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### **Compensation Report**

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A National, Provincial, and Diocesan

Analysis of Clergy Compensation

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### The Episcopal Church Compensation Report: A User's Guide with Some Frequently Asked Questions

In the ten years since the clergy compensation guide has been available online, it has been used by an ever-increasing number of people—not just by the traditional constituency of diocesan administrators, but by clergy and parishes, as well. We felt it would be useful to offer some explanation as to terminology and uses of the report in the form of the most frequently asked questions.

#### 1) What does compensation include?

For clergy, this is the assessable compensation reported to the Church Pension Fund and includes, but is not limited to, cash salary, utilities, payments made to Social Security, and housing, either in the form of a housing allowance or, if a rectory is provided, as 30% of salary. Compensation also includes such items as contributions to individual retirement accounts, cash gifts to clergy, and the payment of school fees for clergy children. This compensation amount does not include the pension payments made to the Pension Fund or any other standard employee benefit.

#### 2) What are the criteria in the report for being counted as a full-time cleric?

We have used a baseline figure of \$31,244 as a benchmark and we assume that compensation above that level is full-time. Figures in italics indicate that there were fewer than five observations for a category, and it is considered insufficient data if there are fewer than three observations.

#### 3) As a diocese, how do we work out how well we are doing?

We have tried to move well beyond the idea of absolute rankings towards something that reflects the complexities of comparing compensation levels. Dioceses should really focus on how they compare with other dioceses by looking at congregational size. Compensation is closely related to church size and thus a diocese with a substantial number of larger congregations will have a higher overall compensation figure, but it might be that the median compensation for rectors in pastoral-size congregations is in fact lower than a diocese made up primarily of small to medium-sized congregations. Dioceses should also be mindful that a rise in median compensation may be caused by the elimination of lower paying positions, such as curacies, and therefore is not always an indication of progress and so the number of clergy is also important.

# National-Level Statistics

	Table 1: Full-time clergy compensation 2000 to 2011 in actual and constant dollars						
Year	FT clergy median comp	Constant 2011 \$s	% change in constant \$s	Full-time Clergy	% change in FT Clergy		
2011	\$70,931	\$68,803	0.9%	5,379	-2.9%		
2010	\$69,219	\$68,181	3.3%	5,538	-3.4%		
2009	\$67,820	\$66,023	-0.7%	5,731	-3.1%		
2008	\$66,545	\$66,545	3.0%	5,912	-0.3%		
2007	\$64,508	\$64,508	0.1%	6,106	0.4%		
2006	\$62,793	\$64,049	-1.5%	6,079	-1.6%		
2005	\$61,379	\$65,062	-0.5%	6,176	-1.8%		
2004	\$60,000	\$65,400	0.1%	6,288	-0.8%		
2003	\$58,818	\$65,288	0.5%	6,338	1.2%		
2002	\$56,930	\$64,900	2.1%	6,262	1.0%		
2001	\$54,786	\$63,552	1.0%	6,202	3.0%		
2000	\$52,428	\$62,914		6,022			

Table 2: Overall average compensation by church size					
Average Sunday	All full-time	Senior and			
Attendance (ASA)	parish clergy	solo clerics			
Church Size					
Family (0-75)	\$58,000	\$57,949			
Pastoral (75-140)	\$70,740	\$71,256			
Transitional (140-225)	\$80,258	\$84,435			
Program (225-400)	\$81,000	\$99,129			
Resource (400+) \$81,902 \$127,50					
Total	\$70,144	\$72,723			

