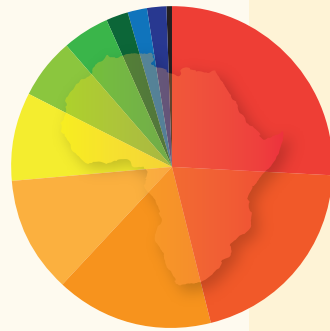


2019 SFCA FINANCIALS (DATOS FINANCIEROS DE SFCA 2019)

2019 DISTRIBUTION OF GRANTS

TOTAL GRANTS: 101

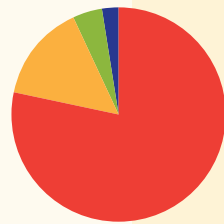
TOTAL GRANTED: \$2,387,950



PROGRAM AREA	PERCENTAGE (\$)
Construction	26.01%
Leadership Formation	20.29%
Church Capacity Support	15.72%
Justice and Peace	11.75%
Communications	8.82%
Youth Ministry	6.20%
Evangelization	4.65%
Child Protection	2.39%
Catholic Schools	1.88%
Religious Education	1.88%
Education of Clergy & Religious	0.42%

EXPENSES

Grants and Donations	\$2,331,068	78.47%
Program Costs	\$437,652	14.73%
Promotions and Fundraising Expenses	\$134,858	4.54%
Administrative Expenses	\$67,212	2.26%
Total Expenses	\$2,970,790	100.00%



DISTRIBUCIÓN DE LAS SUBVENCIONES 2019

TOTAL DE SUBVENCIONES: 101

TOTAL OTORGADO: \$2,387,950

ÁREA PROGRAMÁTICA	PORCENTAJE (\$)
Construcción	26.01%
Formación de liderazgo	20.29%
Apoyo a la capacidad de la Iglesia	15.72%
Paz y justicia	11.75%
Comunicaciones	8.82%
Pastoral juvenil	6.20%
Evangelización	4.65%
Protección del niño	2.39%
Educación	1.88%
Educación religiosa	1.88%
Educación del clero y de religiosos	0.42%

GASTOS

Subvenciones y donaciones	\$2,331,068	78.47%
Costos del programa	\$437,652	14.73%
Gastos de promoción y recaudación de fondos	\$134,858	4.54%
Gastos administrativos	\$67,212	2.26%
Total de gastos	\$2,970,790	100.00%



**SUPPORT THE
Solidarity Fund for the
CHURCH IN
AFRICA**

Dear Pastor/Parish Administrator,

I invite you to imagine this path, on which no one is swept aside, or left alone or becomes lost.

—Pope Francis, Address to the Authorities of Madagascar, September 7, 2019

The Republic of South Sudan achieved independence from Sudan in 2011 after decades of war. In 2013 conflicts arose within South Sudan between rival political factions, and this tension continued for several years. Pope Francis, in a show of pastoral concern for the people of South Sudan, invited rival leaders to the Vatican for a two-day retreat in April 2019 and spoke to them of striving to remain in peace as they worked together to form a government. In this same spirit, the Catholic Diocese of Malakal in South Sudan, with support from the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa, has worked to establish and strengthen parish justice and peace committees as a way to train community members to engage in fruitful dialogues. Ecumenical activities, conflict management training sessions for committee members, and quarterly dialogue sessions help bring the community together in an ongoing endeavor to build lasting peace among neighbors.

The Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa supports the efforts of the Church throughout Africa to witness to the Gospel through evangelization, pastoral ministry, and the reconciliation of neighbors. When you participate in the collection to support the Solidarity Fund, you join this work of building the peace—work to which we are all called.

The most effective way you can help is to highlight the collection for the Solidarity Fund at Mass and encourage your parishioners to be generous. Material to assist you is in this resource, and additional materials, including a bulletin insert, parish appeal, and social media tool kit, are available at www.usccb.org/africa. Please use these before and during the collection weekend.

