by Reinhardt Circle, will be provided. Parishioners are invited to bring a dessert to share. There is no cost to attend/free will offering. Gym doors open at 11:30am.

Immediately following our opening remarks and blessing, children K-6th grade will be invited to move to an area where they will be served their meal and enjoy age-appropriate fun activities planned especially for them.

Our guest speaker for the event is Deacon Mike Brooks. A wonderful storyteller, Deacon Brooks brings humor, insight and inspiration into his messages. His deep love for Christ is evident as his God-given messages strengthen our resolve to bring light into the world. Deacon Mike has also graciously accepted our invitation to concelebrate our 10:30 mass along with Msgr. Cox.

Special music presentations will be performed by Connie Andrews, Pam Stumpe and a choir of children's voices.

Please note: The RSVP date is Wednesday, September 4. For questions you may contact Connie Andrews (573) 291-8600, Melodi Graessle (573) 690-1400 or Jamie Webb (573) 301-3925.

How to Register: Mail or drop off registration form to: St. Stanislaus Church (parish center), 6418 Rt. W, Jefferson City, MO 65101 or email leannkorsmeyer@gmail.com

Please Note: In order to provide the proper amount of food/drink and plan for activities, please provide the total amount of attendees, and how many of the attendees are K-6th grade. Also note if there are dietary restrictions for the attendee.

We look forward to sharing with you a faith-filled afternoon of fun, good food, fellowship and solid messages of the **Joy in Jesus**.

St. Stanislaus School

What a great week it has been! I loved seeing all the kids in the halls and classrooms again. I cannot get over how much they have grown and changed over the summer. Everyone had some great smiles and looked sharp for picture day.

As with each beginning of the school year we are working out some kinks with new procedures and getting back into the routine of school. Thank you for your patience and for allowing us to teach your child.

PSR Registration Now Open

Our Parish School of Religion (PSR) provides weekly religious education classes to children in our parish who are in kindergarten-7th grade and do not attend Catholic school. PSR classes will be every Wednesday night from 6:30-7:30 at St. Stanislaus School starting September 11th. If you would like to register your child(ren) for PSR, you can pick up a registration form from back of Church and return it to the Parish Center by September 1st. For more information on PSR, First Communion, or Confirmation, please email Abby Thompson at ststandre@ststan.net, or call the parish office.

R.C.I.A - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

We are making plans to begin R.C.I.A. classes for those who are interested in becoming Catholic. It is a 20 week program designed to enable a person to become a full participating member of the Catholic Church. If you know of anyone who would be interested in the R.C.I.A. program, please contact the Parish Center at 573-636-4925 or ststansec@socket.net to register.

LifeTeen on Break

LifeTeen at St. Stanislaus will be going on break to allow teens to settle in to the school year. LifeTeen will start back on **October 6th**. See you then!

Womens Retreat

Starkenbug, The Shrine of Our Lady of Sorrows in Herman, is having a retreat with Fr. Joseph on October 4th from 8:30am to 3 pm. Please RSVP to Julie.g@cathedraljc.org.

Stewardship Survey Results

The Stewardship committee has met and reviewed the survey results from this past Spring. We are sharing those results with you as an attachment to the August 24/25 bulletin. They are also available online on the Stewardship tab on our website. The next step in our process is to set up a listening session to explore initiatives to "Vitalize our Parish." We encourage all parishioners to participate in joining us on September 17th at 6:15 pm in the Parish Center to share your thoughts and input to move our parish forward. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to email vitalizeourparish@ststan.net

MO Catholic Conference Statement on Amendment 3

Amendment 3, which will appear on Missouri's November 2024 ballot, is an extreme constitutional amendment that legalizes abortion at any stage of pregnancy with no protections for the preborn child, even when the child is capable of feeling pain. The amendment would effectively repeal long-standing health and safety standards for women. These include basic health and safety requirements for clinics where abortions are performed, requiring a physician to perform abortions, informed consent requirements, laws prohibiting public funding of abortion, and parental consent requirements before a minor's abortion.

2024 Parish Picnic Update

Thanks to all who helped in so many ways to make our parish picnic a success. We were blessed with beautiful weather that attributed to everyone hanging around the parish grounds and enjoying the festivities. Dinner ticket sales reported were 2,779 Adult tickets, 113 Children tickets and 1,457 Carry-outs.

Matter of Balance

Immaculate Conception Parish-Pleus Hall— Fall Prevention Workshop beginning Aug. 27 through Oct. 15 from 10 am to 12 pm. Please call 573-301-8496 for more information.

St. Stanislaus/St. Margaret Pro-Life T-Shirt

Extra order forms can be found in the back of church. Please return the completed form to either St. Stanislaus School or the Parish Center along with your money. In order to receive your T-shirt, orders must be received by Friday, August 30.

MEN'S NIGHT OF REFLECTION

THE HISTORY OF OUR DIOCESE

with Msgr. Robert A. Kurwicki

When: Sept. 4th @ 7-8pm (after XLT)

Where: School Cafeteria



CHURCH CLEANING: Karen Dudenhoeffer, Sue DeBroek Rackers, Doris Fitzpatrick, Nancy Gratz
Please clean church before the week-end of August 31 and September 1.

Cemetery Grass Cutters for August: David Schell, Chairman; Bob Scheppers, Brian Wilbers, John Wilbers, Brian Schrimpf, Rich Fisher, Jerry Siebeneck, Gene Boessen and Tim Luebbering

Cemetery Grass Cutters for September Mark Buschjost, Chairman; Adam Buschjost; Brad Buschjost; Brody Buschjost; Cadie Buschjost; Garrett Buschjost; Jason Buschjost; Justin Buschjost; and Dale Buschjost.

Liturgical Role Schedule for August 31 and September 1 - Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Chloe Jaegers Charlie Jaegers	Claire Markway Henry Markway	Cole Berendzen Kinsley Berendzen
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Cheryl Boessen	Melissa McCauley	Pam Stonner
Reader	Doug Kolb	James Grothoff	Luke Graessle
Rosary Leader	Lynn Albus	Norma Wieberg	Alice Kampeter
Usher	Sam Kampeter Stanley Kolb Jim Korsmeyer Donnie Lane	Don Kever Clint Kohlmeier Justin Korsmeyer Shawn McCauley	Glen Reinkemeyer Dan Wilbers Jason Bennett Parker Bennett
Greeter	Donnie & Gloria Lane	Tim & Denise Simmon	Ken & Bernie Otke
Offertory	Adam Boessen & Family	Mike & Rose Mertens	Vicky Niekamp
Music Ministry	Donna Halbrook & Choir	James and Barbara Howard	Renee Jurgensmeyer & Connie Andrews

Parish Directory

Please pick up your Parish Directory from the Parish Center. If you did not place a family photo in the parish directory you can purchase a directory for \$20.

