



SAINT PETER CLAVER
FOUNDATION

ANNUAL REPORT

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*“We must speak to them with our hands,
before we try to speak to them with our lips”*

- Saint Peter Claver

Mission.

The mission of the Foundation is to promote and enhance the benevolent goals of the Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary by addressing the multiple **charitable needs and aspirations** of the Order's members, parishes, and the greater community.

Vision.

We envision a **vibrant, strong, and healthy community** in service to God, the Church, and stakeholders resulting in a higher quality of life for all.

Values.

SPIRITUALITY. We believe and subscribe to the teachings and philosophies of the Roman Catholic Church. We have experienced, first hand, what Faith can do and wish to enable others to share in its riches.

INCLUSIVENESS. Although we subscribe to the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church, we realize that we are not on the earth alone. Our goal is to partner with organizations of service to our community at large. We view diversity as a strength.

ACCOUNTABILITY. Each Board Member of the St. Peter Claver Foundation understands his or her responsibility to its donors. The Board of Directors operates under a strict code of ethics. The Saint Peter Claver Foundation is committed to making sure that donor funds are used for the intended charitable act(s) and to support programs effectively.



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Letter From PEGGY BALLOU

With hope and renewed resolve, we look to the future. Despite the many difficulties our world faced throughout the year, such as trials and turmoil, the St. Peter Claver Foundation is committed to growth and expanding our services. The trials have made us stronger and more cohesive. We are now better prepared to face what lies ahead. This ensures that we will fulfill our mission to promote and enhance the charitable goals of the Knights of Peter Claver, Inc., and its communities. With this knowledge, the SPCF stands ready to serve our communities with hope.

Because of generous and faithful supporters like you, who have chosen to join hands with us, the Foundation hosted a luncheon with the KPC, Inc. Conference Presidents. Our goal was to rebuild relationships and bridge a gap among KPC, Inc. members. The Foundation is deeply grateful to those who have invested their hard-earned dollars in our organization.

Here are a few highlights of what's been accomplished through the Foundation over the last year:

- Increased Foundation Board membership by 50%.
- We exceeded our #iGive Catholic/ #iGive Tuesday campaign goal by over 49% during the campaign period. With additional donations received after the campaign ended, we reached over 60%, with approximately 80 donors.
- The Foundation received funding from The National Black Catholic Congress - Daniel Rudd Fund Grant Program. These funds will support approved grant recipients who will offer Vacation Bible School in their communities.
- Awarded three (3) microgrants for programs for "Bowties for Brothers", "Youth Thrive 360 Project", and "St. Augustine Church (SAC) Thunderbolt Community Basketball Team."

Looking ahead:

- The Foundation Board members met virtually for 2 days to draft a two-year strategic plan. The overall goal was to review our mission and impact, and to streamline our processes to better serve our donors, supporters, and partners. More information will be shared via communication mechanisms throughout the year.

The Foundation operates solely on funds received through donations, fundraising activities, and grants secured by the Foundation Board members. Our 501(c)(3) status allows donors to make fully tax-deductible contributions in support of the Foundation's charitable works on behalf of the Order.

While we continue to address challenges from previous years, we remain hopeful because of partners like you. Your support strengthens our community and impacts people across all backgrounds. We call on you to continue supporting us by becoming an annual sponsor or by making future donations through estate planning, planned giving, or wills.

The Foundation will continue to expand programs and services, build and renew partnerships, advocate for our mission, and strengthen our communities.

Sincerely,
Peggy Ballou
President
Saint Peter Claver Foundation



Thank
You!

2026 KPC Giving Day Total: \$11,057.00

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Areas of Focus.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

- Criminal Justice Reform
- Black Lives Matter - Dignity of Black Lives
- Racism
- Domestic Violence
- Human Trafficking

EDUCATION

- Tutoring / Afterschool Programs
- College Track Programs
- Classroom Supplies and Equipment
- Tuition Assistance / Financial Aid Support

ELDER SUPPORT

- Drive-A-Senior Programs
- Meals on Wheels
- Living Assistance
- Partnership Programs with AARP

DOMESTIC ISSUES / AT-RISK YOUTH

- Domestic Abuse Support
- Enrichment Activities
- Social Services
- Family Support
- Youth Development

HOUSING ASSISTANCE / POVERTY ERADICATION

- Temporary and Emergency Housing
- Home Furnishings and Supplies
- Job Training
- Food Pantries

HEALTH & WELLNESS

- Sickle Cell Research / Support
- Medical Supplies and Equipment
- Health Fairs
- Fitness Activities
- Blood Drives

RELIGIOUS SUPPORT

- Religious and Clergy Spiritual and Professional Development
- Support for Seminarians



TOTAL INCOME

\$146,542.83

TOTAL EXPENSES

\$146,109.12

NET INCOME

\$433.71

INCOME

Restricted Donations Income	
KPC Sponsored	
Foundation Gala Income	\$16,250.00
Scholarship Income	\$47,000.00
Charitable Donations	\$8,000.00
Religious Donations	\$900.00
Educational Donations	
Soaring High Income	\$2,600.00
Tolton/ Broussard Fund Income	
C. Broussard/Scholarship	\$100.00
Tolton/ Broussard Fund Income - Other	\$789.01
Institutional Donations	
Sickle Cell Income	\$2,000.00
Human Development Income	\$3,000.00
SPCF Sponsored	
MicroGrants Income	\$15,872.29
Restricted Donations	\$950.00
Sponsorship Income	\$10,500.00
Disaster Donations Inc	\$10.00
Enduring Call to Love	\$700.00
Unrestricted Donations	
Public Donations	\$13,900.75
Director Donations	\$6,844.00
Fundraising Activities	
Convention Fundraiser	\$16,057.58
SPCF Silent Auction	\$1,054.43
Investments	
Interest-Savings, Short-term CD	\$14.77