Table 3: Full-time compensation by					
gender and position in comparative					
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ALL CLERGY	— Parochia	and no	on-parochial		
Gender	Median	No.	% of Total N		
Male	\$74,331	3,537	66%		
Female	\$64,424	1,842	34%		
Total	\$70,931	5,379	100%		
SENIOR CLEF					
Gender	Median	No.	% of Total N		
Male	\$100,425	603	82%		
Female	\$89,256	131	18%		
Total	\$98,451	734	100%		
SOLO CLERG	Y				
Gender	Median	No.	% of Total N		
Male	\$70,966	2,038	67%		
Female	\$64,612	1,000	33%		
Total	\$68,675	3,038	100%		
ASSOCIATES	<u>, ASSISTAN</u>		D CURATES		
Gender	Median	No.	% of Total N		
Male	\$62,189	399	48%		
Female	\$57,773	429	52%		
Total	\$60,000	828	100%		
SPECIALIST N					
Gender	Median	No.	% of Total N		
Male	\$75,000	401	59%		
Female	\$66,646	273	41%		
Total	\$71,921	674	100%		

Table 4: Clergy compensation						
	by years of experience					
Gender	Years credited service /	Median clergy				
	Episcopal job experience	compensation				
Male	1 to 5 years	\$58,325				
	5 to 10 years	\$69,928				
	10 to 20 years	\$78,019				
	20 years plus	\$87,494				
	Total	\$74,331				
Female	1 to 5 years	\$54,926				
	5 to 10 years	\$62,721				
	10 to 20 years	\$71,527				
	20 years plus	\$76,016				
	Total	\$64,424				
Total	1 to 5 years	\$56,866				
	5 to 10 years	\$66,872				
	10 to 20 years	\$75,000				
	20 years plus	\$85,587				
	Total	\$70,931				

Table 5: Clergy compensation by age						
Gender	Age of	Median	Number of	Percentage of		
	cleric	compensation	clergy	clergy		
Male	18 to 35	\$59,208	275	8%		
	35 to 45	\$71,750	515	14%		
	45 to 55	\$76,888	944	27%		
	Over 55	\$77,434	1,803	51%		
	Total	\$74,331	3,537	100%		
Female	18 to 35	\$55,879	133	7%		
	35 to 45	\$62,842	229	12%		
	45 to 55	\$65,606	509	28%		
	Over 55	\$65,500	971	53%		
	Total	\$64,424	1,842	100%		
Total	18 to 35	\$57,758	408	8%		
	35 to 45	\$69,321	744	14%		
	45 to 55	\$73,252	1,453	27%		
	Over 55	\$72,228	2,774	51%		
	Total	\$70,922	5,379	100%		

# Provincial-Level Data

Table 6: Median compensation for all full-time clergy					
Province	Median				
Ι	\$76,103				
II	\$76,215				
	\$72,100				
IV	\$70,000				
V	\$66,245				
VI	\$64,462				
VII	\$67,574				
VIII	\$70,000				
Total	\$70,931				

		All clerics	Senior/solo clergy only
Province	Church Size	Median	Median
	Family (0-75)	\$57,514	\$57,192
	Pastoral (76-140)	\$74,156	\$77,579
	Transitional (141-225)	\$88,344	\$91,45
	Program (226-400)	\$91,604	\$106,516
	Resource (401+)	\$122,442	Insufficient Data
	Total	\$75,331	\$78,260
	Family (0-75)	\$66,109	\$66,10
	Pastoral (76-140)	\$76,500	\$76,82
	Transitional (141-225)	\$88,696	\$93,643
	Program (226-400)	\$95,199	\$113,83
	Resource (401+)	\$123,171	\$177,48
	Total	\$75,636	\$76,53
	Family (0-75)	\$60,654	\$60,81
	Pastoral (76-140)	\$74,290	\$75,36
	Transitional (141-225)	\$82,500	\$90,59
	Program (226-400)	\$78,468	\$107,31
	Resource (401+)	\$75,854	\$137,84
	Total	\$71,551	\$76,40
IV	Family (0-75)	\$52,692	\$53,78
	Pastoral (76-140)	\$66,050	\$66,61
	Transitional (141-225)	\$76,046	\$79,89
	Program (226-400)	\$79,521	\$95,25
	Resource (401+)	\$78,928	\$128,46
	Total	\$68,891	\$72,00
V	Family (0-75)	\$56,708	\$72,00
v	Pastoral (76-140)	\$66,285	\$66,43
	Transitional (141-225)	\$81,814	\$83,00
	Program (226-400)	\$80,167	\$101,40
	Resource (401+)	\$88,894	\$101,40
	Total	\$65,590	\$66,00
VI	Family (0-75)	\$55,000	\$54,81
	Pastoral (76-140)	\$65,856	\$67,04
	Transitional (141-225)	\$75,938	\$77,99
	Program (226-400)	\$81,000	\$91,50
	Resource (401+)	\$77,742	Insufficient Dat
	Total	\$65,000	\$65,85
VII	Family (0-75)	\$55,000	\$55,00
	Pastoral (76-140)	\$65,073	\$66,30
	Transitional (141-225)	\$74,539	\$78,54
	Program (226-400)	\$77,024	\$93,82
	Resource (401+)	\$82,971	\$126,00
	Total	\$67,080	\$70,56
VIII	Family (0-75)	\$60,000	\$60,00
	Pastoral (76-140)	\$70,800	\$71,19
	Transitional (141-225)	\$78,504	\$85,63
	Program (226-400)	\$79,606	\$95,00
	Resource (401+)	\$81,369	\$123,57
	Total	\$69,894	\$71,97

