



# Catholic Diocese of Evansville

## *The Diocesan Dashboard*

### *March 2026*



- Bishop Siegel blessed the new UE Newman Center Chapel & dedicated the altar
- Hosted the 3<sup>rd</sup> Professional Development Workshop for Parish Clergy & Staff: 80+ attendees from 20 different parishes
- Presented new Confirmation lesson plans for the new age of confirmation to Parish Faith Formation Leaders at the March 19<sup>th</sup> FFL Meeting
- 16 of our 22 Elementary schools were recognized at the Indiana State House for achieving 95% or better pass rates on the IREAD3 Assessment. 9 of the 16 schools achieved 100% pass rate
- Completed selection & onboarding of Dr. Doug Palmer as Washington Catholic's new School President
- Finalizing Seminary and House of Discernment (H.O.D.) application reviews: Potential for more than 20 seminarians & 4-5 residents at H.O.D. in the fall
- 74 youth received St. Maria Goretti Youth Distinction Award
- Catholic Charities served 300 clients & launching 3 Neighbor to Neighbor classes
- Launched Website Redesign and ongoing mgmt project: 60-90 Day Project
- Selected Flocknote as the new Diocesan and Parish Database system to replace PDS. Implementation scheduled for May through August 2026
- 2025 Catholic Ministries Appeal: **\$5.1M** pledged (~87% of Goal); **\$4.6M** Paid
  - 15 Parishes have met goal; 6 Parishes > 90% of Goal