Pickleball

Come Join the Fun! Pickleball at the St. Stanislaus Pickleball Courts open play for adults is back on Thursdays from 5:15 until dusk. Contact Karen Douglas with any questions at 573-694-6700. Free lessons upon request.

Prayer Hotline: Contact Kay Stockman at 573-536-8777 or Karen Schenewerk at 573-635-3943 for prayer line requests or to be added to the prayer line.

Seasons of Hope

The Catholic parishes of the Jefferson City area sponsor an on-going grief support program for those who have lost a loved one. 'Seasons of Hope' is a unique program that invites those who mourn to accompany one another to meet Christ through scripture, prayer and reflection with the aim of offering comfort and aid in fostering healing and spiritual growth. The program is offered at both St. Martin and St. Peter parishes. St. Martin's next session will begin **Wednesday, September 4** at 2pm. The sessions will be held in the church basement. St. Peter's next session will begin on **Thursday, October 3** at 6:15pm and sessions will be held in the Fr. Ahrens room. For more information and to register for the sessions, please contact St. Martin parish office 573/893-2923 or St. Peter parish office 573-636-8159.

Covenant Network Catholic Radio

Can you believe that Summer is waning and Fall schedules are on the horizon. Seasons come and go, but the love of the Lord remains. Our focus must be to remain in His love through daily prayer and deepening our knowledge of our Faith. Covenant Network Catholic radio can help in our struggle to stay focused. Our excellent programming will remind you daily of the things that really matter in life. Come pray with us and learn more about our Catholic Faith by tuning into KHJR 88.1 FM, or listen anytime on our Covenant Network app or at OurCatholicRadio.org.

Collection Numbers for August 18, 2024

Parish Collection:	
Sunday Offering	\$ 6,548.00
Loose Cash & Checks	\$ 1,829.00
Capital Improvements	\$ 0
Diocesan Missions	\$ 0
Electronic Contributions:	
Monthly for August 20, 2024	\$ 11,875.00
Semi Monthly for August 20, 2024	\$ 4,152.50

St. Stanislaus parishioners are very generous—both of their talents and financially. You are appreciated! Please remember to write a separate check for anything outside of Sunday giving i.e. Samaritan Center, Memorial Masses, candles, etc. Thank you as this makes the processing of your financial gifts easier.

Upcoming Local Events

KC Council 12992 Back To School Breakfast—St. Josephs Cathedral, Cana Hall—Sunday, August 25, 8 am—12 pm., Serving Pancakes, scrambled eggs and sausage. Adults \$10, children 6-11 \$5, \$30 max for immediate family.

Our Lady of the Snows Parish Picnic—Mary's Home— Sunday, September 1, 11 am—7 pm, Serving Fried Chicken and Roast Beef Dinner, Adults \$15, Children (6-12) \$7, 5 yrs and under Free.

Finding Peace in Any Storm—St. Martin Parish—September 6, 6:30-8:30pm— register at <https://diojeffcity.org/wm-sept-2024-events-sterling-jaquith/> or call: Maddie Gramlich 573-635-9127.

Ducks Unlimited, Loose Creek Community Center, September 7, Smoked Prime Rib dinner, Doors open at 5pm. \$100 couple, \$65 singles, Call Jeff Mertens at 573-680-2205 or go to www.ducks.org/events

St. Anthony of Padua Fall Festival, Folk, MO, Sunday, September 8, 11 am-6pm, Roast Beef & Whole Hog Sausage Dinners, Drive Thru and Carry Outs, Meals \$16 ea.

St. Aloysius & St. Boniface Fall Festival—Argyle MO—Sunday October 6. Serving fried chicken from 11 am—6 pm, Dine-In or Carry-out. \$15 Plate.

Don't Be a Victim of a Scam

The St. Stanislaus Parish Community, including the Pastor, Principal, Director of Religious Education, Teachers, School Staff and Parish Committees, will NEVER send an email or text message asking for a monetary donation or gift card to be paid for electronically. Please do not open any of these messages, delete immediately and don't be a victim of this scam.

**Jesus then said to the Twelve,
"Do you also want to leave?"
Simon Peter answered him,
"Master, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life.
We have come to believe
and are convinced that you are the
Holy One of God."**

John 6:67-69

**Just as the Twelve made a
commitment to follow Jesus, we also
must live as intentional disciples and
trust where God leads us.**



Stewardship
GROWING OUR FAITH



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KC SPIRIT^o
excellence
INSPIRING A COMMUNITY
OF SAINTS AND SCHOLARS



**HELP BRING EVERY CRUSADER
HOME TO HELIAS CATHOLIC**

Helias Catholic High School is blessed to count every member of our local partner parishes as an important part of the Crusader family.

Whether you are a Helias Catholic graduate, currently have children attending Helias Catholic or will in the future, or are simply grateful for what Helias Catholic contributes to our community, we hope you will join us in this effort to complete the campus of our Catholic high school serving the families of our local parishes.

We are in our final fundraising stages this year for the Spirit of Excellence project, and we're counting on the investment of our community to help us continue building a community of saints and scholars for Christ for future generations of Crusaders.

If you're among those who have already contributed to the Spirit of Excellence campaign, thank you for your generosity and continued support!

If you've considered contributing to this investment in the future of Helias Catholic but have not yet made your gift, now is the time! Please visit website or scan the QR code below to make an online donation or request a pledge card.

With gratitude,

Ron Vossen

Ron Vossen
President,
Helias Catholic
High School



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Dear Parishioners:

First, we apologize for the late response in sharing the results of the Parish wide survey we conducted in March of this year. No excuse but life just seemed to get in the way and we are volunteers just like you in our parish.

