## **DOEPA - PARISH ANNUAL REPORT** for the 2024 Diocesan Assembly

Parish name and Address	Photo	
SAINT HERMAN OF ALASKA ORTHODOX CHURCH		
133 West Broad Street		
Shillington, PA 19607		
Clergy		
VERY REVEREND JOHN A. ONOFREY		
Committees/Societies		
PARISH COUNCIL		
"OUR LADY OF KAZAN" SISTERHOOD		
Since January 2023		
Highlights of Top Three Activities		
RETURN TO FULL CYCLE OF SERVICES & PARISH ACTVITIES (Post Pandemic)		
50th ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION DINNER / October 2023		
FULL PARTICIPATION WITH LOCAL SISTER ORTHODOX CHURCHES (Liturgical & Social)		
Outreach Directed to Growth, Adult Education and Charitable Activities (Fundraisers are not Outreach)		
WEEKLY ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM		
SUPPORT: MARY'S SHELTER / Reading, PA + HOLY TRANSFIGURATION MONASTERY / Ellwood City		
ST. TIKHON'S MONASTERY & SEMINARY + VARIOUS I.O.C.C. PROGRAMS		
Major Challenges Faced		
RETURNING TO "NORMAL – POST PANDEMIC" PARISH LIFE		
THE STRUGGLE OF THE CHURCH TO HANDLE THE CHANGING DYNAMICS OF PARISH LIFE IN RELATION TO FAMILY LIFE AND SOCIETY.		
THE ONGOING STRUGGLE OF FINANCIAL STABILITY		

Upcoming Special Events/ Anniversaries – January 2024 to December 2024

AS OF THIS REPORTING, NO SPECIAL EVENTS PLANNED

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	As of October 1, 2023
Active Members Count	94
Children (under 18)	23
	January 1 thru December 1, 2023
Average Sunday Divine Liturgy Attendance	40-50
Average Sunday Divine Liturgy Communicants	30-35
Average Saturday Vigil Attendance	5-10 / FESTAL VIGIL 10-20
Number of Catechumens	1
	January 1, thru December 1, 2023
Baptisms	0
Funerals	0
Marriages	0
Receptions into Orthodoxy	0
Church School/Number Enrolled	0
Adult Education/Number Enrolled	10-15 ATTENDEES EACH WEEK