

Past Year in Review

The role of the Serra Foundation of Canada (SFC) is to complement and support the prayers and actions of Serrans by enhancing awareness of the Serra vocations apostolate in Canada and to fund projects that encourage vocations.

The Card-Donation Program is one such project that has been updated this past year. It is a selection of cards that may be used in lieu of flowers. View and order cards online.

www.serracanada/foundation/gift-cards

Thinking of You – the multi-purpose card that may be used as a simple caring note, birthday, anniversary, congratulatory, memorial, get well card. Also one may choose specific Intention cards such as:

In Loving Memory

For Your Birthday

May You Soon Return To Good Health

Card recipients are doubly blessed. They know a friend cares about them and that their particular intention will be prayed for at a special Mass. This past September (2014) Bishop Gary Gordon, the Episcopal Advisor of the Serra Canada Council and SFC celebrated the special Mass at Villa Colombo in Toronto for all recipients of the Card-Donation Program with over 100 in attendance.

In 2013 the SFC partnered with the Toronto area Serra Clubs to host the Ordinandi Dinner Gala event. This is a dinner honouring deacons who are studying and residing at St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Seminary before their ordination to the priesthood. The SFC funded an additional \$32,200 in grants from the proceeds of the Ordinandi Dinner Gala event.

From the generosity of benefactors, the SFC has been able to fund a variety of vocation programs and continue our Serra ministry. Thank you.

Ways to Donate

1. Card-Donation Program
2. Annual Appeal to Serrans
3. Planned Gifts and Bequests
4. Ordinandi Dinner Sponsorship

Serra Foundation of Canada 2013 Grants Totalling \$50,200

St. Augustine's Seminary, Toronto	\$ 1,500
St. Peter's Seminary, London	\$ 1,500
St. Joseph's Seminary, Edmonton	\$ 1,500
Redemptoris Mater Seminary, Toronto	\$ 1,500
Catholic Missions in Canada	\$ 1,500
Seminary of Christ the King, Vancouver	\$ 1,500
National Association of Vocation & Formation Directors	\$ 2,000
Archdiocese of Toronto - Enculturation Program	\$ 1,000
Diocesan Vocations Directors of Canada	\$ 2,500
Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario	\$ 2,500
Serra International Foundation	\$ 1,000

Grants Made from Proceeds of Ordinandi Dinner Gala Event:

St. Augustine's Seminary (Holy Land)	\$ 2,500
St. Augustine's Seminary	\$ 12,800
Redemptoris Mater Seminary	\$ 6,800
Serra House (Archdiocese of Toronto)	\$ 9,600
Catholic Missions of Canada	\$ 500

Financial Position December 31, 2013

Restricted Net Assets in Cash & Investments	\$ 238,737
Unrestricted Net Assets in Cash, Investments & Prepaids	\$ 39,438
Total Net Assets	\$ 278,175

Financial Operations Year Ending December 31, 2013

Revenues:	Donations	\$ 20,828
	Interest & Dividends	\$ 9,252
	Other Income	\$ 10,680
	Total Revenue	\$ 40,760
Expenses:	Bank & Administration	\$ 1,696
	Altar Server Medallions	\$ 6,667
	Provisions for Securities Losses (Gains)	(\$ 5,349)
	Vocation Programs & Grants	\$ 26,578
	Total Expenses	\$ 29,592
	Excess of Revenues Over Expenses Before Transfers	\$ 11,168
	Transfer to Restricted Funds	(\$ 7,516)
	Excess of Revenues Over Expenses for the Year	\$ 3,652