If you remember our goal is to “Vitalize Our Parish” over the next several years. Our vision is to bring more energy to our parish and have parishioners excited to tell others what we are doing; to meet the needs of today’s parishioners while still being strong in our Catholic faith and to be able to tell those not attending Mass, those who have fallen away, and the young people who are searching – “You are Vital to our Parish.”

The Stewardship committee has met and reviewed the survey results and we wanted to share those results with you. We had 186 responses to our survey. Over 50% of those responses were from parishioners who have been in our parish for over 30 years. The largest age demographic participating was 55 to 70-year-olds. Female parishioners responded at 67% versus males at 33%.

As you will see on the following pages, we have listed each question and shown you the responses received on a bar graph. Because of the number of responses received on the open-ended questions we are putting the entire survey online on our website at ststan.net, click on Church then go to the Stewardship section of the website and click on Survey to review the entire survey on the website.

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Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Stewardship Committee:

Gary & Dana Wilbers

Jeff & Meredith Boessen

Jeff & Jodi Berendzen

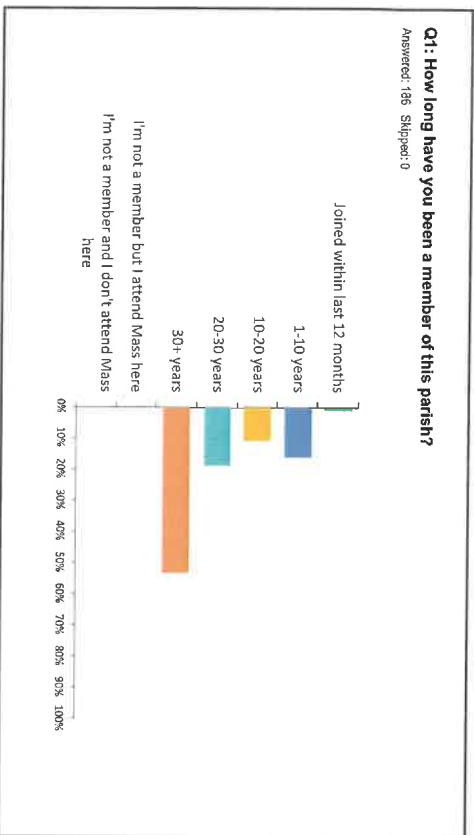
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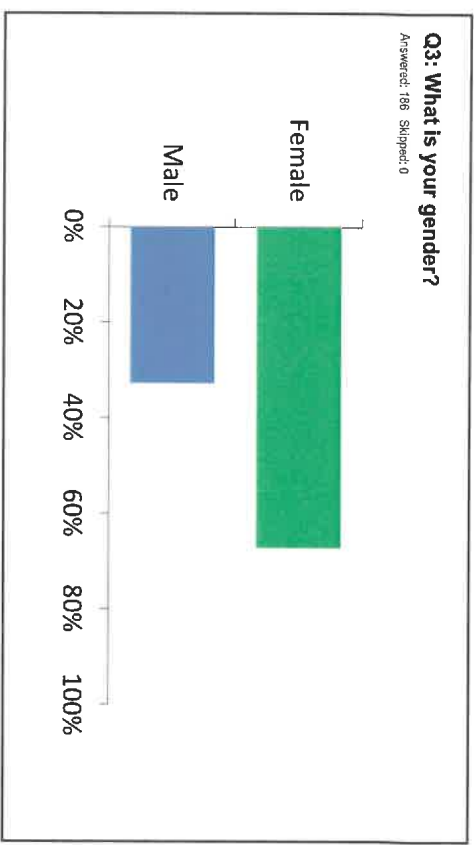
Q1: How long have you been a member of this parish?

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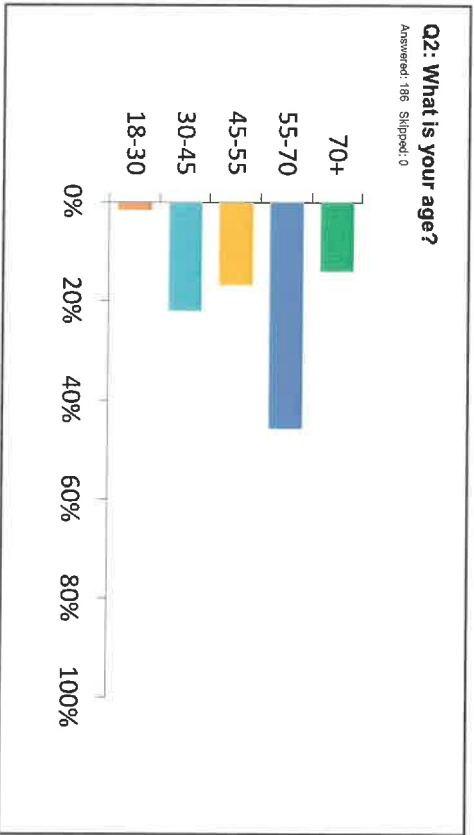
Q3: What is your gender?

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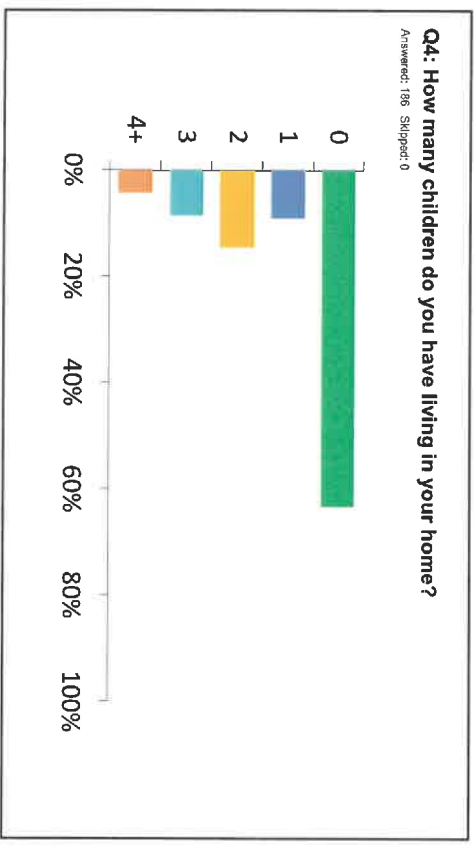
Q2: What is your age?

