Pastoral Council

April 2026

Adult Faith Formation for 2025-2026

Event	Facilitators/coordinators	Length
Called and Gifted	Mary Reichter	5 weeks +
8 Doors	Debbie Landuyt	6 weeks
Triumph of the Heart	Jen Cakinberk	1 night
Diocesan Suicide Speaker – local "watch party"	Patty	1 night
The Chosen – S5	Jeremey Vortherms, Steve Smith, Jen Cakinberk	8 weeks
Personal Prayer – Study and Speaker series	Study – Patty and/or Debbie led Speakers: Fr James, Laura Kutscher, Dc Greg, Patty/Jeanne	4 gatherings
Immigration Panel	AMOS/P&J	1 night
Love God's Will movie	Staff	1 night
Catechist In-Service	LLFF Staff	1 night
Young Adult – Love God's Will movie night	With Young Adult leaders	1 night
Soul Shop	Randy and Patty	1 day
Wild Goose	Jeremey, Steve, Jen, and Amy Myers	15 weeks
Women's CEW	Deanna Sargent	weekend
Men's CEW	Travis Gavin	weekend
Parish Mission	Hallow	3 days
Dilexi Te	Fr Ambrose	3 weeks

Hallow Partnership

Started July 1.

Tap into Faith: 4th Sunday of the month (Aug – April) (Holly Madison helps plan, held at King's Head, next to Magee's)

- August – Chris Oltmanns (conversion story)
- September – Fr Ken (Saints)
- October – Jordan and David (Infant Loss)
- November – Abby Henderson (Faith and Social Media)
- January – John Huynh (CST)
- February – Deacon Ed Garza (Spiritual Warfare)
- March – Mayra and Antonio Banuelose (Sacrament of Marriage)
- April – Bo Bonner (conversion story)

Hour of Amazing Grace: 1st Sunday of the month year-round. (I coordinate with the witness speaker)

- September – Patty (Healing)
- October – Jeanne Frantik
- November - Fr James
- December – Youth from NCYC
- Jan – (last minute speaker cancel) Patty
- February – Fr Ambrose
- March – Nick/Parish Mission
- April – Skipped
- May – *working on*
- June – Fr Ambrose
- July – *working on*
- August – Paul and Anne Suarez

Neighborhood Groups –

- 8 groups still gathering.

