



# SISTERS of SAINTS CYRIL and METHODIUS

## 2023 ANNUAL REPORT

Rejoice always, pray constantly,  
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## Give thanks in all circumstances.

Dear Friends,

We Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius are deeply grateful for all of you who have been and continue to be our friends and benefactors over the 115 years of our Community's service to all of God's people. Some of you we have known as students and parents of our students, some as friends from parish or health care work and other areas of ministry, some are relatives of our Sisters, present and deceased. You are truly partners with us in living and sharing the Gospel. Your prayer, friendship, and financial support have helped us to respond to God's call to witness to, proclaim and build God's Kingdom in all the areas where we serve.

We celebrate the vision of our founder and our first Sisters who placed their trust in God, embraced God's mission, and taught us gratitude for blessings received. On behalf of all our Sisters, I extend my deepest gratitude to all of you who have contributed to God's mission, expressed through our communal life and ministries throughout the years. From our very beginnings, in each location and ministry, your generous giving of time, talent, and financial support has expanded our ministries and helped us spread the Word of God. We are always grateful for your kindness, presence, and generosity.

We assure you all of our prayers for you. Let us continue to support one



another as we respond generously to Christ's call to serve one another with grace, mercy and compassion.

Sincerely in Christ,

*Sister Barbara Sable*

Sister Barbara Sable, SS.C.M.  
General Superior

### Our Charism

We, the Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius, live out our call and charism by witnessing to, proclaiming, and building God's Kingdom.

We witness to the Kingdom by our religious consecration in community, by our faith-filled following of Christ, and by our prayer.

We proclaim the Kingdom by our courage and perseverance, by our response to the needs of the times, and by the discipleship and leadership we offer as loyal women of the Church.

We build the Kingdom by giving our lives in selfless service to the people of God in love and compassion.

We have before us always a vision of the Kingdom that has been revealed in Jesus in our midst and a vision of the Kingdom yet to come.