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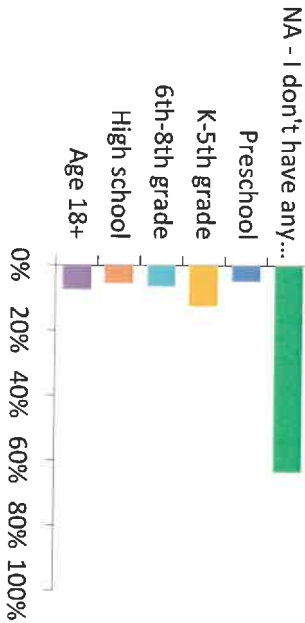
Q4: How many children do you have living in your home?

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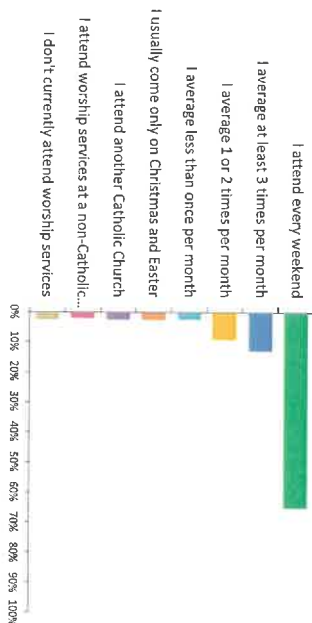
Q5: What ages are the children in your home? (Check all that apply)

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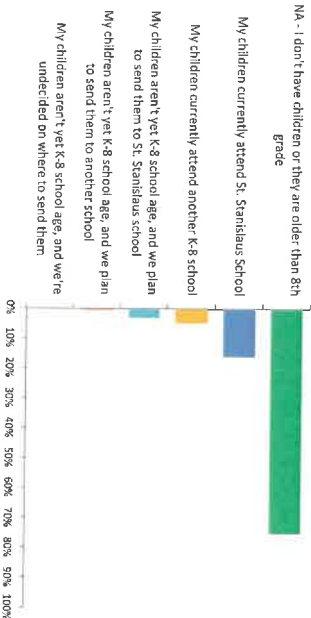
Q10: How often do you attend Mass?

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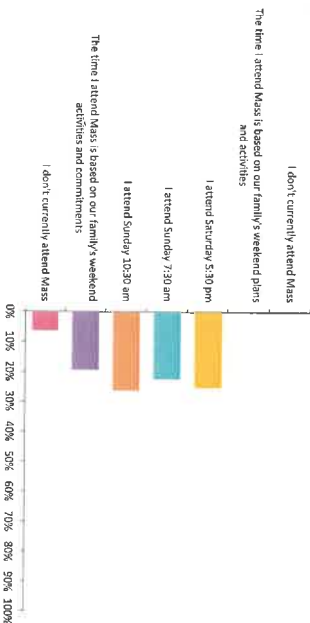
Q6: Do your children attend St. Stanislaus School?

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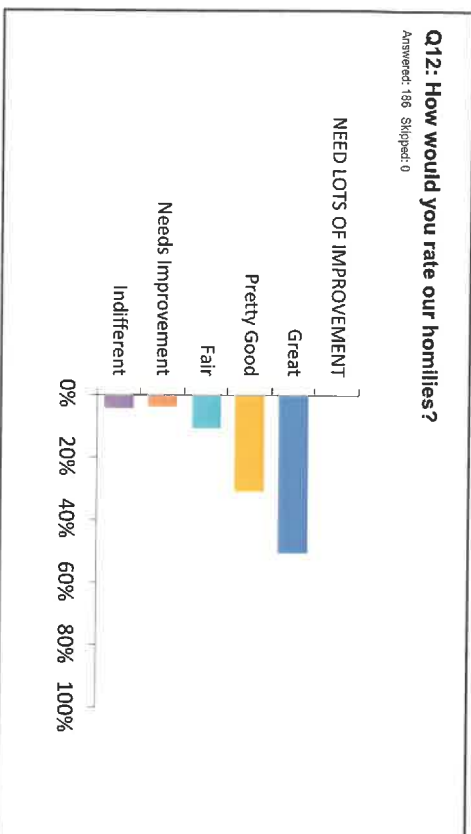
Q11: If you attend Mass, which mass do you usually attend?

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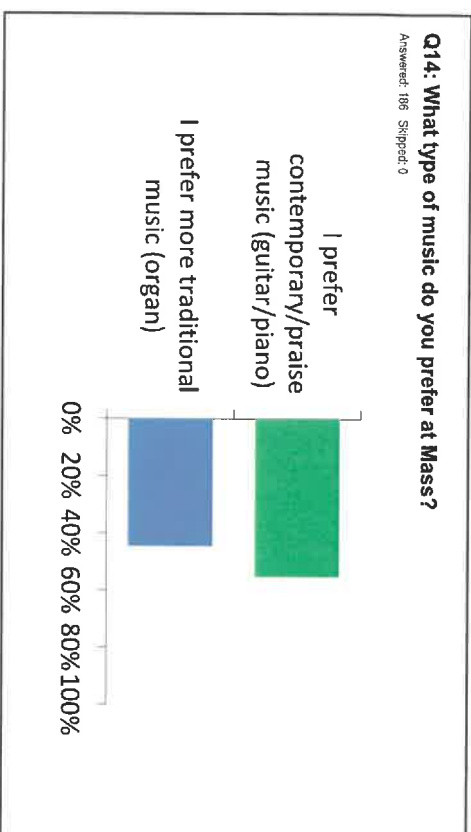
Q12: How would you rate our homilies?

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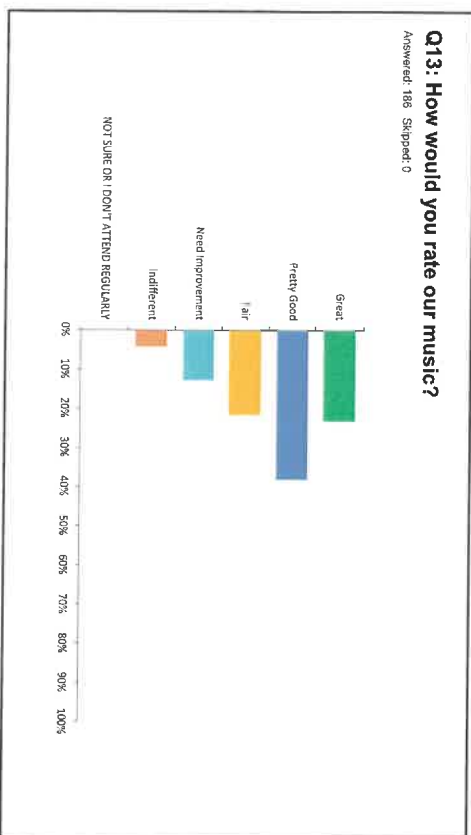
Q14: What type of music do you prefer at Mass?