rable 8: Median compensation							
	by rank and gender						
Gender	Province	Senior clergy	Solo clergy	Associates			
		55	55	and curates			
Male	1	\$104,800	\$77,438	\$62,686			
	11	\$123,374	\$76,824	\$71,757			
	111	\$110,862	\$73,250	\$61,096			
	IV	\$102,305	\$68,608	\$61,981			
	V	\$95,863	\$65,677	\$64,208			
	VI	\$84,660	\$62,903	\$54,594			
	VII	\$95,634	\$68,714	\$61,236			
	VIII	\$90,584	\$71,197	\$60,000			
	Total	\$100,425	\$70,966	\$62,189			
Female	I	\$83,556	\$72,000	\$54,640			
	11	\$112,333	\$72,193	\$63,072			
	111	\$91,516	\$66,414	\$60,000			
	IV	\$81,691	\$60,000	\$57,498			
	V	\$80,644	\$58,880	\$60,000			
	VI	\$60,998	\$64,882	\$52,373			
	VII	\$88,756	\$59,714	\$55,001			
	VIII	\$99,000	\$63,443	\$57,252			
	Total	\$89,256	\$64,612	\$57,773			
All Clergy	1	\$94,138	\$74,640	\$56,021			
	11	\$113,837	\$74,965	\$66,345			
		\$105,204	\$70,550	\$60,500			
	IV	\$101,060	\$66,724	\$60,000			
	V	\$93,640	\$62,500	\$61,778			
	VI	\$79,661	\$64,155	\$52,373			
	VII	\$93,907	\$66,316	\$58,669			
	VIII	\$90,893	\$67,739	\$57,989			
	Total	\$98,451	\$68,675	\$60,000			

# Table 8: Median compensation

# Diocesan-Level Data

	Diocese	Median	Decile	Ν
Province I	Connecticut	\$84,488	1	143
	Maine	\$69,545	5	32
	Massachusetts	\$77,341	2	175
	New Hampshire	\$66,241	7	40
	Rhode Island	\$74,700	2	36
	Vermont	\$61,167	8	23
	Western Mass	\$72,324	3	49
Province II	Albany	\$61,073	9	56
	Central New York	\$72,894	2	37
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	Long Island	\$80,763	1	108
	New Jersey	\$78,178	2	11!
	New York	\$82,183	1	21
	Newark	\$70,714	4	73
	Rochester	\$70,965	4	30
	Virgin Islands**	\$67,911	N/A	!
	Western New York	\$61,128	9	20
Province III	Bethlehem	\$68,788	5	3
	New Jersey \$78,178 2   New York \$82,183 1   Newark \$70,714 4   Rochester \$70,965 4   Virgin Islands** \$67,911 N/A   Western New York \$61,128 9   ovince III Bethlehem \$68,788 5   Central Penn \$67,392 6	6	4	
	Delaware	\$82,500	1	2
	Easton	\$72,203	3	2
	Maryland	\$67,234	6	12
	Northwestern Penn	\$57,542	10	1:
	Pennsylvania	\$78,298	1	13-
	Pittsburgh	\$69,688	5	2
	Southern Virginia	\$71,627	3	7
	Southwestern Virginia	\$68,042	6	3
	Virginia	\$72,266	3	21
	Washington	\$82,494	1	11
	West Virginia	\$64,558	7	2

