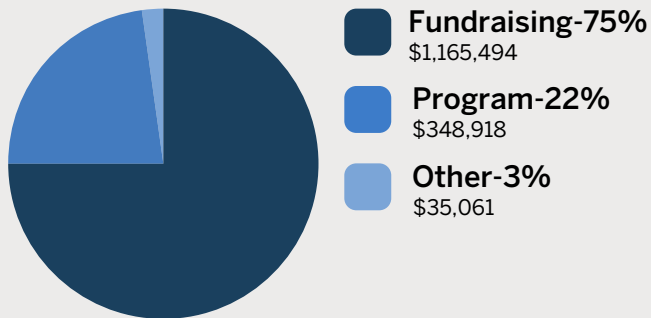
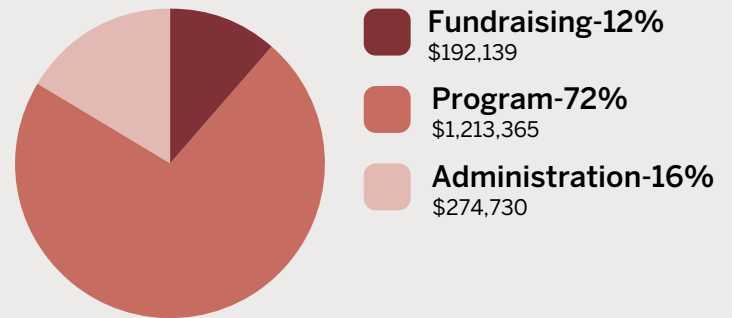


# Annual Report 2021-22

## Revenue \$1,549,473



## Expenses \$1,680,234



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A couple days ago, we had our first senior youth night. We had a group discussion, and one of the questions I asked was "What is one spiritual goal that you'd like to set and how are you going to go about doing it?" Some of them answered that they'd want to increase the amount they pray, start praying more. One girl shared that she'd like to pursue the saint that she picked on all saints day, to continue to pray to that saint and grow in holiness through their intercession. She also shared that the one big goal that she has in life is to "Get to heaven, to meet Jesus and give Him the biggest hug!" It was so beautiful seeing this group of young people on fire for their faith!

- Marie Levesque

## *Encountering God*

**There are many steps along the way to a relationship with Jesus Christ. Each step is a "yes", a movement towards Jesus. Here are some stories of steps being taken by young people this year.**

At the start of the retreat, one of the girls in my small group was unsure whether she believed in God or not. By this last small group, however, after all the experiences of the retreat, she not only believed but wanted to engage in a relationship with God.

- JF Dacquay

During a one-day retreat we led in Calgary, I had the opportunity to journey with one youth in my small group. At first he said he wasn't sure whether he believed in God or not; his family "wasn't very Catholic" and didn't practice their faith much. However, after prayer time, during our last small group, he told me that he wanted to spend less time on his phone and more time praying. He then asked me for a commitment card, so that he could grow closer in a relationship with God. I noticed therefore that the youth grew a lot in his faith, even in the space of a single day.

- Chris Pettapiece