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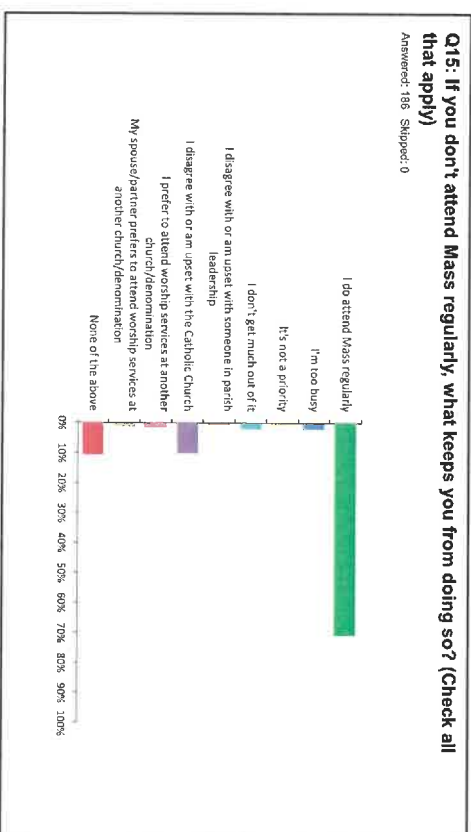
Q13: How would you rate our music?

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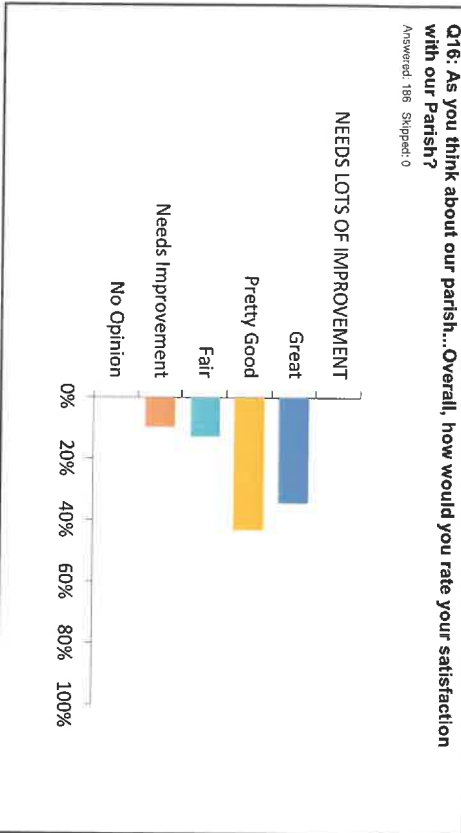
Q15: If you don't attend Mass regularly, what keeps you from doing so? (Check all that apply)

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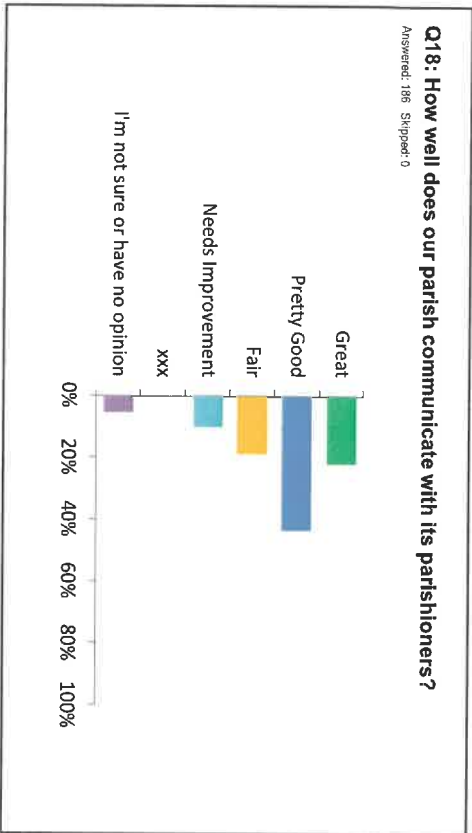
Q16: As you think about our parish...Overall, how would you rate your satisfaction with our Parish?

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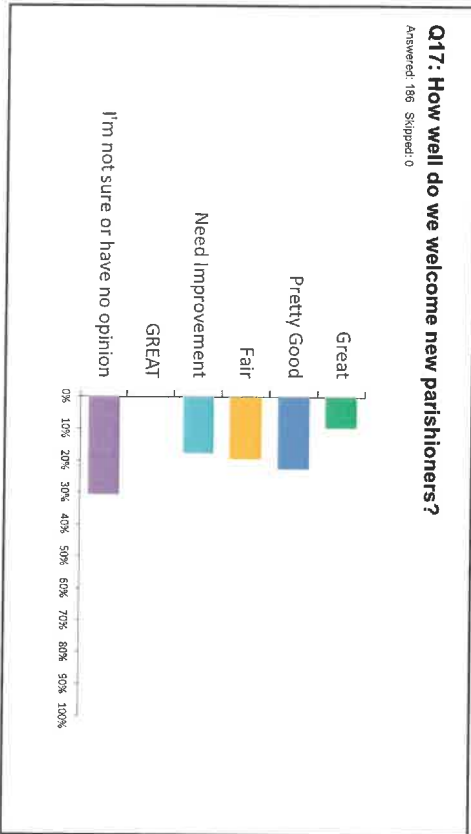
Q18: How well does our parish communicate with its parishioners?