Province IV	Alabama	\$66,462	6	85
	Atlanta	\$68,600	5	119
	Central Florida	\$70,867	4	84
	Central Gulf Coast	\$73,820	2	43
	East Carolina	\$78,755	1	45
	East Tennessee	\$65,574	7	42
	Florida	\$71,693	3	54
	Georgia	\$61,425	8	54
	Kentucky	\$71,432	4	29
	Lexington	\$57,640	10	26
	Louisiana	\$72,968	2	48
	Mississippi	\$57,972	9	66
	North Carolina	\$69,952	4	106
	South Carolina	\$80,884	1	75
	Southeast Florida	\$71,584	3	76
	Southwest Florida	\$74,610	2	79
	Tennessee	\$71,361	4	57
	Upper South Carolina	\$61,369	8	53
	West Tennessee	\$73,508	2	32
	Western North Carolina	\$66,406	6	52
Province V	Chicago	\$68,000	6	117
	Eastern Michigan	\$56,801	10	17
	Eau Claire	\$38,365	10	5
	Fond du Lac	\$62,000	8	23
	Indianapolis	\$68,496	5	44
	Michigan	\$61,900	8	54
	Milwaukee	\$70,000	4	45
	Missouri	\$60,000	9	35
	Northern Indiana	\$69,121	5	18
	Northern Michigan	Insufficient Data	10	3
	Ohio	\$66,300	6	71
	Quincy	Insufficient Data	N/A	2
	Southern Ohio	\$71,801	3	68
	Springfield	\$64,080	7	21
	Western Michigan	\$62,650	8	34

Province VI	Colorado	\$69,405	5	85
	lowa	\$56,000	10	29
	Minnesota	\$69,269	5	63
	Montana	\$52,775	10	16
	Nebraska	\$67,402	6	24
	North Dakota	\$63,083	8	6
	South Dakota	\$53,244	10	20
	Wyoming	\$63,050	8	14
Province VII	Arkansas	\$64,692	7	42
	Dallas	\$63,376	7	76
	Fort Worth	\$57,816	10	12
	Kansas	\$58,275	9	32
	Northwest Texas	\$60,594	9	17
	Oklahoma	\$65,139	7	56
	Rio Grande	\$69,960	4	29
	Texas	\$74,372	2	173
	West Missouri	\$62,000	8	31
	West Texas	\$68,834	5	69
	Western Kansas	\$59,831	9	7
	Western Louisiana	\$66,820	6	25
Province VIII	Alaska	\$72,606	3	11
	Arizona	\$65,000	7	55
	California	\$72,757	3	115
	Eastern Oregon	\$62,400	8	5
	El Camino Real	\$68,999	5	46
	Hawaii	\$84,810	1	27
	Idaho	\$63,240	7	11
	Los Angeles	\$71,695	3	170
	Navajoland	Insufficient Data	10	3
	Nevada	\$63,762	7	7
	Northern California	\$66,854	6	42
	Olympia	\$71,197	4	77
	Oregon	\$59,702	9	62
	San Diego	\$75,153	2	42
	San Joaquin	\$60,000	9	13
	Spokane	\$59,500	9	17
	Utah	\$69,896	4	28
Province IX	Puerto Rico**	\$28,470	N/A	48