EXPENSE

Professional Services	
MMS Online Services	\$1,600.00
Accounting Fees	\$6,250.45
Legal Fees	\$1,145.25
Restricted Donations Expense	
KPC Sponsored	
Founder's Gala Expense	\$25,697.21
Scholarship Expense	\$45,000.00
Charitable Expense	\$8,000.00
Religious Expense	\$900.00
Educational	
Soaring High Expense	\$2,600.00
Tolton Educations Fund Expense	\$7,500.00
Institutional	
Sickle Cell Expense	\$2,000.00
Human Development Expense	\$3,000.00
SPCF Sponsored	
Restricted Donations Expense	\$950.00
Sponsorships Expense	\$10,000.00
Disaster Donations Expense	\$2,500.00
Unrestricted Donations Expense	\$17,000.00
Lodge Supplies	\$588.98
Operations	
Processing Fees	\$6,349.57
Taxes and Fees	\$277.81
Advertising and Marketing	\$1,370.49
Board Expenses	\$2,003.40
Insurance - Liability, D and O	\$585.64
Travel (Conference, Convention, Meeting)	\$790.32

TOTAL EXPENSE

\$146,109.12

TOTAL INCOME

\$146,542.83



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YOU CAN HELP DONATE NOW

Support the St. Peter Claver Foundation by donating to the **Augustus Tolton Educational Fund** of your choice. Please return this form with your donation.

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The Claver Founders Fund	\$ _____
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**Augustus
 Tolton
 Educational
 Funds**

THE AUGUSTUS TOLTON EDUCATIONAL FUNDS...

The Augustus Tolton Educational Funds are a collection of funds through which the Foundation promotes and supports the compendium of educational programming supported by the Foundation and the Knights of Peter Claver. The funds expand the initial focus on HBCUs to include support for the education and formation of lay ministers and economically disadvantaged schools. Several individually-named funds have been set up within The Tolton Funds to help achieve its mission.

They are:

- The Claver Founders Fund
- The Institute for Black Catholic Studies Fund
- The Xavier University of Louisiana Fund
- The HBCU Fund, and
- The Vocational Enhancement & Support Fund

The Claver Founders Fund

A Collaborative Approach...

The **Claver Founders Fund** provides support to schools for disadvantaged, inner-city and rural youth that have a STEM or healthcare educational focus

The Fund requires a Claver Unit to be the applicant school's co-sponsor. This means a Claver unit must commit to a minimum of 50 volunteer hours of school support. It is intended to sustain and expand the reach of the financial support provided by the St Peter Claver Foundation during the year of the grant award and beyond.

The Institute for Black Catholic Studies Fund

Supporting the Call to Catholic Action...

The purpose of the **Institute for Black Catholic Studies Fund** is to assist lay ministers with ongoing education and formation. It provides scholarships to African-American Catholics and those who serve in predominately African American Catholic communities that are enrolled in the Institute for Black Catholic Studies at Xavier University

The Xavier University of Louisiana Fund

Supporting Catholic Education...

The **Xavier University Fund** supports our nation's only Catholic HBCU. The Foundation recognizes that providing a holistic education for today's Catholic mind requires immense resources and is committed to provide long-term support through scholarships and gifts.

The HBCU Fund

Supporting Historically Black Colleges and Universities...

The **HBCU Fund** provides scholarship support to deserving undergraduate students at any historically black college or university, without regards to its status as a private or public institution.

The Vocational Enhancement & Support Fund

Promoting Religious Life as a Viable Option...

The **Vocational Enhancement & Support Fund** provides monetary and moral support for seminarians and postulants who are preparing for the priesthood or religious life.

This fund promotes vocation awareness, and invitation and discernment to life as a religious sister, brother or priest.

Testimonials



Rev. Dr. Urey Patrick Mark

"Your Platinum Sponsorship of \$5,000 to our 2025 Golf Tournament played a vital role in advancing our mission to form collegians into Missionary Disciples and create a nurturing environment for our students by fostering spiritual growth, evangelization, and a vibrant Eucharistic Community of college students." –



Aulston G. Taylor '98, President and CEO



"On behalf of the students at St. Augustine High School, I would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude for your generous contribution of \$5,000. We are truly honored by your support and deeply appreciative of your commitment to our academic and extracurricular programs. Thanks to your contribution, we are collectively building a brighter future for the next generation of leaders. As requested, your entire gift has been designated to our Campus Ministry initiative."



Knight Cameron Smith

"Knight Cameron Smith of KPC Council 300 in Atlanta, GA led a barbecue event for the homeless community on June 13th, 2026 at the Catholic Shrine of the Immaculate Conception to celebrate Juneteenth. This is a continuation of his event starting in 2024. The goal was to do something positive for the homeless community and continue a collaboration between The Shrine and KPC."



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If you donated in FY 2025 and your name does not appear on this listing, we sincerely apologize for the omission.

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