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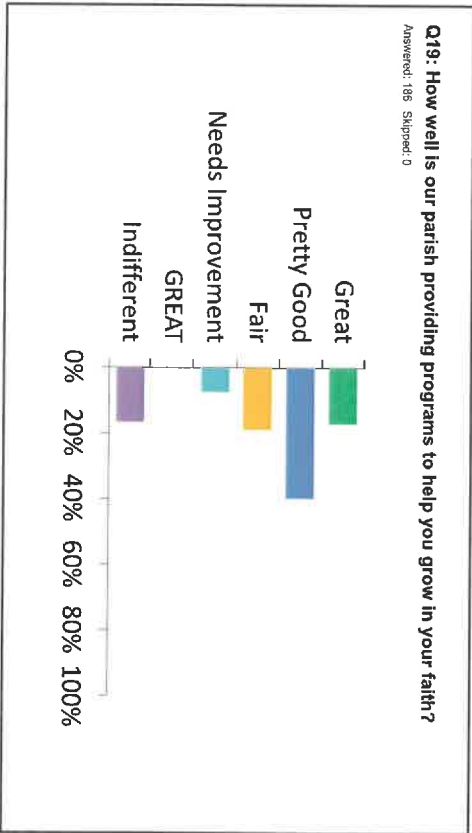
Q17: How well do we welcome new parishioners?

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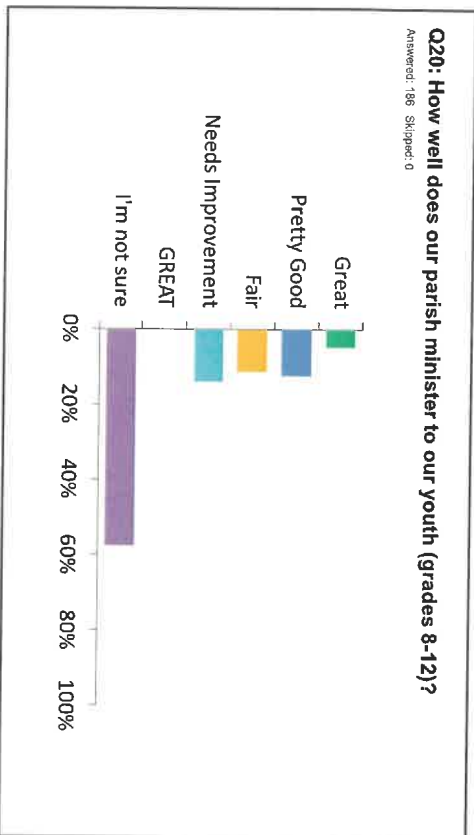
Q19: How well is our parish providing programs to help you grow in your faith?

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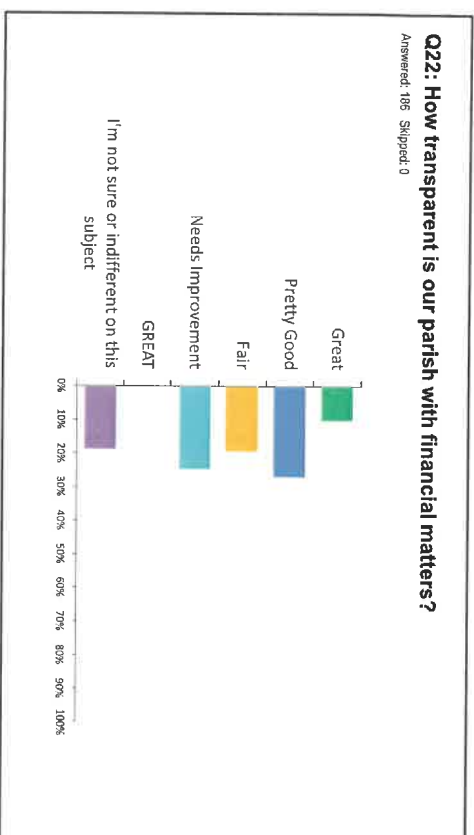
Q20: How well does our parish minister to our youth (grades 8-12)?

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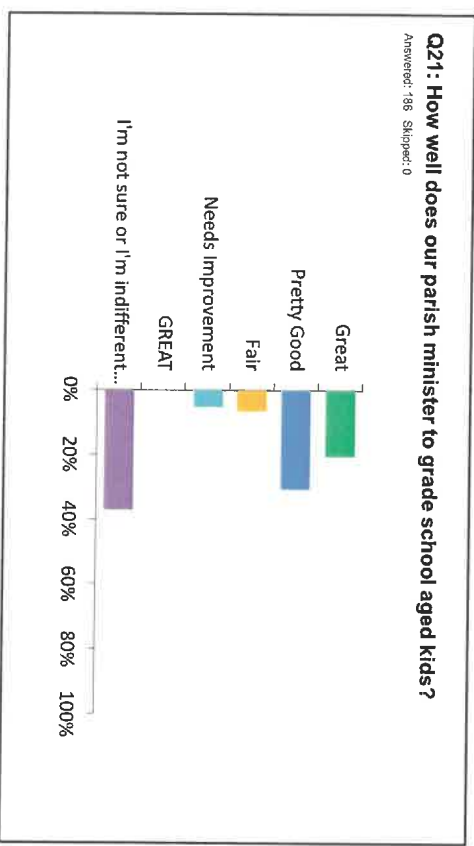
Q22: How transparent is our parish with financial matters?

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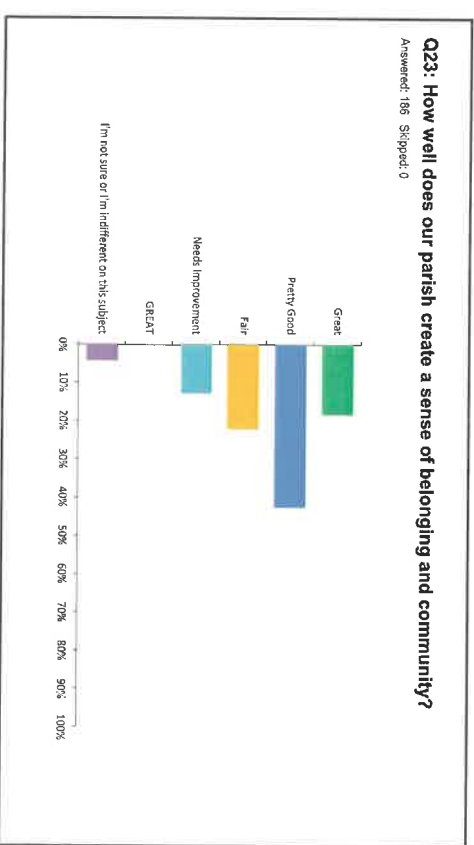
Q21: How well does our parish minister to grade school aged kids?

