

ALUMNI & FRIENDS
OF THE UNIVERSITY,

Thank You!



The 2023-24 academic year has begun! On behalf of Mount Mercy University, I want to thank you for ensuring our continued success through your philanthropy, volunteerism and prayers. Your support makes the MMU education possible for our students.

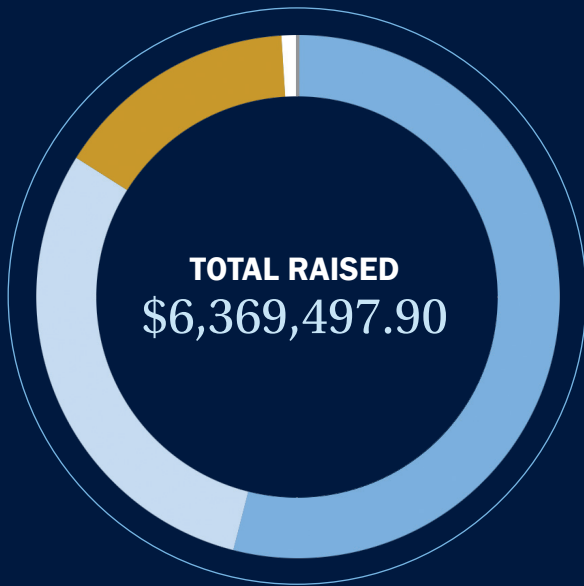
As the only Catholic university in Cedar Rapids, we continue to be an economic engine in Linn County and beyond, with a majority of our alumni staying in Iowa! We are proud of our 95 years on the Hill and as you will see in this newsletter, thanks to the generosity of our donors, our community is changing for the better! Here are a few highlights:

- » Graduated over 450 Mount Mercy University students this academic year.
- » Raised a record-breaking \$3.4 million for endowed scholarships and programs.
- » Opened the CRST Data Intelligence Lab, which provides a virtual reality learning area, robotic equipment, 3D printers and numerous experiential learning opportunities.
- » Completed renovations in the Martin-Herold College of Nursing & Health to enhance academic and community learning spaces for nursing & health students.
- » Started new academic programs including a major in Data Science, a Master of Science in Supply Chain Management, and an online Master of Science in Education with a PreK-12 Principal/Pre-K-12 Special Education Supervisor endorsement.

Thanks for your continued loyal support of this unique and blessed place that you can always call home!

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■	ENDOWED: \$3,457,185.64	(54%)
■	RESTRICTED: \$1,925,682.44	(30%)
■	UNRESTRICTED: \$941,129.31	(15%)
■	GIFT IN-KIND: \$37,048.40	(1%)
■	CAPITAL: \$8,452.11	(<1%)

FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023



1,512 donors

270 new donors



Donors from **35** states
and **4** countries



Alumni class
with the most
participation **1988**



#HaveMercyGiveMercy
raised **\$109,000** from
522 donors



10 new endowed
scholarships and funds