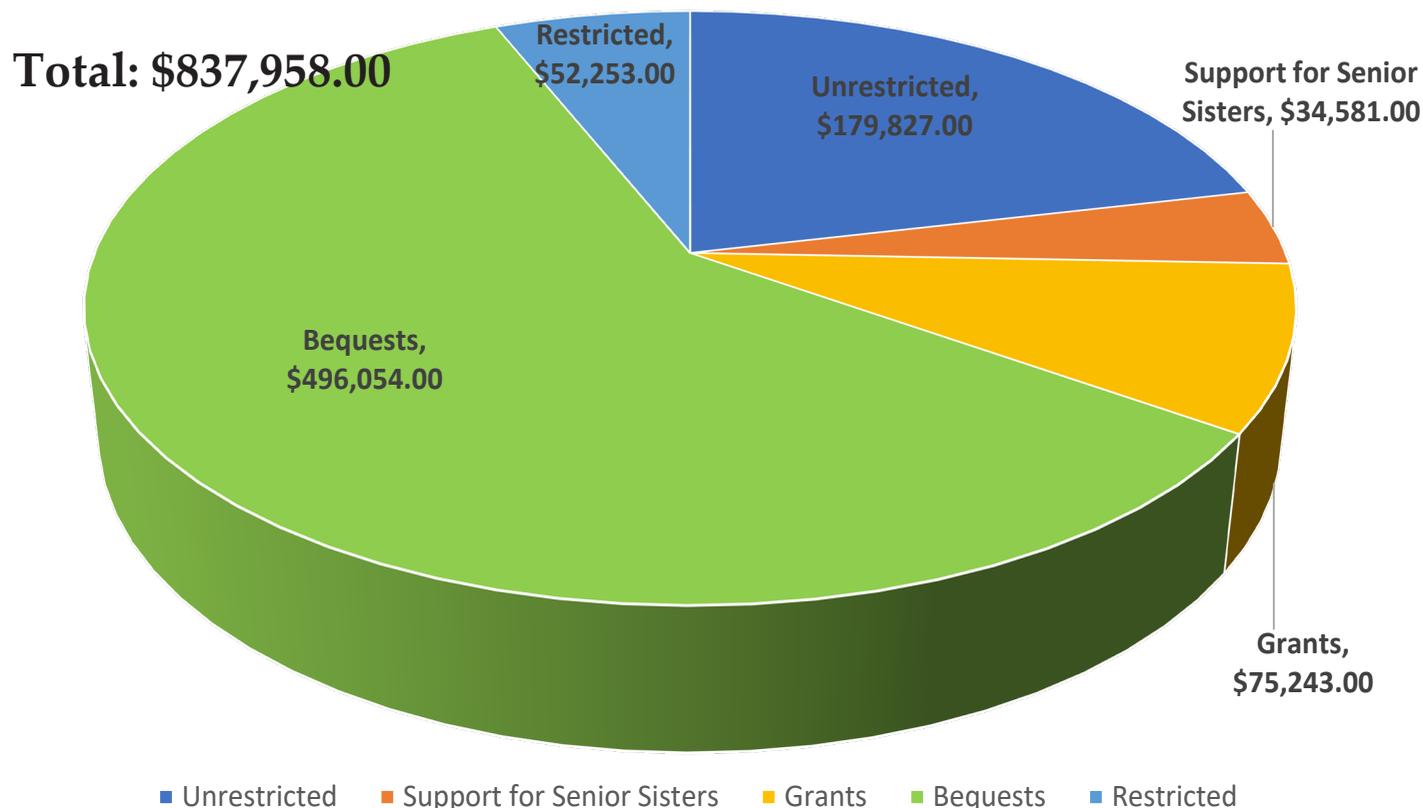
### Our Mission

Strengthened by our legacy of faith in God, impelled by the gospel and sustained by our consecrated life in community, we, the Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius, freely respond to the Spirit active in the Church in our service to God and the human family. In the name of Jesus, Teacher and Healer, and sensitive to contemporary needs, especially justice and peace, we reach out in compassion

- to evangelize and teach,
- to care for the elderly, the young, the poor, the sick, the lonely, wounded families and immigrants,
- to work and pray for the unity of all Christians

so that the gospel vision of the Kingdom may be fulfilled in us and in those we serve.

# 2023 Gifts to the Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius



## BEQUESTS

Planned gifts through wills, trusts, and estate plans were used to support all areas of our mission. These gifts were given by seven individuals and provided \$496,054 to support all of our ministries.

## UNRESTRICTED

Unrestricted donations provided additional funding, which was utilized to address the most essential needs for all areas of our missions.

## RESTRICTED

Restricted gifts received from individuals and organizations were used to fund specific areas of interest that were designated by the donors. These contributions supported areas of mission such as the Jankola Library, Maria Hall renovations, new bedroom chairs, St. Francis Center, the Basilica and Adoration Chapel.