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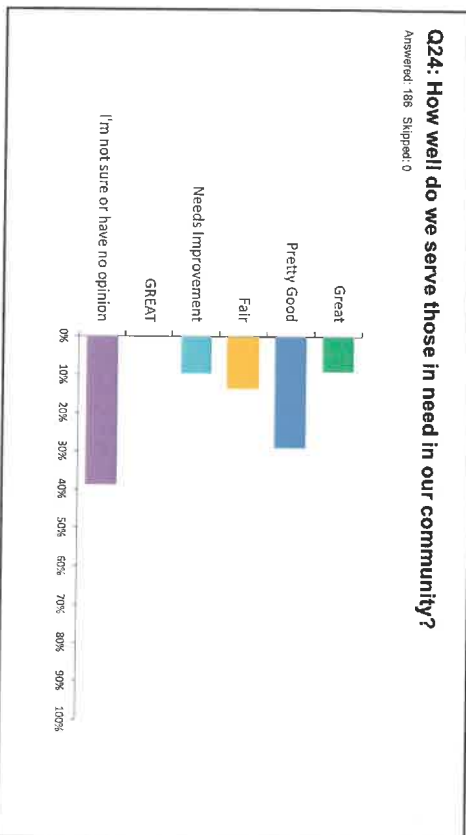


Q23: How well does our parish create a sense of belonging and community?

