
Legal Title: “The Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland, a corporation sole”
Established: Jan. 13, 1962

Primary Patroness: Our Lady, Queen of the World, Aug. 22
Secondary Patron: St. Francis de Sales, Jan. 24

Mission statement:
To know Christ and to make Him better known.

Statistical overview:

- Bishop 1
- Retired Bishop 1
- Total Diocesan Priests 158
- Total Religious Priests 175
- Permanent Deacons 112
- Brothers 96
- Sisters 337

- Diocesan Priests Ordained 6
- Transitional Deacons 5
- Seminarians 29

- Parishes 84
- Baptisms 9,523
- First Communions 8,028
- Confirmations 4,599
- Total Marriages 1,096
- Funerals 2,418

Social Services Provided: (hotline centers, food distribution, homeless centers, legal services, counseling) 262,900 adults and children

- Catholic Elementary Schools 45
  Total pupils 11,759

- Catholic High Schools 9
  Total students 5,666

Total Population, Alameda and Contra Costa counties: 2,604,689
Catholic Population: 550,000 (est.)