\* Deciles based on absolute values 1 = highest paid 10% 10 = lowest paid 10% \*\*Includes all clergy and does not use the \$31,244 full-time marker due to different economic circumstance

Table 10: Median total compensation by church size: All full-time clergy						
Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (75-140)	Transitional (140-225)	Program & Resource (225+)		
Alabama	\$56,296	\$64,500	\$76,903	\$90,000		
Alaska	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data		
Albany	\$49,819	\$68,121	\$82,492	Insufficient Data		
Arizona	\$50,921	\$61,193	\$75,209	\$84,872		
Arkansas	\$56,932	\$65,109	\$82,648	\$63,569		
Atlanta	\$50,288	\$64,704	\$71,788	\$75,355		
Bethlehem	\$51,912	\$73,200	\$68,896	Insufficient Data		
California	\$65,505	\$80,189	\$73,059	\$96,884		
Central Florida	\$55,127	\$61,144	\$81,459	\$79,964		
Central Gulf Coast	\$61,135	\$69,410	\$86,540	\$86,009		
Central New York	\$52,741	\$77,344	\$81,899	Insufficient Data		
Central Pennsylvania	\$60,614	\$66,830	\$84,738	\$80,036		
Chicago	\$58,906	\$72,858	\$79,354	\$80,000		
Colorado	\$83,305	\$67,200	\$80,360	\$83,208		
Connecticut	\$73,226	\$80,539	\$91,721	\$108,238		
Dallas	\$53,424	\$59,520	\$72,300	\$74,380		
Delaware	Insufficient Data	\$68,822	\$83,548	\$79,953		
East Carolina	\$66,043	\$78,273	\$86,542	\$79,521		
East Tennessee	\$44,520	\$59,466	\$70,145	\$78,174		
Eastern Michigan	\$50,682	\$57,736	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data		
Eastern Oregon	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data		
Easton	\$56,529	\$72,970	Insufficient Data	\$77,807		
Eau Claire	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data		

Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (75-140)	Transitional (140-225)	Program & Resource (225+)
El Camino Real	\$63,416	\$74,257	\$84,512	Insufficient Data
Florida	\$63,791	\$68,000	\$89,233	\$81,902
Fond du Lac	\$55,767	\$63,328	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Fort Worth	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Georgia	\$51,597	\$59,908	\$66,225	\$71,368
Hawaii	\$75,039	\$89,238	\$109,196	Insufficient Data
Idaho	\$67,066	\$59,208	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Indianapolis	\$56,946	\$68,496	Insufficient Data	\$76,352
lowa	\$53,367	\$58,238	\$78,330	Insufficient Data
Kansas	\$52,000	\$58,198	\$67,635	\$83,000
Kentucky	\$47,740	\$72,000	\$77,340	\$95,479
Lexington	\$42,255	\$67,154	\$78,104	\$54,216
Long Island	\$71,856	\$80,597	\$94,189	\$101,824
Los Angeles	\$60,000	\$70,775	\$77,854	\$80,009
Louisiana	\$53,167	\$71,900	Insufficient Data	\$71,525
Maine	\$54,720	\$73,898	\$82,426	Insufficient Data
Maryland	\$59,303	\$69,478	\$80,096	\$72,062
Massachusetts	\$50,260	\$63,000	\$79,369	\$86,197
Michigan	\$59,167	\$74,467	\$81,948	Insufficient Data
Milwaukee	\$60,573	\$68,927	\$69,316	\$71,064
Minnesota	\$50,526	\$69,353	\$77,625	\$71,140
Mississippi	\$50,526	\$69,353	\$77,625	\$71,140
Missouri	\$53,905	\$59,074	Insufficient Data	\$81,124
Montana	\$46,001	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Navajoland	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Nebraska	\$60,000	\$69,610	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Nevada	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
New Hampshire	\$51,701	\$69,323	\$79,321	\$68,839
New Jersey	\$67,244	\$78,992	\$86,655	\$76,883

Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (75-140)	Transitional (140-225)	Program & Resource (225+)
New York	\$73,468	\$80,973	\$86,224	\$114,660
Newark	\$68,112	\$73,355	\$87,608	\$116,274
North Carolina	\$51,190	\$65,500	\$74,744	\$79,500
North Dakota	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Northern California	\$60,000	\$65,232	\$85,932	Insufficient Data
Northern Indiana	\$62,609	\$65,984	\$75,849	Insufficient Data
Northern Michigan	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Northwest Texas	\$57,555	\$63,000	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Northwestern Pennsylvania	\$52,558	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Ohio	\$57,800	\$69,590	\$84,223	\$97,481
Oklahoma	\$50,714	\$67,067	Insufficient Data	\$97,481
Olympia	\$54,746	\$71,197	\$81,374	\$83,150
Oregon	\$54,556	\$60,562	\$67,554	\$67,787
Pennsylvania	\$65,280	\$80,185	\$94,885	\$77,142
Pittsburgh	\$58,316	\$77,000	Insufficient Data	\$82,446
Quincy	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Rhode Island	\$65,953	\$78,404	\$97,208	\$82,640
Rio Grande	\$47,408	\$73,503	Insufficient Data	\$99,899
Rochester	\$62,970	\$70,965	\$92,445	Insufficient Data
San Diego	\$51,862	\$67,328	\$80,000	\$89,888
San Joaquin	\$53,549	\$60,000	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
South Carolina	\$73,115	\$72,343	\$85,820	\$87,841
South Dakota	\$53,411	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Southeast Florida	\$63,420	\$65,550	\$83,728	\$79,778
Southern Ohio	\$64,500	\$65,765	\$81,437	\$81,258
Southern Virginia	\$63,500	\$71,270	\$81,934	\$84,212
Southwest Florida	\$74,079	\$65,998	\$73,319	\$85,560
Southwestern Virginia	\$51,400	\$72,815	\$74,766	\$61,129

Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (75-140)	Transitional (140-225)	Program & Resource (225+)
Spokane	\$58,604	\$57,558	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Springfield	\$58,376	\$72,000	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Tennessee	\$47,826	\$68,349	\$75,394	\$70,556
Texas	\$64,630	\$69,105	\$77,811	\$82,971
Upper South Carolina	\$49,579	\$60,000	\$76,140	\$68,000
Utah	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	\$62,604	Insufficient Data
Vermont	\$43,938	\$61,406	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Virginia	\$66,490	\$75,992	\$74,200	\$73,740
Washington	\$62,541	\$82,494	\$92,327	\$88,744
West Missouri	\$55,000	\$61,337	\$76,872	\$75,653
West Tennessee	\$47,837	Insufficient Data	\$63,897	\$78,602
West Texas	\$64,090	\$67,278	\$69,555	\$78,758
West Virginia	\$57,709	\$65,459	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Western Kansas	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Western Louisiana	\$48,422	\$57,030	\$87,013	Insufficient Data
Western Massachusetts	\$66,542	\$73,283	\$82,811	Insufficient Data
Western Michigan	\$54,566	\$64,796	\$78,084	Insufficient Data
Western New York	\$60,622	\$53,838	\$91,348	Insufficient Data
Western North Carolina	\$53,305	\$69,600	\$75,523	\$65,602
Wyoming	\$62,400	\$68,052	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data