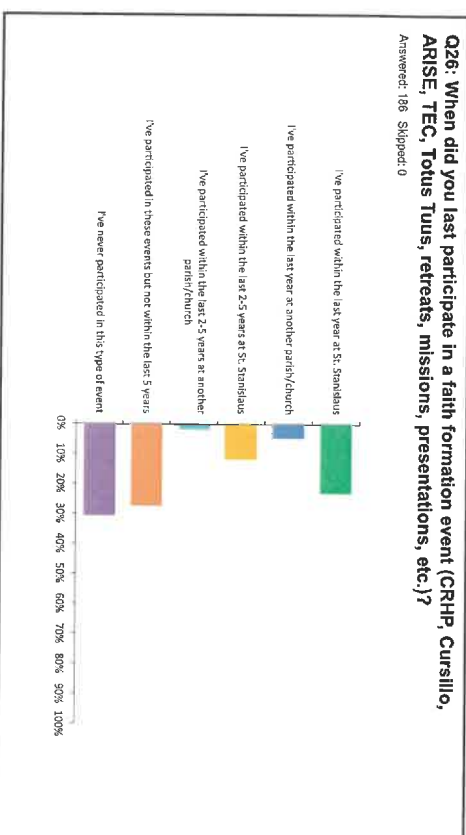
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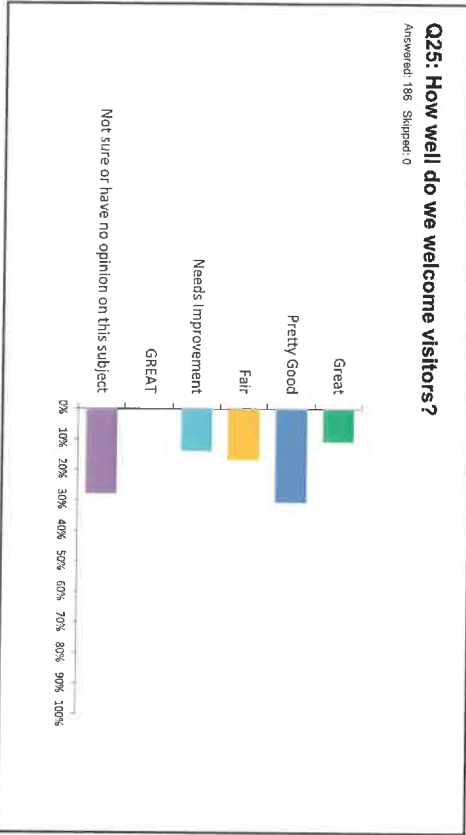
Q24: How well do we serve those in need in our community?
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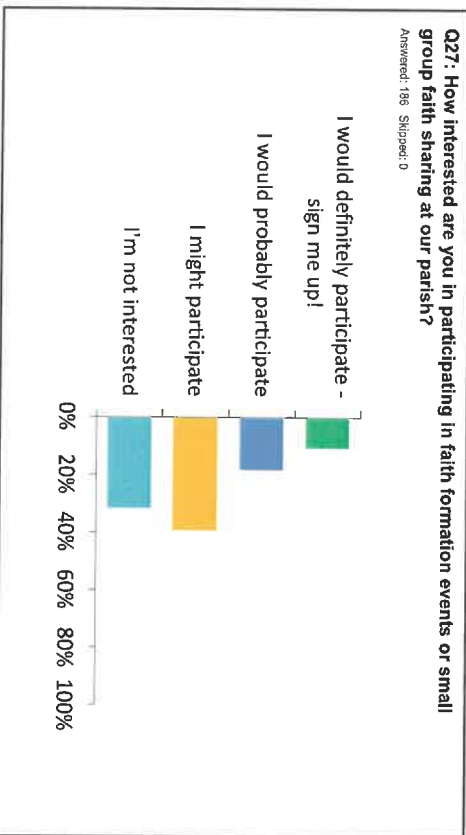
Q26: When did you last participate in a faith formation event (CRHP, Cursillo, ARISE, TEC, Totus Tuus, retreats, missions, presentations, etc.)?
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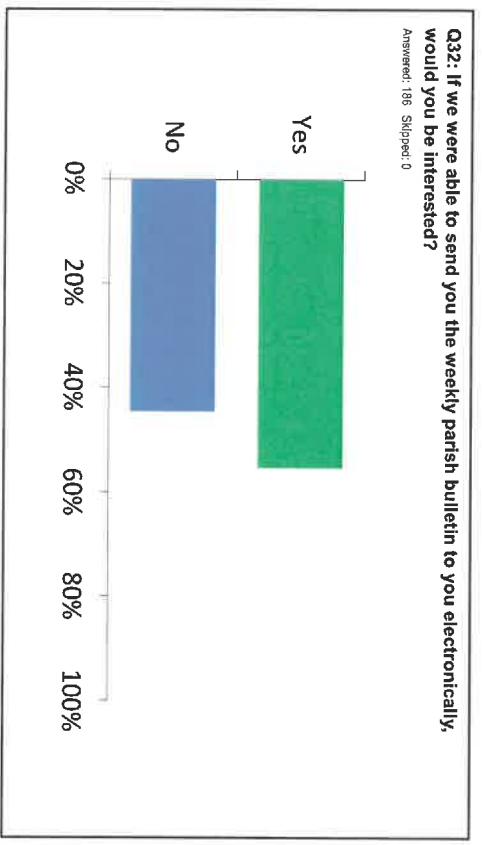
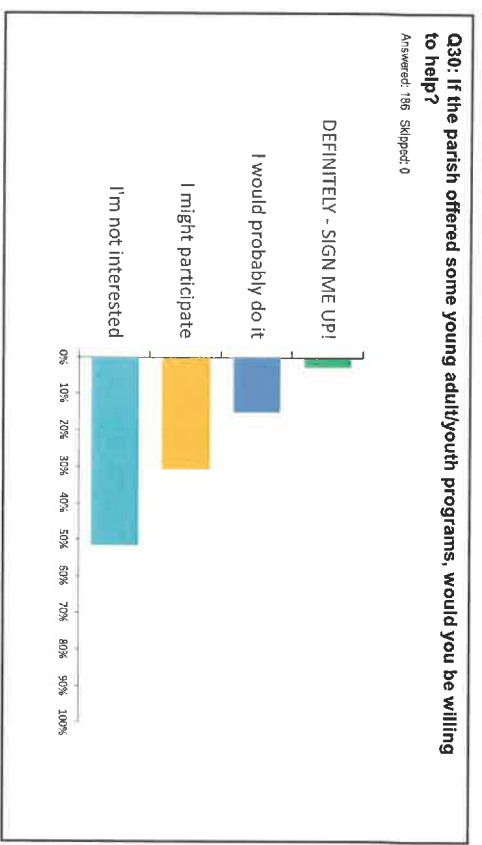
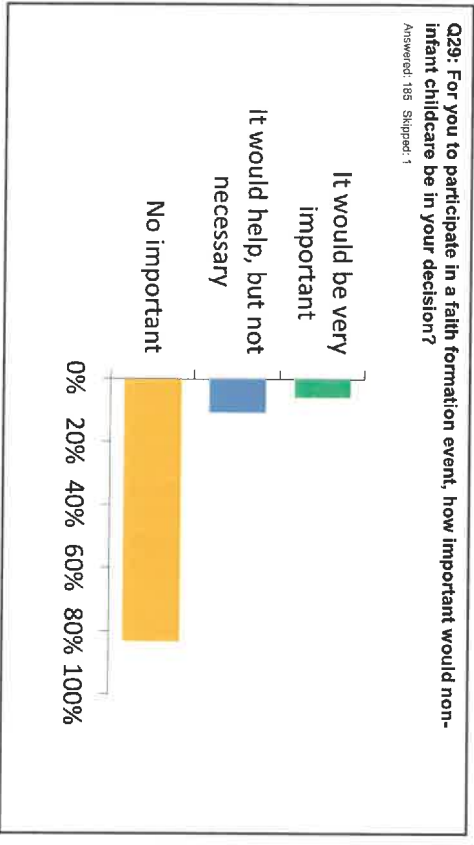
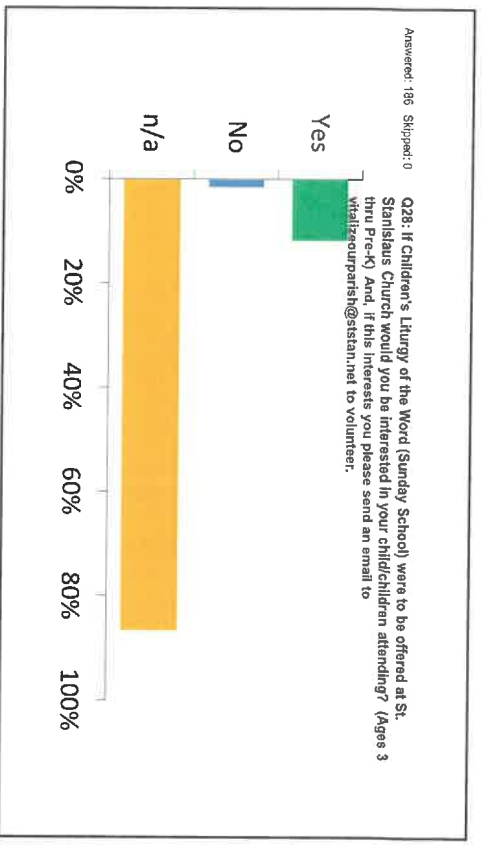


Q25: How well do we welcome visitors?
 Answered: 186 Skipped: 0



Q27: How interested are you in participating in faith formation events or small group faith sharing at our parish?
 Answered: 186 Skipped: 0







47th ANNUAL
WARDSVILLE

WALK FOR LIFE

➤ SUN.
➤ SEPT.
22nd.

New walking route held
on parish grounds

➤ Following
10:30 mass

➤ New
Location

St. Stanislaus -St. Margaret
Community Center
New home of the Knights

Entire event held at
6431 Route B

➤ Silent Auction,
Activities &
refreshments

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO
PRO-LIFE ORGANIZATIONS

PLEDGE FORM

Name of walker(s) _____

Address _____

Credit for donation goes to _____ (individual's name)
_____ Grade/teacher, if applicable

Cash awards of \$75, \$50 and \$25 given to top 3 collectors! Those persons will be recognized at the Walk for Life event at the St. Stanislaus-St. Margaret Community Center and at an all-school Mass at a later date.

In the spaces below, please fill in the names of those who have made a donation to the Walk for Life.

Contributor's name	Amount donated
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Total donation (cash or check payable to Walk for Life) \$ _____

Please turn in this form and donations before or after Masses on September 22, or send to school before then, or mail to: Rich Fisher, K of C Financial Secretary, 5826 Sterling Ridge, Jefferson City MO 65101.