



## ESSENTIAL TO ST. ANDREW'S: *Outreach*

### OUTREACH

is \$137,400 (14%) of our budget



Total 2017 Budget: \$981,305

**“Give what you have to the poor and follow me.”**

The practice of outreach is much more than just giving money. Throughout the year, parishioners interested in giving to others might make contributions to the Episcopal Relief and Development fund after a natural disaster, knit hats for the Breakfast's Santa Day, purchase an extra Christmas gift for a local family in need, fill a grocery bag with food for Food Gatherers, spend a Saturday helping build a house with Habitat for Humanity, or volunteer one day a week to wash dishes at the Breakfast.

*Without the continued financial support of the Annual Giving campaign, St. Andrew's would not be able to give so generously to those in need.*

### DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT

We give more than \$90,000 to the Diocese of Michigan for support of the larger Church.

This is a fixed cost that the diocese calculates based on a 3-year average of our budget and accounts for a majority of our annual outreach budget.

### THE BREAKFAST

The Breakfast at St. Andrew's is an independent non-profit but it works closely with the church.

We often share expenses such as the purchase of new tables and chairs for the parish hall, splitting plumbing bills, and custodian services.



### COMMUNITY WORK

In addition to financial support, St. Andrew's participates in many parish-wide “in-kind” outreach activities including:

- Food Drives for Food Gatherers
- Christmas Gift Donations
- Habitat for Humanity builds
- CROP Walk



### What expenses are a part of **OUTREACH?**

- Canterbury House Support (The Episcopal Student Center at UofM)
- Diocesan Growth and Income Fund (for low income housing)
- Outreach Ministry Grants
- Diocesan Apportionment
- Opportunity Resource Grants
- Shared Breakfast program expenses

### WHAT CAN YOU DO to support this ministry?

**YOUR GIFT OF \$51 per week** (\$2,652 per year) pays for all outreach expenses for one week of the year.

**YOUR GIFT OF \$177 per week** (\$9,200 per year) would completely fund the 2018 Outreach Ministry Grants to local organizations.