### Table 11: Median compensation by church size: Senior and solo full-time rectors

Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (76-140)	Transitional (141-225)	Program & Resource (226+)
Alabama	\$56,296	\$65,862	\$76,903	\$110,270
Alaska	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Albany	\$47,819	\$68,121	\$84,435	Insufficient Data
Arizona	\$50,932	\$61,734	\$76,641	\$86,478
Arkansas	\$56,932	\$68,601	\$82,648	\$108,117
Atlanta	\$50,288	\$64,704	\$72,904	\$93,558
Bethlehem	\$51,912	\$73,200	\$74,127	Insufficient Data
California	\$65,505	\$85,362	\$97,349	\$111,935
Central Florida	\$55,127	\$62,087	\$82,917	\$87,475
Central Gulf Coast	\$61,135	\$69,410	\$90,272	\$114,336
Central New York	\$52,741	\$77,344	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Central Pennsylvania	\$60,614	\$66,830	\$87,586	Insufficient Data
Chicago	\$58,906	\$72,858	\$90,795	\$94,914
Colorado	\$53,305	\$67,311	\$80,360	\$91,754
Connecticut	\$73,656	\$81,220	\$93,994	\$126,320
Dallas	\$53,424	\$60,606	\$72,737	\$94,189
Delaware	Insufficient Data	\$68,822	\$87,149	Insufficient Data
East Carolina	\$66,043	\$78,273	\$89,203	\$105,450
East Tennessee	\$44,520	\$59,466	\$70,645	\$118,388
Eastern Michigan	\$50,682	\$57,736	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Eastern Oregon	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Easton	\$56,529	\$74,128	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Eau Claire	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
El Camino Real	\$63,416	\$74,257	\$91,262	Insufficient Data
Florida	\$63,791	\$68,359	\$89,767	\$100,222
Fond Du Lac	\$55,767	\$64,664	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data

Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (76-140)	Transitional (141-225)	Program & Resource (226+)
Fort Worth	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Georgia	\$57,597	\$60,142	\$71,301	\$96,191
Hawaii	\$75,039	\$89,238	\$109,880	Insufficient Data
Idaho	Insufficient Data	\$59,208	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Indianapolis	\$56,946	\$68,496	Insufficient Data	\$120,516
lowa	\$53,367	\$58,238	\$81,262	Insufficient Data
Kansas	\$52,000	\$58,200	\$67,635	\$90,930
Kentucky	\$47,740	\$75,326	\$78,679	Insufficient Data
Lexington	\$42,255	\$67,154	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Long Island	\$72,187	\$81,085	\$94,797	\$114,924
Los Angeles	\$60,000	\$70,788	\$88,856	\$111,983
Louisiana	\$53,167	\$72,783	Insufficient Data	\$127,125
Maine	\$54,720	\$73,898	\$82,426	Insufficient Data
Maryland	\$59,335	\$70,148	\$85,668	\$117,491
Massachusetts	\$66,843	\$76,722	\$92,612	\$106,516
Michigan	\$50,019	\$67,600	\$79,725	\$116,937
Milwaukee	\$59,167	\$74,467	\$81,948	Insufficient Data
Minnesota	\$60,573	\$71,418	\$75,721	\$92,000
Mississippi	\$50,526	\$72,604	\$80,471	\$117,227
Missouri	\$53,905	\$59,074	Insufficient Data	\$98,624
Montana	\$46,001	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Navajoland Area	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Nebraska	\$60,000	\$69,610	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Nevada	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
New Hampshire	\$51,701	\$69,323	\$82,064	\$97,592
New Jersey	\$67,244	\$78,992	\$87,143	\$113,837
New York	\$73,468	\$82,420	\$103,862	\$163,201

Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (76-140)	Transitional (141-225)	Program & Resource (226+)
Newark	\$68,112	\$73,506	\$93,096	Insufficient Data
North Carolina	\$51,190	\$65,500	\$80,156	\$95,251
North Dakota	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Northern California	\$60,000	\$65,464	\$90,709	Insufficient Data
Northern Indiana	\$62,609	\$65,984	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Northern Michigan	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Northwest Texas	\$57,555	\$63,000	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Northwestern Penn	\$52,558	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Ohio	\$57,800	\$69,795	\$89,608	\$116,826
Oklahoma	\$50,714	\$67,982	Insufficient Data	\$87,685
Olympia	\$56,746	\$71,197	\$83,276	\$90,541
Oregon	\$54,556	\$60,562	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Pennsylvania	\$65,523	\$80,185	\$104,183	\$115,291
Pittsburgh	\$58,316	\$77,000	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Quincy	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Rhode Island	\$70,400	\$78,404	\$97,208	Insufficient Data
Rio Grande	\$47,408	\$73,503	Insufficient Data	\$101,639
Rochester	\$65,939	\$70,965	\$101,044	Insufficient Data
San Diego	\$51,862	\$67,328	\$80,736	\$106,819
San Joaquin	\$53,549	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
South Carolina	\$73,115	\$72,343	\$95,040	\$112,605
South Dakota	\$53,411	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Southeast Florida	\$63,420	\$65,550	\$81,335	\$101,021
Southern Ohio	\$64,500	\$66,132	\$85,718	\$99,863
Southern Virginia	\$63,500	\$71,270	\$84,033	\$94,746
Southwest Florida	\$48,000	\$65,998	\$75,670	\$92,500
Southwestern Virginia	\$51,400	\$72,815	\$90,542	Insufficient Data
Spokane	\$58,604	\$57,558	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data