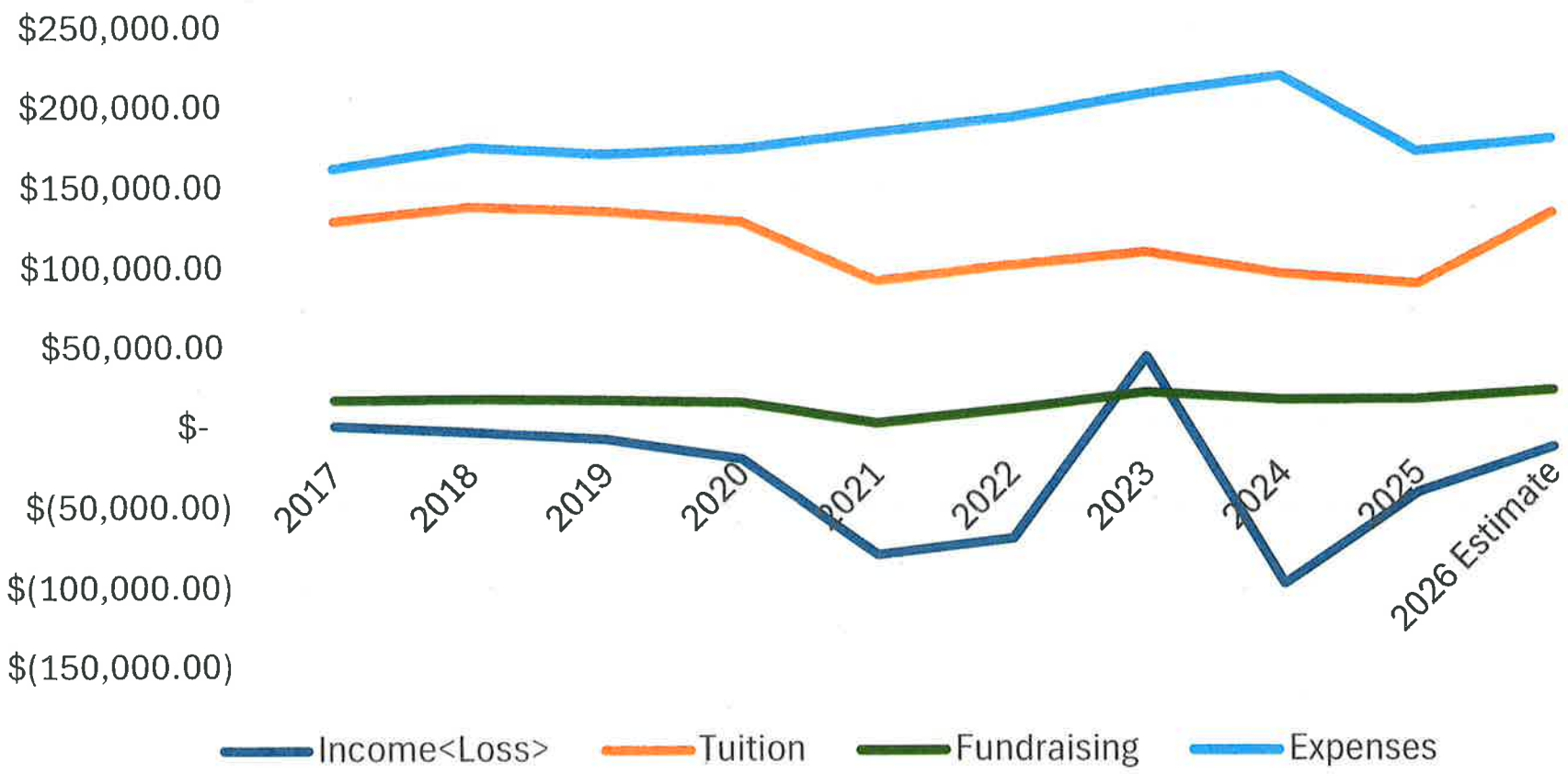
Spiritual Direction –

- 9 directee's that come in regularly – just picked up 2 more lately, will see if they are regular or "as needed"
- Several others who come in "as needed"

OCIA:

	So far in July 2025-June 2026	July 2024-June 2025	July 2023-June 2024	
Full Initiation (Not Baptized, Seeking Baptism and Full initiation)	4 completed *4 in process for Easter 27*	4	2	Full initiation only happens at Easter Vigil.
Professions of Faith (Baptized Christian, seeking to become Catholic)	4 – came in 2 will come in, in May 7 in process.	10 (2 of those received Conditional Baptism)	9	Rite of Reception: 4 times a year – Feb, May, Aug, Nov
Adult Confirmations (Baptized Catholic, Seeking Completion of Sacraments of Initiation)	7 completed 9 in process – will receive in May	10	9	Confirmation available Nov. and May. *(5 weeks of preparation classes required)*

Our Lady's Little Learners 10 Year Comparison



Here is the standard promotion I do for all parish events & try to do for organizations from the parish/events:

- Bulletin blurb for 2-3 weeks
- Weekly parish email blurb for 2-3 weeks
- Social Media post (generally in the week leading up to the event)
- Event on parish website (www.olih.org/news)
- Slide in the gathering space tvs on rotation for 2-3 weeks leading up to event
- Slides before Mass livestream on rotation for 2-3 weeks leading up to an event
- Flyer on bulletin board(s) in the main hallway

Optional additional promotion:

- 1 minute video for email, social media, gathering space tv (with captions) & website
- 2 minute talk before Mass (limited availability)
- Bulletin Insert
- Sign Stand in the gathering space
- Verbal Announcement before Mass
- Outside sign 1-2 weeks beforehand
- Donut Sunday (displays/tri-folds, etc.)