

# “Vincentian missionary action

requires presence and participation with the worldwide community. The Western Province annual appeal gives us the opportunity to be present and participate in the lives of our sisters and brothers whose faces and names we may or may not know.”

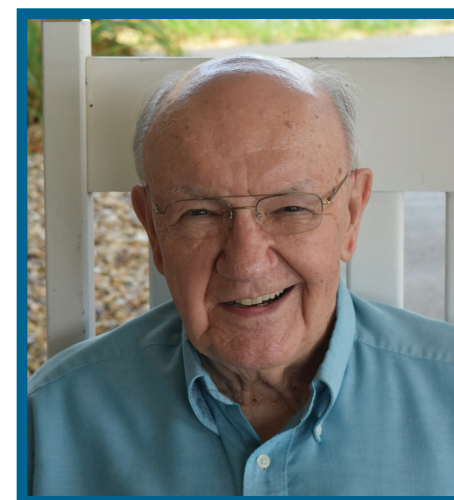
**Fr. Patrick McDevitt, C.M.**

Provincial Superior

Congregation of the Mission Western Province

## Thanks to Your Generosity

- **Thousands of parishioners** will receive God's loving message through parish missions.
- **Nearly 1,000 individuals** will receive tuition, food, and medical help in Kenya.
- **More than 60 senior priests and brothers** will receive support and care.
- **40 entrepreneurs and small business owners** will be trained in Kenya to provide for their families.
- **30 seminarians** will be educated and trained to carry out the mission.



*“During my four years at St. Mary’s of the Barrens, I have been deeply impressed with the wonderful care that we continue to receive from the staff of the house. Most importantly, I am so impressed with the Praying Community here at the Barrens. There is most definitely a sense of joy that we experience every day because of the care of the staff here at the Barrens and the relationships that we experience with one another. Thanks to all our wonderful donors who continue to support us and our work around the world.”*

**-Fr. Tom Hinni, C.M.**



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*FY22 Annual Appeal*

# See the face of Jesus Be the face of Jesus



Thank you for supporting the Vincentians as we begin our Annual Appeal.





“For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink...”

Mt. 25:35

In Matthew's gospel, Christ tells us that in the faces of the poor we will see His face. **This is the centerpiece of our mission as Vincentians and as Christians.** Your yearly offerings make it possible for the Vincentian priests and brothers to continue doing Christ's work for the poor in the U.S. and Kenya.

### Your gift helps address a critical need

The pandemic has revealed the importance of the Vincentians' work across the country and throughout the world.

At Vincentian parishes in cities like St. Louis, Chicago, New Orleans, Los Angeles, and Dallas, demand for food programs increased three-fold or more, including those who have never needed to ask.

#### Your sacrificial gift

- Provides food, rent, and utility assistance
- Supports Vincentian priests and brothers, who serve the poor in the manner of our founder, St. Vincent de Paul
- Funds recruitment and formation efforts to build the next generation of Vincentians

## Apostles of CHARITY

You are invited to partner with us and become a member of our **new monthly giving club.** Your monthly gift will express your love and commitment for the mission. Call us at **314-344-1184** or select the **“Donate Now”** button at **vincentian.org** to set up a recurring gift. See the enclosed leaflet for more information.

## FY22 FUNDING NEEDS

### UNITED STATES

**Care of Senior Priests & Brothers** \$2,847,591

Insurance, prescriptions, and medical expenses

**Evangelization Efforts** \$578,030

Prison ministry, parishes, and parish missions

**Direct Service to the Poor** \$221,000

Hospital chaplaincy, DePaul USA, underprivileged young adults, training for immigrants

**Hispanic Ministry** \$194,351

Parish ministry and Society of St. Vincent de Paul

**UNITED STATES TOTAL** \$3,840,972

### KENYA

**Education & Formation** \$1,110,631

Tuition, books, retreats, and living expenses for seminarians

**Poultry Projects & Fitness Facility at DePaul Center** \$67,000

Provides food and income for seminaries and teaches students health, wellness, and physical fitness

**Direct Service to the Poor** \$32,000

Tuition, food, medicine, and rent for those who come to our gates

**KENYA TOTAL** \$1,209,631

Parish Ministries • Kenya Mission • Service to the Poor • Education and Formation

**TOTAL NEEDS** \$5,050,603