If you have any questions, please contact Nicole Germain at 202-541-3346 or ncpromo@usccb.org. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

Sincerely in Christ,

Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, CSsR
Archbishop of Newark
Chairman, USCCB Subcommittee on the Church in Africa

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Simple Steps

for Promoting the Collection

1

Announce the collection for the Solidarity Fund in your parish using the bulletin announcements and parish appeal provided, so your parishioners know what it is, when to expect it, and why they should support it. **This is the best way to ensure the success of the collection.**

2

Preach about the need for solidarity with the Church in Africa. Share the good news that the Church is growing, not only by ministering to the pastoral needs of the people but also by helping to foster peace among neighbors, as in South Sudan.

3

Pray for those who live in Africa and work to spread the Gospel message.

Parish Appeal

English

This weekend we take up our collection to support the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. The people of Africa are joyous and faith-filled, but as the Church in Africa grows, the pastoral needs of the people also increase. From the formation of clergy to communications programs that bring the Gospel to remote territories to youth ministries that engage the next generation of disciples, the Church's needs are wide-ranging. The Solidarity Fund is an opportunity for our parish to stand with the people of Africa. Our contributions help them face these challenges, and we support them as they build lasting foundations of missionary discipleship. Please be generous.



Spanish

Este fin de semana realizaremos nuestra colecta para apoyar al Fondo de Solidaridad para la Iglesia en África. Los habitantes de África son personas alegres y llenas de fe pero a medida que crece la Iglesia en ese continente, crecen también las necesidades pastorales de sus habitantes. Desde la formación del clero a los programas en el área de las comunicaciones que llevan el Evangelio a territorios remotos, a la pastoral juvenil dirigida a la próxima generación de discípulos, son muchas las necesidades de la Iglesia. El Fondo de Solidaridad es una oportunidad para nuestra parroquia para solidarizarse con los pueblos de África. Nuestras contribuciones los ayudan a enfrentar estos desafíos y nosotros los apoyamos mientras construyen unas bases duraderas para un discipulado misionero. Por favor, sean generosos.

Bulletin Announcements

English

Week Before the Solidarity Fund Appeal

Next week our parish will take up a collection to support the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. Although the Church in Africa is growing, many still lack access to basic resources and pastoral care. The Solidarity Fund supports pastoral projects to build the capacity of the Church and foster lasting peace and reconciliation in a continent often marked by division and tension. To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/africa.

Week of the Solidarity Fund Appeal

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Week After the Solidarity Fund Appeal

Thank you for your generous support of the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. Your contributions will provide pastoral care and support to the people of Africa as they face many challenges that come from poverty and unemployment, poor health care, and migration. Your donations will fund workshops, retreats, catechesis, and other projects that build the faith of African communities. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give! Visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections.

Spanish

Semana antes del llamado para el Fondo de Solidaridad

La próxima semana, nuestra parroquia realizará la colecta para apoyar al Fondo de Solidaridad para la Iglesia en África. A pesar que la Iglesia en África está creciendo, muchos aún carecen de acceso a recursos básicos y a un cuidado pastoral. El Fondo de Solidaridad financia proyectos pastorales para incrementar la capacidad de la Iglesia y fomentar una paz y reconciliación duraderas en un continente que a menudo está marcado por divisiones y tensiones. Para informarse más, visiten www.usccb.org/africa.

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Semana después del llamado para el Fondo de Solidaridad

Muchas gracias por su generoso apoyo al Fondo de Solidaridad para la Iglesia en África. Sus contribuciones les proporcionarán cuidado pastoral y apoyo a los pueblos de África mientras éstos enfrentan muchos desafíos que provienen de la pobreza y el desempleo, de un deficiente cuidado de la salud y de la migración. Sus donativos financiarán talleres, retiros, catequesis y otros proyectos que fortalecen la fe de las comunidades africanas. ¡Si no alcanzaron a dar a la colecta, aún lo pueden hacer! Visiten www.usccb.org/nationalcollections.