

Our Lady of the Annunciation, Bishop Eton. Financial Statement for 2009



Dear Parishioner,

Please find enclosed a brief outline of parish income and expenditure for 2009.

I read recently that a witty Parish Priest entitles this information “the sermon on the amount”. On a more serious note, may I take this opportunity to thank the parish community for your outstanding generosity over the year, not only in supporting the Redemptorist parish and community at Bishop Eton, but also for your wonderful donations towards so many other charities. Thank you for this marvellous contribution to people far less fortunate than ourselves.

Comparing the figures with those of last year, it is reassuring that the annual figure between income and expenditure shows a credit of almost £15,000. Also, the parish is no longer making a loss on newspapers after a shortfall of nearly £1,000 last year.

During 2009 essential repairs to the outer fabric of the Monastery were carried out. This work was financed from the Building Fund which is made up of legacies bequeathed to Bishop Eton.

Once again, a very sincere thank you for your outstanding generosity.

Father Desmond C.Ss.R.



PARISH INCOME 2009

Offerteries	£126,450.56
Tax Refund - Gift aid	£21,209.84
Votives	£10,491.22
Piety Stall	£1,263.82
Papers	£6,480.22
	£165,895.66

Diocesan & Special Collections	£11,620.81
Catholic Education Services	£526.89
Lenten Alms	£564.52
CAFOD	£2,058.42
Holy Places	£701.71
World Communications	£520.75
Provision for Priests in Retirement	£920.56
Peter's Pence	£763.50
Apostleship of the Sea	£817.67
Day for Life	£698.29
Home Missions	£594.96
Nugent Care Society	£399.30
APF World Missions	£1,125.95
LAMP	£1,428.42
Catholic Youth Services	£499.87



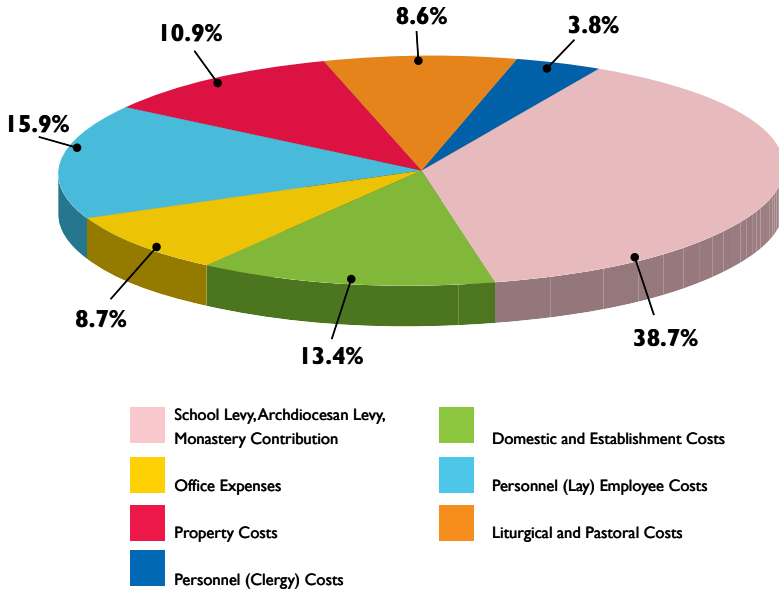
PARISH EXPENDITURE 2009

Personnel Costs	£22,753.63
Travel and Hospitality	£1,571.60
Office Expenses	£12,415.65
Domestic and Establishment Costs	£19,147.32
Property Costs	£15,534.47
Liturgical and Pastoral Costs	£12,298.17
Assessment Fund	£14,829.20
School Levy	£6,489.60
Piety Stall	£1,109.44
Newspapers	£5,391.01
Contribution to Monastery	£33,800.00
Miscellaneous	£86.31
Diaconate and Clergy Costs	£5,473.08
	£150,899.48





PARISH EXPENDITURE 1st January to 31st December 2009



GIFT AID *Get the Tax Man returning your money by using Gift Aid*



Total Offertory Collections £126,450.56

Tax returned to the Parish from Gift Aid Envelopes £21,209.84

If all Offertory collections were Gift Aided the returned tax to the Parish would be more than £26,000

GIFT AID

If you put cash in the Offertory Collections then, without any alteration to your contribution, please consider using the Gift Aid envelope system and let the Parish benefit substantially.

THE BENEFIT

You give and the Tax Man gives too.

HOW TO GIFT AID

Gift Aid forms are at the back of the Church. Please take a copy and return it to the Parish office.

Gift Aiding is totally confidential