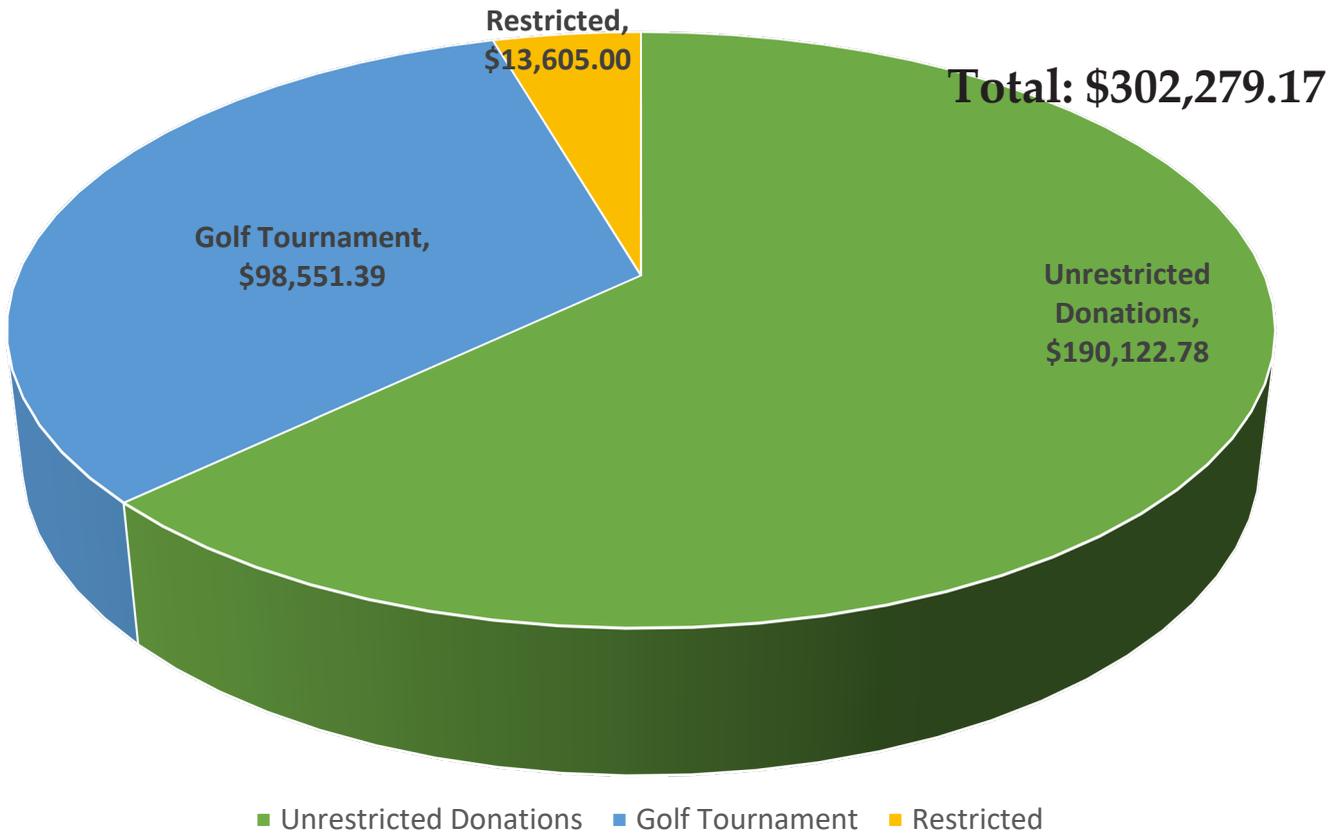
## SUPPORT FOR SENIOR SISTERS

Our Sisters living at Maria Hall continue to carry out our mission through their daily prayers. Gifts designated to support our Sisters were used to provide compassionate care, programming, items of enrichment and renovation projects that improve their quality of life.

## GRANTS

Grants are donations that are awarded to organizations for a specific purpose or project. In 2023, the Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius received \$75,243 that supported designated projects within the community.

# 2023 Gifts to the Maria Joseph Continuing Care Community



## UNRESTRICTED

We receive unrestricted gifts from various sources. These include individual donors, foundations, and organizations that provide gifts, which are then used to support a wide variety of programs at Maria Joseph Continuing Care Community. These programs include items such as building maintenance, technical updates, compassionate care, and medical equipment needed by our residents throughout all levels of care.

## RESTRICTED

Restricted gifts received from individuals and organizations were used to fund specific areas of interest that were designated by the donors. This included donations that were used for various activities for the residents to provide enrichment within their daily lives.

## GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 2023 Golf Tournament was held on August 28th at Frosty Valley. This year we targeted our fund-raising towards a new outdoor recreational area for Maria Joseph Continuing Care Community. Thanks to the generosity of our donors, we were able to raise \$98,551. We look forward to the 2024 Tournament that has been scheduled for Friday, September 27, 2024, at Frosty Valley.

# 2023 Benefactors of the Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius

The following names show the generosity of the donors to the Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius. This list of persons, organizations and businesses includes all financial contributions made between January 1 and December 31, 2023.

Gifts made in memory of certain persons and those gifts made in honor of others are listed between the lists of benefactors of the community and Maria Joseph. We are grateful for the many ways in which our donors show us support in our sponsored ministries. We extend our prayerful appreciation for your generosity. Thank you!



Dawn Orzehowski  
Director of Mission Advancement for SS.C.M.  
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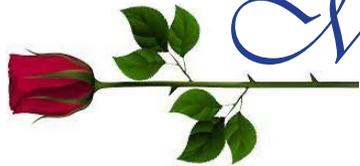
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# Maria Joseph Continuing Care Community

## The Mission of Maria Joseph

Rooted in the Judeo-Christian tradition of hospitality and service and dedicated to a mission of love and respect for each individual, the Sisters of Saints Cyril and Methodius and the staff of Maria Joseph Continuing Care Community offer a welcoming and secure environment. Here, the lives of senior adults and their families are enhanced with compassionate and professional care.

- Hospitality
- Service
- Love
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