

We continue good progress on the task to deliver to Archbishop Hebda our recommendations for the future of St. Nicholas parish.

Here is a brief update:

On September 25, we sent a letter and paper survey to all "Registered & Active" households of St. Nicholas. This was a total of 778 households. 105 letters have been returned by the Post Office as being non-deliverable. We have also posted the letter and survey on the St. Nicholas webpage and FaceBook page. In addition, I placed 6 yard signs (4 at St. Nicholas and 2 at Guardian Angels) inviting people to visit the webpage or scan the QR code for the survey.

We have received survey results from 166 persons (104 online and 62 paper surveys). 22 people volunteered to be a working group helping to interpret and summarize the input from the 166 people. The survey has given us statistical data in the form of graphs and percentages. Your input has also given us 7 pages (single spaced typed) of comments that help add context to the statistics. I have high confidence in our plan to be able to provide the recommendation to the Archbishop by his requested date of January 1, 2021. Please continue to pray for this process and for all involved that God's will be done.

May God continue to protect, guide, and bless you and your family.

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