Diocese	Family (0-75)	Pastoral (76-140)	Transitional (141-225)	Program & Resource (226+)
Springfield	\$58,376	\$72,063	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Tennessee	\$47,826	\$68,349	\$79,821	\$116,773
Texas	\$64,340	\$69,105	\$78,887	\$105,465
Upper South Carolina	\$49,579	\$60,000	\$76,140	\$89,476
Utah	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	\$76,841	Insufficient Data
Vermont	\$43,938	\$62,519	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Virginia	\$66,490	\$79,252	\$86,553	\$113,162
Washington	\$62,541	\$82,494	\$94,437	\$144,089
West Missouri	\$55,000	\$61,337	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
West Tennessee	\$47,837	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
West Texas	\$64,090	\$67,278	\$78,459	\$100,188
West Virginia	\$57,709	\$66,361	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Western Kansas	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Western Louisiana	\$48,422	\$57,030	\$87,304	Insufficient Data
Western Massachusetts	\$66,542	\$73,283	\$85,580	Insufficient Data
Western Michigan	\$54,566	\$64,796	\$73,369	Insufficient Data
Western New York	\$60,622	\$53,838	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data
Western North Carolina	\$53,305	\$69,600	\$76,046	Insufficient Data
Wyoming	\$61,623	\$68,052	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data

The following tables and maps illuminate clergy salaries as compared to similar local populations. The sample data making up our "general population" comparison group was taken from the 2006 to 2010 American Community Survey, administered by the U.S. Census Bureau. This sample was restricted to full-time employed professionals with Master's degree education or higher.

Table 12: Median Compensation Comparison between Clergy and Graduate-educated Professionals by Region of Country (Source: 2006–2010 American Community Survey)				
Region	Clergy Median Compensation	*U.S. Comparative Median Compensation	Difference	
Northeast	\$75,519	\$74,707	\$812	
Midwest	\$65,302	\$65,000	\$302	
South	\$70,428	\$67,010	\$3,418	
West	\$69,405	\$77,390	(\$7,985)	
Total	\$70,931	\$71,134	(\$203)	

Table 13: Median Compensation Comparison between Clergy and Graduate-educated Professionals by Province (Source: 2006–2010 American Community Survey)				
Province	Clergy Median Compensation	*U.S. Comparative Median Compensation	Difference	
Province I	\$76,103	\$74,227	\$1,876	
Province II	\$76,215	\$77,081	(\$866)	
Province III	\$72,100	\$76,053	(\$3,953)	
Province IV	\$70,000	\$62,569	\$7,431	
Province V	\$66,245	\$66,804	(\$559)	
Province VI	\$64,462	\$63,918	\$544	
Province VII	\$67,574	\$63,918	\$3,656	
Province VIII	\$70,000	\$80,000	(\$10,000)	
Total	\$70,931	\$71,134	\$203	

\* Figures from 2006–2010 American Community Survey adjusted to 2011 constant dollars.



### Diocesan Median Compensation by Decile

Median Compensation Differences between Clergy and Equivalent Professionals by Diocese

